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**QUESTION - White Rock & Surrey City Council Meetings:
October 30, 2023**

From: PRedacted) Petrala. White Rock, BC

When will an announcement be made on a safe warming site and a night shelter. I and others want to share the location and hours with our neighbours who are living their vehicles or rough on our streets?

Can I trust that the by-laws, garbage pickup staff and all our first responders - RCMP and Fire crews also provide this information in a timely manner to all neighbours they encounter? I and many helpers observe the empty office/retail spaces that perhaps could serve this temporary purpose if approached correctly. There is funding from key places to support this dire need.

I hope they are not merely dismantling any makeshift arrangements and pushing people to more from any site they have established.

Perhaps civic staff, contractors and our housed neighbours can keep a caring eye on anyone, ensuring they have some safety and possible patrolled area to sleep out of the wind, rain and frost.

I am not able to attend in person to ask. I will watch the live feed & share replay.

Your prompt response is most welcome.

Sincerely
PRedacted Petrala