

CITY OF GREENWOOD

Regular Council Meeting

**Monday, January 24, 2022
7:00 pm**

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

2. Adoption of Agenda

3. Question and Answer Period – Open for questions and answers related to the current agenda only – maximum time period is 15 minutes.

4. Adoption of the Minutes

- a. Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of January 10, 2022

5. Correspondence for Information

- a. BC Reconciliation Award – 2022 call for nominations
- b. Interior Health Authority – COVID-19 information
- c. RDKB Board of Directors' – meeting highlights
- d. BC Ministry of Municipal Affairs
- e. BC Epilepsy Society – epilepsy awareness month
- f. Sustainable Forestry Initiative Community Grants
- g. UBCM – The Compass newsletter
- h. Order of British Columbia – 2022 call for nominations

6. Councillor's Reports

7. Mayor's Report

8. Accounts Payable

- a. December 31, 2021 (year-end)
- b. January 8 – January 20, 2022

9. New and Unfinished Business

- a. Greenwood 125th Anniversary Event – committee funds

- b. Berkley Springs International Water Tasting 2022

10. Bylaws

- a. Bylaw No. 987, 2022 – Fees and Charges Bylaw

11. Question Period

Excerpt from Council Procedures Bylaw 674 Section 14

Immediately prior to the adjournment of every regular meeting of Council, questions, but not statements, relating to matters dealt with at that meeting may be directed to Council by members of the public then present. All such questions shall be directed to the Mayor and will, where possible and appropriate, be answered by the Mayor or a member designated by the Mayor.

A maximum period of 15 minutes shall be provided for considering question from member of the public; however, that maximum may be extended to 30 minutes with the unanimous consent of all Council members present.

12. Adjournment



CITY OF GREENWOOD
Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held on January 10, 2022

PRESENT

Mayor B. Noll
Councillors: C. Lang, J. Nathorst, J. Bolt, M. Seymour

ALSO PRESENT

Marcus Lebler, CAO/CFO
Andrea Sherstobitoff, CO

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor B. Noll called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion: M. Seymour / J. Nathorst
THAT the January 10, 2022 agenda be adopted as presented.
Carried

(1-22)

**QUESTION & ANSWER
PERIOD**

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Regular Council Meeting Minutes
December 13, 2021

Motion: M. Seymour / C. Lang
THAT the minutes of the December 13, 2021 Regular Council
Meeting be adopted.

(2-22)

Carried

**CORRESPONDENCE FOR
INFORMATION**

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| a.) | Community-based Land Use Planning – research brief | Information |
| b.) | The Compass – UBCM newsletter | Information |
| c.) | North Saanich – parental leave for elected officials | Information |
| d.) | RDKB – news release for funding of sewage treatment plant upgrades | Information |
| e.) | Interior Health – Penticton Regional Hospital expansion | Information |
| f.) | Ministry of Municipal Affairs – weather warning / COVID-19 information | Information |
| g.) | Interior Health – COVID-19 notices | Information |
| h.) | Village of Midway – municipal peace officer recruitment | Information |

- i.) School District No. 51 – informational Information
meeting invitation – potential closure of the
Midway Elementary School

Motion: C. Lang / J. Nathorst

THAT the correspondence items a.) through i.) be accepted as information.

(3-22)

Carried

COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Councillor Lang: None

Councillor Nathorst: None

Councillor Bolt: None

Councillor Seymour: The Greenwood Library may be increasing their insurance coverage as their assets may be undervalued.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Included in agenda

Motion: J. Nathorst / M. Seymour

THAT the reports be accepted as presented.

(4-22)

Carried

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Motion: C. Lang / J. Nathorst

THAT Council receive the cash disbursement accounts payable report in the amount of \$48,805.03 for the period of December 11, 2021 to January 7, 2022.

(5-22)

Carried

NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- a.) 2022 Council
Appointments

Motion: J. Nathorst / M. Seymour

THAT Council approve the 2022 Council Appointments.

