



CITY OF QUESNEL NEWS RELEASE

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City offers two-for-one transit passes

QUESNEL — The City of Quesnel is offering two-for-one monthly transit passes. When a passenger purchases a July monthly bus pass, they will receive an August monthly pass free of charge.

“We encourage residents to take advantage of this offer,” said Mayor Nate Bello. “Public transit provides a great way of dealing with rising gas prices and helps us make choices as individuals that can address the effects of climate change as well. We have an award-winning transit system in Quesnel – let’s use it to our full advantage.”

Monthly bus passes cost \$30 for adults and \$25 for seniors and students. Passes are available at:

- City Hall
- Mohawk Service, Maple Park Mall
- Quesnel & District Arts & Recreation Centre
- Quesnel Transit Office
- Shoppers Drug Mart

The re-introduction of public transit in Quesnel came in 2001 and has experienced growth in ridership averaging 20 per cent each year. This year, ridership is up four per cent over 2007.

The transit system is a first-rate partnership between the City of Quesnel and BC Transit, and operated by Five Five Transport. The Cariboo Regional District also provides funding towards the Quesnel transit system.

For transit schedules and fares, visit www.busonline.ca or pick up a Rider’s Guide at any of the locations mentioned above.

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