



## Late Night Taxi Stands Open for Business Thursday

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VICTORIA, BC — Downtown Victoria is a great place to celebrate, whatever the occasion. The City of Victoria wants the public to have a great, late night downtown experience and get home safely. Starting this Thursday night, the public can catch a cab at one of three, new downtown late night taxi zones from 2 a.m. to 4 a.m. every Thursday, Friday and Saturday night.

Available for the next six months, on a trial basis, each of the three taxi stands will have security personnel assigned to them, will have public urinals close by, and will be subject to regular patrols by the police officers dedicated to Downtown Late Night.

The three safe and convenient taxi stands will be located at:

1. Pandora Avenue at Government Street (adjacent to Centennial Square)
2. Government Street, between View and Fort Streets
3. Douglas Street bus stop between Fort and Broughton Streets

The new taxi stands are just one of the measures being implemented to make sure that a late night in downtown Victoria, is a great night. This initiative is a partnership between the City of Victoria, VicPD and local taxi owners. For more information, visit: [www.victoria.ca](http://www.victoria.ca) and click on *What's New?*

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