

# City Currents

## COMMUNITY UPDATE AUGUST 5, 2016

### SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY ON THE BOARD OF VARIANCE

Members of the public are invited to apply to serve on the Board of Variance, an independent panel of five members appointed by Council to consider minor variances from the City's Zoning Bylaw.

Appeals to the Board are generally made by homeowners or developers when compliance with a minor aspect of Zoning Bylaw (such as a side yard setback) would cause "hardship" to the applicant.

Why join the Board? This is an opportunity to play a role in land use decision making in Campbell River. No specific knowledge or qualifications are required, but an interest in civic governance and land use regulations is important.

The Board meets when applications are received, typically 4 to 10 times a year.

Criteria for membership on the Board includes being available to meetings during working hours, with at least 10 days' notice. Meetings generally last no longer than an hour.

During a meeting, the Board will consider whether the application is "minor" and whether "hardship" is evident, and will either deny or approve an application. The Board hears representations from an applicant and/or their neighbours before making a decision. City staff provide administrative and technical support.

The term for this position will commence October 1, 2016 through to March 31, 2019.

Questions? Please contact Tracy Bate, Deputy City Clerk at 250-286-5705 or email [tracy.bate@campbellriver.ca](mailto:tracy.bate@campbellriver.ca)

Information and applications are at City Hall or at [www.campbellriver.ca](http://www.campbellriver.ca)

Apply today! Deadline is 4:30 PM Monday, August 22, 2016



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DOWNTOWN  
*Wednesday  
Nights*



## August 10th

# CHALKFEST

5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Shoppers Row at Spirit Square

Join us as downtown becomes a canvas

Professional Chalk Artist



Join the free competition  
to win GREAT PRIZES

Create your own masterpiece or  
simply watch the artistic action. Pick  
up supper from the many food carts  
available at the venue

Information on entry to the Competition can  
be found on the city website at:

[www.campbellriver.ca/crlivestreets](http://www.campbellriver.ca/crlivestreets)



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