

City Recognized for Corporate Carbon Neutrality in 2016

The City of Parksville received notification this week from the joint Provincial-Union of British Columbia Municipalities Green Communities Committee that the City of Parksville successfully achieved its goal of corporate carbon neutrality for the 2016 reporting year.

As a Climate Action Charter signatory, the City has achieved Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 recognition and additionally has been awarded Level 4 recognition – “Achievement of Carbon Neutrality” for 2016.

“This is the sixth year the City has attained carbon neutrality and we are indeed proud of our record,” said Mayor Marc Lefebvre. “The City continues to demonstrate its commitment to work with the province and UBCM to take action on climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in our operations.”

The Green Communities Committee was established under the Climate Action Charter to support local governments in achieving climate goals. Recognition is provided on an annual basis to local governments who demonstrate progress on their Climate Action Charter commitments.

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