

SERVICE CANADA IS COMING!

Service Canada provides Canadians with a single point of access to a wide range of government services and benefits.



WHEN:

Wednesday April 11 2018 from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm
 Thursday April 12 2018 from 8:30 am to 12:00 pm
 Wednesday May 09 2018 from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

WHERE: At the Service BC Office
 8785 Gray Street, Port Hardy, BC

Get help with your questions on:

- Employment Insurance
- CPP & OAP Pensions
- Social Insurance Number
- Guaranteed Income Supplement
- *And much more!*



BC MAMMOGRAM SERVICE -- The BC Cancer Agency's

digital mammography coach will be providing breast screening at the Thunderbird Mall, 8950 Granville St. Port Hardy, BC, V0N 2P0

→ April 12, 2018 - April 13, 2018

→ April 23, 2018 - April 24, 2018

TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT: Phone: 1-800-663-9203
 or email: mammographyconsent.screeningbc.ca



TO ALL RESIDENTS !!

DURING POWER OUTAGES, PLEASE REDUCE YOUR WATER INTAKE AND SEWAGE OUTFLOW

➔ **For those on the Storey's Beach low pressure sewer system**

For the residences with low pressure sewer systems in the Storey's Beach area, it's definitely a good idea to reduce water usage and with it wastewater production. These individual sewage tanks have a limited capacity and depending on the number of occupants per residence during an extended power outage there could be a capacity issue. *Remember.... When the power is out, there is no high level alarm on the unit to notify the homeowner of the situation.*



WELCOME TO THE TEAM!

THE DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY IS PLEASED TO WELCOME:

- ◆ **LYNDA SOWERBY AS OUR DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**
- ◆ **BRUCE FORSYTH AS OUR PUBLIC WORKS SUPERVISOR**

**2018 IS A MUNICIPAL ELECTION YEAR
 ARE YOU A CANDIDATE?**



There are responsibilities and restrictions prospective candidates may wish to consider before they decide to run for local government elected office – these include the term of office (4 years), time commitment, remuneration, voting, financial disclosure, privacy, ethics and the respective roles of elected officials and local government staff.

For more election resource information visit our website at:
www.porthardy.ca

IMPORTANT DATES

- Nominations: Tuesday, September 4 - Friday, September 14, 2018
- Campaigns: Saturday, September 22 - Saturday, October 20, 2018
- Voting Day: Saturday, October 20, 2018



MORE INFO? CONTACT HEATHER NELSON-SMITH
 Chief Election Officer, District of Port Hardy



CATCH BASINS AND GRATES - Homeowners can help keep the waters flowing by keeping an eye on nearby catch basins and grates and clearing away any build-up of leaves and debris. This will allow rain water and runoff to drain away from sidewalks, roads, and residential property.

DON'T BE INVASIVE!...PLANT NON INVASIVE SPECIES !

The *Grow Me Instead* Brochure profiles BC's most unwanted horticultural plants, along with their recommended alternatives. Download the booklet at <http://bcinvasives.ca/resources/publications/grow-me-instead-booklet>

BE PLANTWISE! The resources of *Grow Me Instead*, along with links to retailers across BC who are becoming invasive-free, are now available on the PlantWise mobile app and website at www.beplantwise.ca. For more information go to: <http://www.coastalisc.com/>

TO REPORT A WEED OR REPORT AN INVASIVE SPECIES GO TO:
<http://www.reportaweedbc.ca/>




DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY



COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mayor Hank Bood

Councillors: Pat Corbett-Labatt, Dennis Dugas, Rick Marcotte, Fred Robertson, John Tidbury, Leighton Wishart

DEPUTY MAYOR

Councillor Leighton Wishart to November 4, 2018

2018 COUNCIL MEETING DATES

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS - 7:00 PM
 2ND AND 4TH TUESDAYS OF EVERY MONTH

SCHEDULED MEETING DATES

JANUARY	9 23	FEBRUARY	13 27
MARCH	13 27	APRIL	10 24
MAY	8 22	JUNE	12 26
JULY	10	AUGUST	14
SEPTEMBER	25	OCTOBER	9 23
NOVEMBER	13 27	DECEMBER	11

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District of Port Hardy WATER CONSERVATION LEVEL



DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY PUBLIC NOTICE

DUE TO RESERVOIR CONSTRUCTION

Stage 3 - Severe Water Use Restrictions are **now in effect**.

