

# Parker Wetlands Conservation Committee Presents Public Transit and Greenspace Forum

**When:** Tuesday, February 25, 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**Where:** Fort Garry Community Centre, 80 Derek Street, West Fort Garry ([map](#))

**Description:** Parker Wetlands Conservation Committee presents “Public Transit Forum” at Fort Garry Community Centre, 80 Derek Street

A Transit Route is planned to run through land that was identified by the City as a high quality natural area. PWCC is not opposed to rapid transit but will offer discussion around the selection of the route and value of greenspace.

## Four panelists to present information, followed by discussion:

**Alan Freeman;** Social Economist – will focus on the preservation of urban green spaces and their role in the overall cultural and environmental concept of how cities develop and what are their assets

**Chris Baker;** Master of City Planning – His presentation will discuss his masters practicum project titled: Testing the Benefits of On-street and Off-street Rapid Transit Alignments: Implications for Winnipeg’s Southwest Rapid Transit Corridor.

**Karen Wilson Baptist;** MED. PhD, associate professor in the Department of Landscape Architecture at the U of M– Value of Green Space for people

**Edwin Innes;** Electrical Engineer, Energy Specialist – Ed has a broad background in energy systems analysis, including transportation systems. Ten years of that experience is in emerging alternative energy systems, including leading-edge electric and hydrogen powered vehicles

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