

September 20, 2019



Village Update

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HARVEY TANK CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

H2Flow's crews have completed construction of the new Harvey Creek water tank and are preparing for the hydrostatic leak testing and disinfection. This process involves filling the tank with super-chlorinated water in stages and checking the seams and caulking for leaks. The hydrostatic leak testing is anticipated to take a full week to complete with a few days added on to drain the tank. Once this is complete, we can begin to fill the tank with potable water and finalize the electrical and control works; after which, Industria's crews will perform the last of the required works including fencing, landscaping, and cleanup. We are still on target for a mid-October completion of this project.

WE ARE AT LEVEL 1 CONSERVATION



THANKS TO THE HEAVY RAINS WE ARE BACK TO LEVEL 1 CONSERVATION

While we are still short on firefighting water reserves, the recent rain has allowed for creek levels to rise to a point where we can drop back down to Water Conservation Level 1 for the remainder of the project. Public Works would like to reiterate our THANKS to residents for their patience and perseverance with watering restrictions over the summer.

Please accept our apologies for any further inconvenience and bear with us as we see this critical infrastructure project through to completion.

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

KELVIN GROVE

SEWER

WWTP UPDATE

The Kelvin Grove WWTP continues to limp along with [½ of the primary media pack destroyed](#). Staff are continuing to monitor it closely and over the last few months, staff have noted an increased strain on the motor and chain drive. In the meantime, Council awarded a contract to EHD Engineering (EHD) to pursue the replacement of the existing rotating batch contactor (RBC) sewer system at the Kelvin Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP). EHD has been liaising with the Ministry of the Environment (MOE) and have been successful in negotiating for the replacement of our dilapidated RBC plant with a new RBC under our existing Permit. This is good news as it enables us to increase both treatment efficiency and capacity at a financially reasonable cost.

Public Works will be arranging to pump out the treatment plant within the next few weeks which will allow EHD to take the detailed measurements of the WWTP's wet well to prepare specifications for the plant's replacement. At the same time, engineers will inspect the condition of the ageing concrete well and outfall chamber. Options are being discussed with MOE for a bypass permit during the construction and commissioning processes. Following that, EHD and Municipal staff will prepare for tendering for the replacement equipment through a competitive bid process. Council will consider options to finance the replacement during the upcoming budget process later this fall.



PLASTICS ACTION PLAN

RESPOND BY *Sept 30th*

More than forty percent of plastic is only used once and then ends up as waste, littering our Province and threatening a wide variety of species. Here in B.C. we can do our part to change this and we want your thoughts and ideas. The purpose of this engagement is to solicit feedback from all British Columbians, including employers,

employees, organizations, professionals, and Indigenous communities on the path forward to reduce plastic pollution in B.C.

Visit the Clean BC Plastics Action Plan [website](#) and read the [Policy Consultation Paper](#) to learn more about the solutions being considered.

**B.C. can be a place where
plastic pollution becomes a thing of the past**

Submit your feedback in the following ways:

1. Complete the [online public survey](#)
2. Send [formal submissions](#) to: Plastics@gov.bc.ca
3. Email your comments to: Plastics@gov.bc.ca
4. Mail your comments to:

Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy
Recycling Regulation Amendments
PO Box 9341 Stn Prov Govt
Victoria, BC V8W 9M1

The opportunity to provide feedback will be open from July 25, 2019 until September 30, 2019 at 4 p.m.



Please be advised that Waste Control Services (WCS) has suffered a fleet issue and the recycling truck dedicated for Lions Bay's recycling collection is out of commission. In the interim, WCS is using a standard rear loading waste hauler to collect recycling and residents may have noticed that all 3 streams of recyclables (paper, containers, and glass) are being deposited into the hopper of this truck.

Rest assured that your recyclables are not being compressed and then hauled to a landfill. Once the truck is full, recyclables are taken back to WCS facilities where they are being re-sorted into the 3 streams before being diverted to their destination depots. WCS anticipates it will take several weeks or more for the recycling truck to be repaired. For further information please call at 604-986-9777 or send them an email to questions@wastecontrolservices.com.



REMEMBER TO BE BEAR SMART!

Residents are reminded that Lions Bay is a Bear Smart Community and that the [Garbage and Recycling Collection Bylaw No. 455, 2013](#) prohibits placing trash out for collection the night before collection day. All waste (household garbage and recycling) can only be placed out for collection **after 5:00 a.m. on collection day.**

WHISTLER BLACKCOMB FOUNDATION GRANT



Lions Bay Fire Rescue (LBFR) is pleased to announce that they are the recipients of the Whistler Blackcomb Foundation Grant for the purchase of eighteen radio headsets with boom mics. The radio headsets, worth over \$8,600, are an essential part of LBFR's communication system on the fire trucks. LBFR is very thankful for Whistler Blackcomb Foundation's generous donation and their continued support.

"The Whistler Blackcomb Foundation is dedicated to providing financial support to registered non-profit organizations whose activities provide benefit to residents of the Sea to Sky Corridor in the areas of health, human services, education, recreation, arts and culture and the environment with an emphasis on children, youth and family programs."



- Courtesy www.whistlerblackcombfoundation.com

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 & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

- Council Meeting - October 1 at 7:00 pm

Meeting Calendar

What's happening in the community?

FIREFIGHTERS'
DAY
Sept. 28th



Mark your calendars: Firefighter Day 2019 has been re-booked for Saturday September 28th. Come join us for a BBQ and bar, kid games, an auction table with amazing prizes and put your dancing shoes on for The Sean Ruthen Live Band! Also, due to the time sensitive nature of some of our raffle ticket prizes, we had to draw winners on Saturday the 14th. Here are the winners:

- 1) GHOST Concert tickets - Bruce Kennedy
- 2) WHITECAPS game - Logan Reynolds
- 3) \$100 CACTUS CLUB gift card - Liz Jordan

Starts Tuesday, September 10th



NORTH SHORE TAI CHI & QI GONG

TAI CHI & QIGONG
AT BROUGHTON HALL
in the Village
ALL AGES WELCOME

Classes every Tuesday
Arrive by 11am for Tea
11:15am Start

Gain Strength
Flexibility & Calm
Improve Balance & Focus
Have Fun

This program is courtesy of LBSSC
email: info.lbdirectory@gmail.com
or phone: 604-986-9276

Newcomers Welcome.

Tai Chi and Qigong for 1 hour or Qigong only for 1/2 hour.

Fun and healthy exercise. Drop-ins possible.

Join us at Broughton Hall at 11:00 on Tuesdays.



2019 LIONS BAY

Charity Golf Tournament
Saturday, September 21st, 2019



- 18 Hole Option \$125 (Tee times starting at 1:30pm)
- 9 Hole Option \$105 (Tee times starting at 3:00pm)
- Premieré Dinner Only \$50
- Dinner and Prizes @ 7:00pm



Proceeds to benefit:
Lions Bay Community Scholarship Fund &
The Lions Bay Beach Foundation

For Sponsorship Opportunity
or to enter contact:

Roger@ 604 908-1009 roger@peakgolf.ca

Hey Friends, please mark Saturday September 21st, 2019 on your calendar for the Lions Bay Charity Golf Tournament! Proceeds will go to the Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation and The Lions Bay Beach Foundation.

To enter, or for sponsorship opportunity, please call/text Roger at 604-908-1009 or email roger@peakgolf.ca.

Hope to see you all there.