Village Update

July 26, 2024

UPDATES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY

Auditor Appointment:
At a Special Meeting of Council on July 25, 2024 MNP LLP was appointed as auditor for the Village of Lions Bay for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2023, 2024 and 2025.
MNP's local office brings significant municipal assurance expertise in the lower mainland, currently serving as auditor for, among many others:

Regional District of Nanaimo
City of Courtenay
Town of Ladysmith
District of Sechelt
Sunshine Coast Regional District
Village of Cumberland

MNP is a leading national accounting, tax, and business consulting firm in Canada and we look forward to developing our relationship with them.

Klatt Building Renovation Project:
Schedule

- Completed this week:
    - Plumbers complete apart from vent for dryer and relocation of both washer and dryer.
    - Electricians 70% complete
    - Roofers completed torch on deck
    - Forming for all exterior staircases
    - Start of external siding.
- Next week works:
    - Facia for roof
    - Demo of internal walls
    - Relocation of septic line and installation of forms and rebar for upper staircase.
    - Continuation of electrical rough in
    - Relocation of septic line to complete upper stairwell
    - Plumbers to complete venting for dryer.
    - Continuation of external siding
- Project remains on budget and on schedule with a target date of substantial completion in September with latest in October.



Due to increased wildlife activity please follow the below waste collection schedule. Failure to do so will incur a fine of $80.

WASTE COLLECTION TIME SLOTS

7:30 - 9 am
Bayview Place-Upper Bayview, Mountain-Timbertop-Sunset, and all streets leading off these (central Lions Bay above the highway).

9 - 10 am
Highview-Oceanview, Panorama, Kelvin Grove Way, and all streets leading off these.

10 am - 1 pm
All other neighbourhoods (lower Kelvin Grove, Brunswick, central Lions Bay below the highway, etc.).

Works Yard drop-offs (garbage and food waste only): 6 am - 8 am every Friday and 8 am - 11 am every Saturday

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COMMITTEE UPDATES



Join Our Community's Efforts: Volunteer Today!
This summer, the Village of Lions Bay has been diligently preparing for low water levels and the challenges they may bring. We need dedicated volunteers to support our emergency

response efforts and ensure our community remains safe and resilient. There's a role for everyone, whether you have specialized skills or simply a desire to help!

What is Emergency Support Services (ESS)?

Did you know that the Government of BC provides dedicated support in the first 72 hours of a community emergency to residents? Emergency Support Services (ESS) is a vital community-based program that provides essential services to residents during emergencies, such as natural disasters and other crises. ESS volunteers support residents with their shelter, food, and clothing needs, as well as provide emotional support to those affected, ensuring their safety and well-being.

Why Volunteer with Us?

- **Make a Difference:** Your efforts can help save lives, support those in need, and provide essential services during emergencies.
- **Free Training and Support:** Connect with emergency service professionals and volunteers across the province by getting the necessary training and support at no cost to you.
- **Community Impact:** Be a pillar of strength and hope in your community when it needs you the most.

Ready to step up and be a champion in our community? Email the village Emergency Program Coordinator at **EPC@lionsbay.ca** to express your interest and get started.

For more information, visit our **website**.

Join us today and help Lions Bay stay strong and united in the face of challenges!



Living in a seismically active region like B.C. means being ready for an earthquake is essential. Here's how you can prepare:

- **Take Immediate Action:** If you feel the ground shake or receive an early warning alert, **Drop, Cover, and Hold On.**
- **Secure Your Home:** Anchor cabinets and large furniture. Keep pictures and mirrors away from beds and couches.
- **Build an Emergency Kit:** Ensure you have at least 2 weeks of supplies to keep your loved ones comfortable and safe.

For detailed steps on earthquake and tsunami preparedness, check out the **Preparedness Guide.**

Stay safe and prepared, Lions Bay! Visit our website links for more information.

Brought to you by **Lions Bay Emergency Support Services.** Working to ensure Lions Bay residents are Informed, Engaged and Prepared.

UPDATES FROM THE FIRE CHIEF



Lions Bay Fire Rescue is in search of Volunteer Firefighters
Become a part of the team – submit your application today! Visit the Recruitment Process page by clicking **HERE**.
To find out what the time commitment looks like or what's involved in being a volunteer firefighter, please reach out to the Fire Chief, Barret Germscheid at **firechief@lionsbay.ca**.



NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL:

September 17, 2024 at 7:00pm

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Climate Action Committee Meeting - July 29, 2024 at 6:00pm

Committee of the Whole Meeting - September 3, 2024 at 7:00pm

Note: please check the Village website calendar for meeting schedule changes or cancellations.

View the Council and Committee Schedules, Agendas, & Minutes HERE!

Video conferencing is available for public participation via Zoom. Instructions on how to

attend and publicly participate in a meeting can be found **here**.

Public Viewing Etiquette:

- Public participation is available on Zoom, during the Public Participation section of the agenda. Attendees will have two minutes to speak on any matter at the beginning of the meeting.
- Silent viewing only until you are called upon to speak (if desired).
- Please do not interrupt Council discussion.
- Limit background distractions by muting your microphone and keeping video turned off until such time as it's your turn to speak (if applicable).
- If interruptions are repeated, the participant will be removed from the meeting.





See YOU in August in Lions Bay! A little bit of Fleetwood Mac, A little bit of Allman Brothers. **Australia's MINOR GOLD is pure original**, ARIA-NOMINATED and always a good time. **Hope to see YOU there!** SPONSORED BY **Thyra McKilligan, Realtor, REMax Masters**
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If you have any questions, comments, or concerns pertaining to the Village Update, please email ***epost@lionsbay.ca***

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