

**GREEN CITY LIVING**  
**Film and Speaker Series**



One screening monthly  
on the third Tuesday,  
7 to 9 pm in Council  
Chambers



Tuesday, May 19, 2009

**Setting the Stage: The Facts on Climate Change**

*Hosted by Mayor Darrell Mussatto*

Tuesday, June 16

**The Passive House**

*Hosted by Councillor Guy Heywood*

Tuesday, July 21

**Energy Smarts: Home Energy Retrofits**

*Hosted by Councillor Bob Fearnley*

Tuesday, August 18

**Urban Food: Seeding change one bite at a time**

*Hosted by Councillor Mary Trentadue*

Tuesday, September 15

**Getting Around the City**

*Hosted by Councillor Craig Keating*

Tuesday, October 20

**Zero Waste: The "Cradle to Cradle" Concept**

*Hosted by Councillor Rod Clark*

Tuesday, November 17

**The Big Picture**

*Hosted by Councillor Pam Bookham*



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with Guest Speaker Dr. Stephen Sheppard, UBC*

**Featured Films:**

*Gimme Green*

*Climate Change Lower Mainland*

For more information:

[www.cnv.org/greencityliving](http://www.cnv.org/greencityliving) or 604.998.3448

Council Chambers 141 West 14<sup>th</sup> Street, North Vancouver

## Hosted by Mayor Darrell Mussatto

Darrell Mussatto is serving his second term as Mayor of the City of North Vancouver. He was first elected to City Council in 1993 and has served four terms as Councillor. His priority issues are sustainability, affordability and homelessness. A paramedic with B.C. Ambulance Service, Mayor Mussatto also holds a BA and Professional Teaching Certificate, as well as a Health and Fitness Certificate.

## Presentation by Dr. Stephen Sheppard

Dr. Stephen Sheppard teaches sustainable landscape planning and visualization in the Faculty of Forestry and Landscape Architecture program at UBC. He has degrees from Oxford and UBC, and a Ph.D. in Environmental Planning from UC, Berkeley. He directs the Collaborative for Advanced Landscape Planning (CALP), a research group that studies better ways of engaging with communities on climate change and sustainability, using 3D visualization of local places and future visioning to support awareness-building, policy change, and planning for climate change solutions.

## Setting the Stage on Environmental Change

We are constantly inundated with information on climate change, but how does what we do affect climate change in the Lower Mainland? In the short film *Gimme Green*, directors Isaac Brown and Eric Flagg take a humorous look at the American obsession with the residential lawn and the effect this has on our environment, our wallets and our outlook on life. Then, in the thought provoking film, *Climate Change Lower Mainland*, local filmmaker Rick Searle brings together local politicians and scientists from the University of British Columbia including Dr. Stephen Sheppard to discuss the impact that climate change is having on the Metro Vancouver area.

In our rapidly changing modern world, there is a growing need to find local solutions to issues like climate change and global warming. This is why City Council is pleased to host a compelling new film and speaker series, **GREEN CITY LIVING**, featuring the many options available to City residents to reduce our environmental footprint.

This year, the City is excited to be partnering with **Projecting Change**, an innovative organization that focuses on promoting green and sustainable living through the use of entertaining & educational film. Visit [www.projectingchange.ca](http://www.projectingchange.ca).

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**Guest Speaker:** Dr. Stephen Sheppard

**7:00 Introduction - Mayor Darrell Mussatto**

**7:05 1<sup>st</sup> Film - Gimme Green**  
*Directors Isaac Brown and Eric Flagg, USA, 2007, 27 minutes*

**7:35 2<sup>nd</sup> Film - Climate Change Lower Mainland**  
*Director Rick Searle, Canada, 2008, 13 minutes*

**7:50 Presentation – Dr. Stephen Sheppard**  
*Climate Change on the North Shore: What Will It Look Like?*

**8:30 Discussion about film and presentation**  
*Mayor Darrell Mussatto*

**9:00 Refreshments in lobby**

*Admission by donation to the  
Vancouver Area Cycling Coalition-North Shore*

[www.vacc.bc.ca](http://www.vacc.bc.ca)

*The Lower Mainland's Cycling Advocates!*