

Explanation of City of Parksville Consultant Services

This release will serve as an explanation of the cost for consultant services for 2010 and year to date for 2011.

<u>2010</u>

In 2010, the City of Parksville spent \$772,620 for consulting services; \$245,800 in operating and \$526,820 in capital.

The majority of the operating cost was for Ian Radnidge in his capacity as Acting Director of Engineering (\$143,940) and for Lanarc as consultants on the Official Community Plan (\$57,109). The remaining amount includes several small engineering design projects (\$17,000), the homelessness task force (\$5,500) and several small miscellaneous contracts.

The majority of the capital was for the Arrowsmith Water Service capital planning (\$215,295) and the fire hall (\$221,339). The next two largest consulting contracts were for the City's Jensen Street property rezoning (\$29,384) and for engineering services for design of McMillian Street (\$33,903) in preparation for the work now underway. The remaining \$21,000 was spent on engineering services for several other small capital projects.

<u>2011</u>

In 2011, the year to date amount for consulting is \$279,516 which includes operating and capital as follows:

Development process review	\$ 29,507.39
Arrowsmith Water Service capital planning	\$ 42,585.72
McMillan Street upgrade engineering	\$101,444.95
Fire hall	\$ 43,847.24
Ian Radnidge (Acting Director of Engineering)	\$ 24,618.32
Transportation/parking study	\$ 12,209.95

The remaining \$25,000 is made up of a number of small items.

###

For more information please contact:

Fred Manson, Chief Administrative Officer 250 954-4666

City of Parksville | 100 Jensen Avenue East (P O Box 1390), Parksville, BC V9P 2H3 Phone 250 248-6144 | Fax 250 954-4685 | www.parksville.ca

About Parksville — Located on Vancouver Island's sheltered east coast, 12,000 residents call Parksville their home. Parksville offers a quality lifestyle with many activities. We are committed to being the city of choice for ourselves and future generations in a clean, safe, friendly, economically viable and sustainable environment.