

## INFORMATION RELEASE

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## **Rebate Program for Parksville Residents**

The City of Parksville offers rebate programs to property owners within City of Parksville boundaries. Our rebate programs are subject to available funding and the submission of a complete application which meets the rebate program criteria. Eligibility criteria vary for each rebate program and the City's rebate programs offered on a first-come, first-served basis, may change or be terminated without notice.

<u>Low flush toilets</u> - Residential property owners may be eligible for a rebate when replacing an older, high-volume toilet using 13 litres or more with a new CSA approved low flow model. The rebate is \$75 for a 6 litre or less low flow model. This offer is available to owners of existing residential and commercial buildings, located within the municipal boundaries, connected to both the City's water and sewer systems.

<u>Planting of a tree</u> - The City offers rebates for the owner of a residence or business wishing to plant a tree on their property. Property owners may apply for one rebate per property per calendar year. The rebate amount is for a maximum of \$50, subject to some conditions which are detailed in the application.

Rain barrels - Rebates of up to \$50 are offered for the purchase and installation of rain barrels. One rebate per residence of 50% of the cost of the rain barrel, to a maximum of \$50. This offer is only for owners of existing residential buildings with a valid occupancy permit located within the City and connected to the City's water system.

<u>Security camera rebate</u> - The rebate is up to a maximum of \$100 per application for one security camera system per property owner. Security cameras must be installed on the exterior of the building of a residential building and businesses may choose either the inside of the business or on the exterior of the building. Refer to the <u>website</u> for application and privacy planning checklist for businesses.

## How to apply for a rebate

Download and complete the application form for the rebate you are applying for from our <u>website</u>. Submit the completed application by email as indicated on the application or submit a paper copy of the application in person to the City of Parksville.

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## For more information:

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