DURING STAGE 3

PROHIBITED:

- Water a lawn or Boulevard;
- Fill a swimming pool, hot tub or garden pond;
- Fill or operate a decorative fountain at any time;
- Wash a Vehicle or Boat with Water; or
- Use water to wash sidewalks, driveways or parking lots, exterior windows or exterior building surfaces, except as necessary for applying a product such as paint, preservative and stucco, preparing a surface prior to paving or repointing bricks, or if required by law to comply with health or safety regulations

PERMITTED

- Water trees, shrubs, flowers and vegetables on any day between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. if watering is done by hand-held container or equipped with a shut-off nozzle;
- Micro-irrigation is allowed during stage 3 up to a maximum of 3 hours per day;

A full copy of the District of Port Hardy Conservation Bylaw 1050-2016 can be viewed at www.porthardy.ca

District of Port Hardy

DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY NOTICE OF WATER RESERVOIR REPLACEMENT

The District of Port Hardy will be replacing one of the two potable water reservoirs at the Water Treatment Plant.

- Decommissioning, removal of the existing reservoir and construction of the new reservoir will start on Thursday March 29, 2018 construction project will continue for at least 10 to 12 weeks.

During the construction period the District will be implementing **Stage 3 Water Restrictions**. We appreciate your cooperation and apologize for any inconvenience.

- During this time, the District's storage capacity of potable water will be substantially reduced (50% of the normal storage).
- To ensure adequate water is available, we request that all customers make every effort to reduce your consumption and conserve water.
- For more information or questions please contact the Operations Department (250) 949-7779



FILOMI DAYS IS COMING!
JULY 20, 21, & 22
YOU CAN HELP!

MEETING DATES & TIMES & INFO
AT WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/

GOING TO SAN JOSEF BAY? SAN JOSEF MAINLINE ROAD CLOSURES

Work on bridges and crossing structures on the access road to the Cape Scott Parking lot (San Josef Main FSR) is planned during the summer of 2018. The road will be closed for bridge construction (with no access to or from the parking lot) during the following periods:

- Monday June 18 - Thursday June 21, 2018
- Monday June 25 - Thursday June 28, 2018
- Tuesday September 4 - Friday September 7, 2018
- Tuesday September 11 - Friday September 14, 2018

http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/explore/parkpgs/cape_scott



GWA'SALA-'NAKWAXDA'XW FIRST NATIONS EMERGENCY SIREN WARNING SYSTEM



This warning siren might be heard in the homes of residents of Port Hardy adjacent to the Tzulquate Reserve. Upcoming Testing Schedule: May 11 at 10:00 am; August 17 at 10:00 am; and October 19 at 10:16 The public is not required to do anything at these times. *If the emergency warning system is heard at a different time, please go to higher ground.*

HOST A STUDENT - WITH THE PORT HARDY TWINNING SOCIETY



This is our year to host a delegation from our sister city of Numata, Japan. We expect to welcome 10-12 students and 3 adults for 4-6 days sometime in late September/or early October. The students are usually 13-15 years of age and are eager to visit our town and experience first hand life in a Canadian home. If you are interested, call 250-949-2315 evenings or message via Port Hardy Twinning Society on Facebook.



DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY MUNICIPAL HALL WILL BE CLOSED

- May 21 Victoria Day
- July 2 (for Canada Day Stat)
- August 6 BC Day
- September 3 Labour Day
- October 8 Thanksgiving Day
- November 12 (for Remembrance Day Stat)
- December 25 - 31 Christmas Break
- January 1 2019 New Years Day



RV PARKING

& TRAFFIC BYLAW 16-2007

◆ No person shall park an unlicensed vehicle, trailer or recreational vehicle on public highways where parking is otherwise permitted. ◆ No trailer, including a holiday trailer or boat trailer, shall be parked on any street of the District, unless it is attached to a vehicle capable of towing it.

WATER - SEWER - GARBAGE - RECYCLING 2018 SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING RESIDENTIAL UTILITY RATES

\$256.25 per quarter - \$1,025.00 per year

2018 SENIORS SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING RESIDENTIAL UTILITY RATES

When paid by the due date seniors 65 years and over may be eligible for a discount.

SENIOR RATES

(after discount applied)

\$192.19 per quarter - \$768.76 per year

DUE DATES

TIME PERIOD	DUE DATE
1st Quarter	January February March May 15
2nd Quarter	April May June August 15
3rd Quarter	July August September November 15
4th Quarter	October November December February 15

All outstanding utility charges not paid by the due date are penalized 2.5%.



SEEDY SATURDAY

Bring yours seeds & plants to swap!
Saturday April 21, 2018 From 10:00 am-2:00 pm North Island

Mall. Admission by Donation

- ◆ Find garden seeds to plant this spring
- ◆ Bring flower, herb, and veggie seeds to swap
- ◆ Presentations on growing food
- ◆ Children's area
- ◆ Table displays
- ◆ Garden related vendors.
- ◆ Brought to you by the North Island Farmers & Artisans Market and Port Hardy Farmers Market. More info at: www.facebook.com/PortHardyFarmersMarket

