

City of Parksville Participates in Climate Action Boot Camp

PARKSVILLE, BC: Sustainability, climate change and community engagement are all being discussed at a Climate Action Boot Camp, a two-day workshop scheduled for November 17 and November 18 at the Qualicum Beach Civic Centre. The boot camp will include such topics as climate commitments, greenhouse gas emissions and community engagement and is presented by the Community Energy Association and BC Healthy Communities.

The boot camp is geared towards local government staff that will be required to implement carbon neutral operations, climate action charter commitments or emission reduction target obligations.

The workshop is hosted by the City of Parksville, the Regional District of Nanaimo, District of Lantzville and Town of Qualicum Beach. The workshop is designed in part to help participants come to grips with the challenges and opportunities related to sustainability, planning and more specifically, climate action.

The Community Energy Association supports local governments throughout British Columbia in accelerating the application of energy efficiency and renewable energy in all aspects of community design, infrastructure and community engagement for sustainability.

BC Healthy Communities is a province-wide organization committed to the ongoing development of healthy, thriving and resilient communities. It supports communities in identifying and developing the processes, assets and skills needed to explore and act on the root causes of the issues they face.

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