



Come out for Walk Richmond and take a stroll on August 21 & 30

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### Child care development grants

#### Call for applications

The Child Care Development Advisory Committee of the City of Richmond is pleased to announce that the City has made limited funds available to help licensed non-profit child care operators in Richmond develop and enhance the delivery of child care services to the families of this community.

Funding is available to assist with a one-time minor capital expense (e.g., equipment, furnishings, playground improvements) that will improve the quality, availability and accessibility of child care in Richmond.

Information outlining the application procedure is available at the Information Counter of City Hall, 6911 No. 3 Road, and from the City website at [www.richmond.ca](http://www.richmond.ca) (Home > City Services > Social Planning > Child Care).

The deadline for completed applications is **5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 30, 2008.**

Child care operators who have previously submitted applications,

and those who have previously received grants, are welcome to submit new applications.

For further information, please call Lesley Sherlock, Social Planner, at 604-276-4220.

### Development Permit Panel Meeting

**Wednesday, August 27, 2008  
3:30 p.m. in Council Chambers**



Agenda Item:

6760, 6780, 6800, 6820 Cooney Road, 8371, 8411 Anderson Road, and 6771, 6811, 6831 Eckersley Road (DP 07-374744) Iredale Group Architecture – To permit the construction of a multifamily residential complex consisting of 211 units (170 market apartment units, 35 rental apartment units and 6 townhouse units) and associated amenity space over two (2) levels of parking on a site zoned "Comprehensive Development District (CD/195)".

Please call 604-276-4395 for further information.

### City Grant applications Deadline October 17, 2008

#### Applications now accepted



The City of Richmond supports the enhancement of a positive quality of life for all its residents, and City Council recognizes that one means of helping to achieve this goal is through an annual Grants Program.

On July 28, 2008, Council adopted a revised City Grant Program. The new Program and application form are available online through the City's website at [www.richmond.ca](http://www.richmond.ca), or from the Information Counter at City Hall, 6911 No. 3 Road, 604-276-4000.

Applications will be considered from non-profit organizations meeting the necessary criteria.


Completed applications are to be received at the Richmond City Hall Information Counter by **5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 17, 2008.**

#### Grant orientation sessions

If you would like to attend an orientation session about the new City Grant Program and its application form, (dates and times to be determined), please contact Lesley Sherlock, Social Planner, at 604-276-4220 by September 8, 2008.

### Walk Richmond

#### Free guided walks

 Walk Richmond offers a year round series of guided walks and walking workshops. Join others and discover some of Richmond's natural gems.


Each walk offers various pace and distance options to accommodate all fitness levels. Registration is not required.

Thursday, August 21 – 7:00 p.m.  
– Iona Beach  
Meeting spot: entrance to the jetty, west end of Grauer Road

Saturday, August 30 – 10:00 a.m.  
– Ladner Farm House  
Meeting spot: Dover Park, 5855 Dover Crescent

For more information, call 604-276-4300 or visit [www.richmond.ca/walk](http://www.richmond.ca/walk).





### Richmond Calendar

**2 General Purposes Committee**  
Tuesday, September 2, 2008  
Anderson Room, City Hall  
4:00 p.m.

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**3 Planning Committee**  
Wednesday, September 3, 2008  
Anderson Room, City Hall  
4:00 p.m.

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**3 Public Hearing**  
Wednesday, September 3, 2008  
Council Chambers, City Hall  
7:00 p.m.

### Check out iMove before you get on the road

#### Traveller information website



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Now there is a high-tech tool for spotting where the problem areas are so you can plan your trips to avoid or minimize delays.

The iMove ([www.i-move.ca](http://www.i-move.ca)) website consolidates information for local and regional travellers on construction zones, motor vehicle crash sites, ferry and public transit schedules, cycling networks, airport conditions, border crossings and the Port of



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