

TO: CITY MANAGER

DATE: 2000 March 15

FROM: HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: RETIREMENTS

PURPOSE: To inform Council of the following retirements
from January to March 2000

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** the Mayor, on behalf of Council, send to the following retirees a letter of appreciation for their many years of loyal and dedicated service to the City.

REPORT

During the past quarter (January - March) we have had thirteen retirements and the following summarizes employment and retirement information for each of the employees. We have also included the details in those instances where a formal presentation has taken place, either at a special retirement function or in the Mayor's office. If a formal presentation is not noted, then the gift and card from the City have been forwarded to the employee's home.

JANUARY RETIREMENTS

Mr. Fred Forder

Mr. Forder retired from employment with the City on 2000 January 31 after 24 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1976 July 15 in the Engineering Department and since 1982 February 22 has held the position of Physical Plant Maintenance Coordinator.

Presentation of the gift and card from the City took place at a retirement function held on 2000 January 26 at the Burnaby Rugby Club.

Mr. Guiseppa Greco

Mr. Greco retired from employment with the City on 2000 January 31 after 18 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1981 October 21 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Asphalt Raker since that time.

Mr. Leo Lagasse

Mr. Lagasse retired from employment with the City on 2000 January 31 after 18 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1981 September 28 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Tradesman 2 - Mechanic since that time.

Mr. Gus Smallwood

Mr. Smallwood retired from employment with the City on 2000 January 31 after 29 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1970 August 18 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Foreman 3 - Waterworks since 1984 June 25.

Ms. Josephine Webber

Ms. Webber retired from employment with the City on 2000 January 31 after 21 years of service. She commenced employment with Burnaby on 1979 April 26 in the Park, Recreation and Cultural Services Department and has held the position of Supervisor, Parks Custodial Services since 1984 June 18.

Presentation of the gift and card from the City took place on 2000 January 26, at a retirement function held at the Burnaby Lake Pavillion.

FEBRUARY RETIREMENTS

Mr. Ross Corby

Mr. Corby retired from employment with the City on 2000 February 29 after 28 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1972 July 31 in the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Department and has held the position of Labourer since that time.

Presentation of the gift and card from the City took place on 2000 February 29 at Parks, Service Centre.

Mr. Terrance Ursulak

Mr. Ursulak retired from employment with the City on 2000 February 29 after 32 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1968 April 23 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Truck Driver - Swamper 2 since 1970 November 02.

MARCH RETIREMENTS

Mr. Gerald Andrews

Mr. Andrews will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 32 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1968 August 12 in the Fire Department and has held the position of Fire Captain since 1995 March 27.

Mr. Martin Lee

Mr. Lee will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 14 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1985 June 08 in the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Department and has held the position of Parks Janitor since that time.

Presentation of the gift and card from the City will take place on 2000 April 10 in the Office of the Mayor.

Mr. Terrance A. Ritchie

Mr. Ritchie will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 37 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1963 August 16 in the Fire Department and has held the position of Assistant Fire Chief since 1994 October 24.

Presentation of the gift and card from the City will take place on 2000 April 04 in the Office of the Mayor.

Mr. Wolfgang Staubach

Mr. Staubach will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 19 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1981 October 07 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Labourer since that time.

Mr. Leroy Threinen

Mr. Threinen will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 37 years of service. He commenced employment with Burnaby on 1963 June 19 in the Engineering Department and has held the position of Foreman 1 - Roads and Drainage since 1980 June 09.

Mr. William Watson

Mr. Watson will be retiring from employment with the City on 2000 March 31 after 31 years of service. He commenced employment with the City on 1969 January 06 in the Fire Department and has held the position of Assistant Chief Training Officer since 1999 April 05.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pat Tennant".

P. K. Tennant
HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR

cc: Deputy City Manager
Corporate Labour Relations