(6-22)

Carried

- b.) Greenwood Board of
Trade – 2021 Grant in
Aid request

Motion: M. Seymour / C. Lang

THAT Council approve the Greenwood Board of Trade's grant in aid request for 2021 in the amount of \$1,000.00.

(7-22)

Carried

BYLAWS

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| a.) | Bylaw No. 985, 2021
Waste Disposal
Regulation Bylaw | Motion: J. Bolt / J. Nathorst
THAT Council give Fourth and Final Readings to Bylaw No. 985, 2021. |
| (8-22) | | Carried |
| b.) | Bylaw No. 986, 2021
Municipal Ticketing
Information Bylaw
Amendment | Motion: J. Nathorst / C. Lang
THAT Council give Fourth and Final Readings to Bylaw No. 986, 2021. |
| (9-22) | | Carried |
| e.) | Bylaw No. 987, 2022
Fees and Charges Bylaw | Motion: C. Lang / J. Nathorst
THAT Council give First, Second and Third Readings to Bylaw No. 987, 2022. |
| (10-22) | | Carried |

QUESTION PERIOD

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| ADJOURNMENT | Motion: J. Nathorst
THAT Council adjourn the regular meeting at 7:21 pm. |
| (11-22) | Carried |

Barry Noll, Mayor

Certified Correct

Andrea Sherstobitoff, Corporate Officer



British Columbia Reconciliation Award

The Office of the Lieutenant Governor and the BC Achievement Foundation Announce 2022 BC Reconciliation Award Call for Nominations

The Office of the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, in partnership with the BC Achievement Foundation, is pleased to announce the second annual Call for Nominations for the British Columbia Reconciliation Award. This award recognizes individuals, groups and organizations who demonstrate exceptional leadership, integrity, respect and commitment to furthering Reconciliation with Indigenous peoples in the province of British Columbia or inspire others to continue Reconciliation efforts.

The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, has made Reconciliation one of the key themes of her mandate. This includes participation in promotion of public awareness of the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

“The incredible quality and number of nominations received for the first BC Reconciliation Award demonstrated how much important work is being done by British Columbians in support of Reconciliation,” said Austin. “As the Crown’s representative, I am deeply honoured for the continued opportunity to recognize these exemplary individuals and organizations, with the hope their work will provide inspiration and guidance to current and future generations on the path of Reconciliation.”

The BC Achievement Foundation has several established programs honouring excellence and inspiring achievement throughout British Columbia, including the Indigenous Business Award and the Fulmer Award in First Nations Art.

"Reconciliation builds relationships and bridges the gap between two worlds through the efforts of both Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples. By recognizing the truths of past wrongs and showcasing examples of how to make things right, others will be inspired to follow," said BC Achievement Foundation board member Judith Sayers. "In its second year, the BC Reconciliation Award continues to celebrate innovative and empowering ways to embark on this journey, designed and decided by Indigenous peoples, allowing them to thrive while making the world a better place. We look forward to receiving this year's nominations and sharing their stories: #nominatenowbc."

A selection committee for the British Columbia Reconciliation Award will include representation by Indigenous Elders, BC First Nations and Métis leadership and program partners.

Nomination forms are available on the BC Achievement Foundation website, bcachievement.com. The nomination period will be open until January 15, 2022.

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For Immediate Release | January 8, 2022

Appointments Necessary at COVID-19 Testing Sites

KELOWNA / WEST KELOWNA – Residents are advised that COVID-19 rapid antigen tests are temporarily unavailable at the IH Community Collection Centres in Kelowna and West Kelowna.

COVID-19 testing **by appointment** continues to be available.

You can make an appointment online through the [COVID-19 Test Booking Form](#) 24 hours a day, or call [1-877-740-7747](tel:1-877-740-7747) for assistance between 8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., PST, seven days a week.

