

it's your City!

ERWS Public Open House - May 8

Please join us at an open house to update residents on the preliminary design process for the ERWS project. This open house is an opportunity to provide comments and feedback prior to the commencement of detailed design of the intake, treatment plant and distribution facility. The drop-in format will enable residents to review design concepts at their leisure and the design team staff will answer questions. Feedback forms will be available and we hope participants will provide comments. For those with limited time, informal presentations scheduled for 3 pm and 6 pm will provide a quick overview of the project components.

Thursday, May 8, 2-7 pm
(presentations at 3 pm and 6 pm)

Parksville Community and Conference Centre
132 Jensen Avenue East

ERWS Project Survey

The ERWS is working to improve the water system for the City of Parksville and the Nanoose Peninsula and is gathering feedback so community views can be taken into account when decisions are made on how to proceed with the project. We encourage residents to take a few minutes to provide feedback.

The survey is available from the home page of the City's website or via PlaceSpeak, an online engagement opportunity where residents and business owners in the area served by ERWS can find information, register to receive updates, provide feedback through surveys, discussion forums and polls. The survey deadline is April 18.



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www.placespeak.com/survey/945

It's Volunteer Week in Parksville



At last evening's meeting, Council proclaimed April 6-12 as Volunteer Week in the City of Parksville. This week we recognize and honour volunteers and community organizations for their outstanding contribution to Parksville.

We recognize volunteers are an important partner with government in providing services to citizens. Because of the unselfishness of our many volunteers, Parksville is a more desirable place to live, work and play. We hope our City's volunteers know they are truly appreciated and that their contributions are important to the well-being of Parksville. We thank you!

City Dates

April 9	Budget Deliberation
April 15	Council Advisory Committee
April 17	Advisory Design Panel
April 17	Coffee with Council
April 18 & 21	Easter Statutory Holidays
April 23	Council
April 24	Advisory Design Panel
April 24	Coffee with Council
May 1	Coffee with Council
May 5	Council
May 8	Advisory Design Panel
May 8	Coffee with Council
May 8	ERWS Public Open House
May 15	Advisory Planning Commission
May 15	Coffee with Council

The public is encouraged to attend Council meetings held on the first and third Mondays of the month and is welcome to observe advisory committee meetings. Please refer to the City's website for agendas, dates and times as well as Council meeting highlights and minutes.

How to Reach Council

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It's Your City is published in the PQB News on the second Tuesday of the month with a copy on the City's website. We are committed to improving communications with our residents and you can help by providing your comments and suggestions to 250 954-3073 or communications@parksville.ca.

Budget 2014 - Have Your Say

The public is invited to participate in the City's budget deliberations at a special Committee of the Whole meeting on April 9 at 1.30 pm. Public input is important to the financial planning process and Council is interested in your comments. The draft 2014-2018 Provisional Financial Plan and other documents are on the website [Quicklink - Financial Reports] for your review. Comments received by April 17 will be forwarded to Council for their consideration. Whether you attend in person or watch online, we hope you will have a say.

Here's how you can contribute to the discussion:

- Attend in person and have your say.
- Watch online or archived on the City's website.
- Comments and questions by email info@parksville.ca (by April 17).
- Comment on Facebook or tweet us your questions or comments.

Wednesday, April 9, 1.30 pm

Forum, Parksville Civic and Technology Centre
100 Jensen Avenue East

City Services

Notice of Parcel Tax Roll Review Panel

For those who received written notification from the City, the Parcel Tax Roll Review Panel will meet on April 23 at 5.45 pm (in the Forum, 100 Jensen Avenue East) to hear complaints and review and correct the assessment rolls. The panel will hear complaints as to:

- Ensure names and addresses of owners are correct;
- Parcels of land not abutting the water and/or sewer mains;
- Errors or omissions respecting the inclusion of property on the roll.

The revised Water, Sewer and RDN Parks Parcel Tax Rolls will be open for inspection from 8 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday until April 23 in the finance department. The panel will not hear a complaint unless written notice has been submitted to the City at least 48 hours prior to the appointed meeting time.

Things to know ...

- Mayor Burger has proclaimed April Daffodil Month, Volunteer Week and National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Month in the City of Parksville.
- Reminder to residents that utility notices covering water, sewer, garbage and recycling were mailed at the end of March. If you do not receive your notice, please call 250 954-4653.
- Our beaches are closed to dogs until April 30 for the protection of visiting Brant geese.
- Mark your calendar for our next Public Works open house scheduled for May 29 in the Community Park.

Annual Wood Chipping Program

Details may be found on the website under *Newsroom/Public Notices*. Now in progress, the program runs weekdays between 8 am and 3 pm until April 17 and is the only wood chipping program this year. Please direct questions to 250 248-5412.

Monday, April 7 through Friday, April 11	east of Moilliet Street to Corfield Street, north and south of the highway, including both sides of Corfield Street
Monday, April 14 through Thursday, April 17	east of Corfield Street, north and south of Highway 19A, including the resort area, to the eastern boundary of the City

Water Conservation

Water Conservation Level 1 is now in effect with watering 6 to 10 morning and evening for no more than three hours per period with a maximum of six hours total allocated watering per day. Water Conservation Level 2 will be effective May 1 with watering 6 to 10 morning and evening for no more than two hours per period with a maximum of four hours total allocated watering per day. With all levels, odd numbered addresses water on odd numbered days and even numbered addresses on even numbered days. Watering of vegetable gardens, shrubs, trees and flowers is restricted to a hand-held container or a hose with shut-off nozzle if watered outside of permitted times.
Quicklinks/Water Conservation.

