



MEETING INFORMATION

FPSE is located on West 6th Ave near Cambie St, in the BC Teachers' Federation building. Our address is 400 - 550 West 6th Ave; ph 604.873.8988.

Parking is available in the BCTF underground lot off Ash St. You will be given a keypad code for entry. Park in FPSE stalls #114-122. If occupied, return to P1 and park in Visitor stalls #156-164; pay at the machine (\$1/hr; machine takes coins & credit cards). **DO NOT PARK** in any other stalls. Use stairs to exit to street and proceed to front entrance on West 6th Avenue.

Entry to the FPSE office: on intercom at main entrance scroll to FPSE, press #, then **0400**. Someone in the office will buzz you in. Door and elevator will be released for 90 seconds only to allow access to the 4th floor. Do not hold outside or corridor doors open; after 15 seconds a silent alarm will activate and security will be called!

Skytrain: Members are strongly encouraged to use the Canada Line for travel between YVR and FPSE. The cost is \$3.75 and the ride takes 20 minutes.

From the Airport

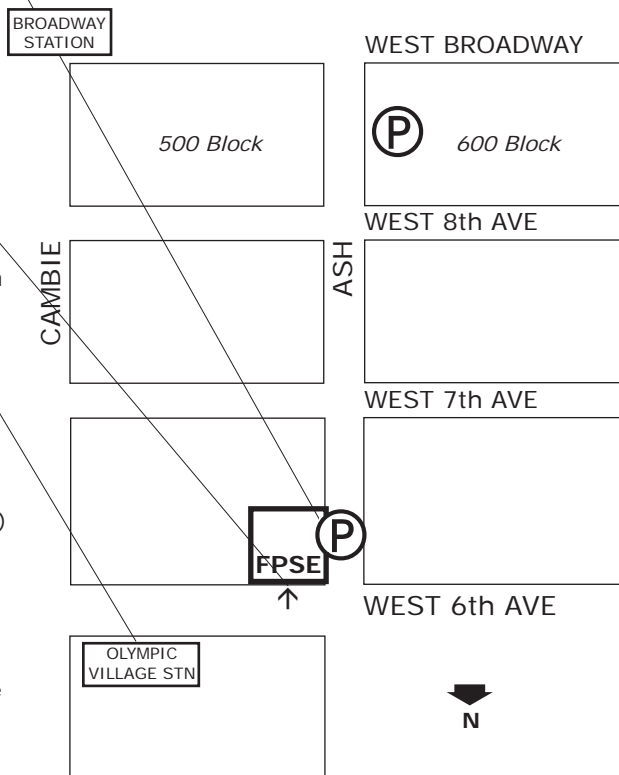
To find YVR-Airport Station, go to the Link Building (on Level 3 between the International and Domestic terminals) and up to Level 4. An overhead walkway takes you to the station. Take Waterfront train from YVR-Airport to Olympic Village Station. You will depart the station onto West 6th Avenue, just across the street from the BCTF building.

To the Airport

Southbound trains alternate between Richmond-Brighouse and YVR Airport. Listen for the announcements.

Some meetings will be held in other locations; access information will be provided beforehand.

AREA MAP



TRAVEL FOR FPSE MEETINGS

We ask that you book your FPSE travel through **WE Travel** at **604.253.5585** or **1.800.663.4703**, as they are a unionized firm. Using WE Travel allows you to bill your ticket to FPSE's account. The bill is sent to FPSE, the ticket is sent to you.

Travel reservations should be made at least 7 days in advance (preferably 14-21 days in advance to take advantage of excursion fares). Extra charges due to late bookings or changes will not be reimbursed.

If you prefer to use another travel agent or book your own flight, FPSE has a continuing contract with Air Canada throughout 2009/10. Where applicable, you will be given, an Air Canada number to use when booking your air travel.

HOTEL INFORMATION

For meetings throughout the 2009/10 academic year, guest accommodation for out-of-town committee members has been arranged at:

The Coast Plaza Hotel at Stanley Park

1763 Comox Street (at Denman), Vancouver, BC V6G 1P6
ph: 604.688.7711 • fx: 604.688.5934
toll-free: 1.800.663.1144 • www.coasthotels.com

As a guest under FPSE's contract, you are entitled to the following:

- ❖ free local calls
- ❖ free downtown shuttle
- ❖ indoor pool, whirlpool, sauna, and adjoining health club
- ❖ all rooms with balconies
- ❖ hair dryers

For directions to the hotel, go to http://www.coasthotels.com/hotels/canada/bc/vancouver/coast_plaza/mapdirections. The *Airporter* shuttle picks up and drops off from the corner of Comox and Denman (www.yvrairporter.com) until September 30th, 2009 only.

Where available a hotel shuttle may provide transportation to FPSE for morning meetings. Please confirm availability and departure time when checking in.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO HOTEL

Coast Plaza Hotel at Stanley Park is where FPSE committee members from out of town will be staying. The address is 1763 Comox St (at Denman), Vancouver BC V6G 1P6; ph: 604.688.7711 or toll-free 1.800.663.1144; fx 604.688.5934. Please see http://www.coasthotels.com/hotels/canada/bc/vancouver/coast_plaza/mapdirections for a map of the area.

From Hotel to FPSE: If driving, follow Denman St south to Beach Ave. Turn right over the Burrard Street Bridge. Turn left on West 4th Ave, which becomes West 6th Avenue. Turn right on Ash Street (last stoplight before the Cambie Bridge); the BCTF parking lot entrance is on the left – see parking instructions above.

To the Hotel:

From the Airport: Exit the terminal via Grant McConachie Way. Cross over the Arthur Laing Bridge, staying in the right lane. Take the Granville St exit and follow Granville St over the Granville Bridge. Turn left at 2nd light after the bridge on to Davie St, then right on to Denman St. Turn right on to Comox, then left into hotel driveway.

From the North: From Highway 99, take the Taylor Way exit. Turn left on to Marine Drive, then get into the right lane. Cross over the Lions Gate Bridge and through Stanley Park. Turn right on to Denman Street, then left on to Comox Street and left into hotel driveway.

From the East – Highway 1: From Hwy 1, take the First Ave exit (exits right), and immediately turn left on to First Ave. Follow First Ave to Science World. Turn right on to Quebec St and follow it to the left as it becomes Pacific Blvd, around BC Place, past Granville and Burrard. Turn right on to Denman St, then right on to Comox St. Turn left into hotel drive.

FPSE HAS A CLEAN AIR POLICY:

PLEASE DON'T USE SCENTED PRODUCTS WHEN ATTENDING
FPSE MEETINGS AND EVENTS OR IN THE FPSE OFFICE.

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