



Village Update

July 14, 2023

UPDATES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY



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Highly Toxic Plant Warning

Spurge Laurel (Daphne Laurel)

Highly Toxic!

- All parts of Spurge Laurel are poisonous
- It contains sap that causes **skin rashes and blistering**
- Airborn sap droplets can cause **eye and throat irritation**



Key ID features

- Rhododendron-like leaves that are dark green, shiny, smooth and thick
- Small clusters of fragrant pale green-yellow flowers
- Purple-black berries
- Stems are fragrant once cut



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Highly Toxic Plant Warning

What to do about Spurge Laurel on your property

Protect Yourself

- **Wear gloves** when handling the plant. Dispose of them or launder them after use.
- Wear coveralls or enough clothing to **avoid exposing your skin**. Wash your clothes afterwards.
- **Wear goggles and a respirator** when handling the plant, as small droplets of sap may be released into the air.



Refer to a pro

- Talk to a landscaping company about removing Spurge Laurel safely
- Refer to the Worksafe BC Toxic Plant Warning: <https://rb.gy/b9mjj>

If you spot Spurge Laurel on public land:

- **Do not** attempt to remove it yourself.
- Please **report it** at ssisc.ca/report or (604)698-8334.
- SSISC staff will connect with relevant funding partners to try and have the site included in its field workplan.

If you choose to remove it yourself:

- Hand-pull small plants; dig out larger ones
- Bag all plant material; **DO NOT COMPOST**
 - Take large loads to the North Vancouver transfer station
 - For small amounts, please place the sealed bags in your garbage tote.
- Monitor the area for any new seedlings and cover with deep mulch.



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UPDATE FROM THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Residential Wildfire Protection Sprinkler Kits



As seen on Canada Day at the LBFR booth at the beach WASP Residential Wildfire Protection Sprinkler Kits are now available for sale at the Village Office for a discounted rate of \$180.00 tax included.

Visit the WASP website for additional information. [Wildfire Protection Kit](#)



UPDATE FROM LIONS BAY ESS

The **Community Emergency Plan** is a thumbnail sketch of the more comprehensive emergency plan for the Village of Lions Bay. It is a “living document” meaning that it is to be updated every two years and has the word DRAFT in the background on each page to reflect the non-permanent nature of the document. Please feel free to download it for your personal use.

DRAFT Community Emergency
Plan

COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING:

July 18, 2023 at 6:00pm*

***Closed session will begin at 6:00pm followed by the public meeting at 7:00pm**

[View the Council and Committee Schedule, 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 still 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

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