May 10, 2019

Village Update

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HARVEY WATER TANK CONSTRUCTION UPDATE & WATER CONSERVATION NOTICE

Its official, crews have switched over water supply from the 400,000-gallon Harvey water tank to the much smaller 100,000-gallon Oceanview tank. Deconstruction of the old Harvey tank has begun and is expected to take a month or more. Once that's complete, crews will begin preparing the base and forming the foundation in preparation for the assembly of the new 512,000-gallon steel-bolted, glass-fused tank.

As you can imagine, going from the existing 400,000-gallon tank to the temporary 100,000-gallon tank will have an impact on our water reserves during the course of this critical infrastructure upgrade project. That is why we are implementing Water Conservation Level 1 as of Monday, May 13, 2019. Please help us by doing your part to conserve water over the course of this project through to September.

For those of you wondering about firefighting capabilities, rest assured that we have been working with the Fire Chief and project engineers and contractors to maximize our firefighting water reserves. That being said, you can help greatly by reducing water waste and ensuring as much water as possible remains in the smaller 100,000-gallon Oceanview and Magnesia tanks for firefighting requirements.

WATER CONSERVATION LEVEL 1 NOW IN EFFECT

Conservation Level 1 will remain in effect until September 30, 2018, unless raised in accordance with Village of Lions Bay Outdoor Water Use Bylaw 484, 2015, after which restrictions will be lifted should the weather be conducive.

- Sprinkling may only occur between 4 a.m. - 9 a.m. as follows:

-Even numbered addresses on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays
-Odd numbered addresses on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays

See Outdoor Water Conservation Measures, Levels 1 to 3 here.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience and bear with us as we work through this critical infrastructure project. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

Please provide any feedback or comments to Public Works via email at works@lionsbay.ca.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL TAX

In addition to collecting taxes for municipal purposes, the Village is also required to collect and remit taxes on behalf of other taxing authorities, including school tax on behalf of the provincial government. Starting in 2019, the provincial government will apply an additional school tax on properties assessed at $3 million and above.

The additional tax rate is:

- 0.2% on the residential portion assessed between $3 million and $4 million
- 0.4% on the residential portion assessed over $4 million

If your property is assessed at $3 million or higher, you will see the additional school tax on your 2019 property tax notice, which will be mailed out the first week of June.

For more information, visit www.gov.bc.ca/schooltax



What are your ideas for the future?

How can Transport 2050 make life better for you and future generations?

Visit transport2050.ca #transport2050

Transportation is important. Whether you bus to work, drive to school, or bike to the grocery store, how you move affects your time, budget, and health. And our environment.

TransLink is leading the development of Transport 2050, a new shared regional plan to help us navigate the next 30 years of transportation. What's important to you? How can transportation support the kind of life you want to live?

We want to hear your bold and creative ideas for the future of transportation. Join the conversation! Phase 1 engagement runs to September 2019.

TRANSLINK

Click here to read the letter from TransLink for more information.

Note: All meetings take place in Council Chambers unless otherwise noted. The Village Office is open until 6:30 pm on Regular Council Meeting nights. Please check the Meeting Calendar for changes or cancellations.

Council and Committee Meetings

- Regular Council Meeting - May 14 at 7:00 pm
- Regular Council Meeting - May 21
  (Rescheduled from May 21st to May 14th)

Meeting Calendar

What's happening in the community?



Please visit Lions Bay Historical Society's web page and Facebook page.

LIONS BAY COMMUNITY SCHOOL

SPRING FESTIVAL

MAY 30TH
2:30-4:30

Telling Our School's Stories

Connecting Community

MARKET GARDEN
SINGALONG
FIRE TRUCK RIDES
FACE PAINTING
BOUNCY CASTLE
INTERPRETATIVE FOREST WALK

COMPLIMENTARY ADMISSION

250 BAYVIEW RD LIONS BAY

WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS

Saplings Outdoor Program

lions bay community school

ARTS & GARDEN FESTIVAL



MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

LIONS BAY ARTS AND GARDEN FESTIVAL!

Come and enjoy Lions Bay Arts and Garden Festival SUNDAY, MAY 26. Garden and art displays, native plants, art and jewellery for sale, performances by local musicians, garden tips by our resident Master Gardener, and more.

Tour gardens 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Wine reception starts at 4:30 p.m.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Map & More details to follow.