
Township of Langley

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Salishan Place Planning Open House

Langley, BC – Township of Langley is seeking community feedback to help shape the gallery spaces and exhibits at Salishan Place by the River, Langley’s new cultural centre.

Salishan Place will be the new home of the museum and Fort Langley Library. It will provide indoor and outdoor community gathering places, including a reception hall, presentation theatre, amphitheatre, and gardens.

“This new cultural space at Salishan Place will be a welcoming, inspiring, inclusive, and creative destination in beautiful Fort Langley,” said Township of Langley Mayor Jack Froese. “We need your help to make it relevant and collaborative – a place that shares truth and invites reflection, learning, and respect.”

Join us for an in-person Open House:

Date: Thursday, June 9, 2022

Time: 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Location: Fort Langley Community Hall, 9167 Glover Road

Participate in the Online Open House:

Dates: June 2-23, 2022 at tol.ca/salishanplanning.

The Township of Langley encourages everyone to view the Open House information panels and complete our online survey which opens June 2, and is available until June 23 at tol.ca/salishanplanning.

You can also drop off or mail a letter to Langley Centennial Museum at 9135 King Street, PO Box 800, Fort Langley, BC, V1M 2S2, by June 23, 2022.

Salishan Place by the River is under construction in Fort Langley and will be opening in 2023. The cultural centre is being developed in partnership with ƛ̓wɑ:ŋłəŋ (Kwantlen) First Nation, and in collaboration with other community partners including ƛ̓icəy̓ (Katzie) First Nation, Máthekwi (Matsqui) First Nation, and se'mya'me (Semiahmoo) First Nation.

The name Salishan Place by the River reflects its physical location within the collective territories of the mainland Coast Salish peoples. It acknowledges həŋqəmiŋəŋ and halq'eméylem, the Salish language dialects spoken here.

This project is supported by the Government of Canada, the Province of BC, Stronger BC, and the BC Arts Council.

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Photo cutline: Design rendering of Salishan Place by the River, currently under construction at 23430 Mavis Avenue in Fort Langley.



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