Anyone with chest pain or difficulty breathing should not delay in seeking treatment and is advised to call their family doctor or attend their local emergency department for care.

When to get tested

A COVID-19 test is not necessary when:

- You have no symptoms, even if you are a close contact of someone who has tested positive.
- You are experiencing symptoms and can manage your illness at home. Self-isolate for five days and until you feel well enough to resume your regular activities. Notify your close contacts so they can self-monitor for symptoms.

Use the B.C. [COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool](#) to determine if you need to be tested.

PCR tests are by appointment at community collection centres and are prioritized for people at higher risk including:

- People age 66 and older, regardless of COVID-19 vaccination status
- Children age four and younger
- Health-care workers
- People living in congregate settings where isolation from others (non-family members may be difficult, such as shelters or group homes)

For more COVID-19 testing information or to book your appointment, visit:

www.interiorhealth.ca/health-and-wellness/disease-outbreaks/covid-19/testing-information

For Immediate Release | January 13, 2022

Interior Health expanding clinic availability for booster program

IH WIDE – Interior Health is expanding COVID-19 immunization clinic capacity throughout the region to make it easier for more people to get their booster dose as soon as they are eligible.

This month, larger immunization clinics are opening in Williams Lake, Kelowna, Nelson, Castlegar, Trail and Cranbrook, while clinics in several other communities are extending hours and adding more appointments at their current locations. Pharmacies across Interior Health are also adding more appointments.

“Interior Health is grateful to our community partners who are once again stepping up to provide clinic space,” said Susan Brown, president and CEO of Interior Health. “With pharmacies also offering appointments, people across our region have more options to book their booster appointments as soon as they are able.”

Everyone aged 18+ will receive an invitation to book their appointment for a booster dose of the COVID-19 vaccine approximately six months after the date of their second dose.

Pregnant people 18+ can get a booster dose eight weeks after their second dose. To book an appointment, they can call the call centre at 1-833-838-2323 and self-identify as pregnant. COVID-19 vaccines are safe to receive at any point in pregnancy.

“Receiving a COVID-19 booster dose is a safe and effective way to protect yourself and your community from COVID-19,” said Dr. Sue Pollock, interim chief medical health officer for Interior Health. “With increased COVID-19 activity across the Interior, getting your booster dose is a critical step you can take to reduce your risk of hospitalization and to preserve capacity in the health care system.”

Booster doses are by appointment only. Once you receive your invite by email or text you will be able to book your appointment. People who still need their first or second dose can drop in or also make an appointment.

For a full list of Interior Health clinics and more information on getting booster doses, first and second doses, and children age five to 11 vaccines visit: <https://www.interiorhealth.ca/health-and-wellness/disease-outbreaks/covid-19/immunization-clinics>

For information on how to book a COVID-19 vaccine appointment, visit www.getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca or call 1-833-838-2323.



For Immediate Release | January 18, 2022

Interior Health adjusting services to strengthen patient safety

IH WIDE – Interior Health is announcing temporary service adjustments to strengthen patient care due to Omicron-related COVID-19 staffing challenges.

“As we manage the Omicron-driven COVID-19 staffing impacts on the health system, Interior Health is proactively identifying services to adjust and relocate in order to maintain safe patient care,” said Interior Health president and CEO, Susan Brown. “We will resume normal operations in impacted communities as soon as possible and in the meantime, we are temporarily reassigning and redeploying staff to sustain essential services throughout the region.”

The temporary service changes include:

- Closing inpatient services in Clearwater, Invermere, and Lillooet to stabilize emergency departments in those communities;
- Reducing overnight hours at the Ashcroft Community Health Centre and the Slocan Community Health Centre in New Denver to stabilize daytime services in those communities;
- Closing the Barriere and District Health Centre to redeploy staff to nearby emergency departments;
- Temporarily rescheduling all non-urgent surgeries; temporarily reducing services across IH to some outpatient services; some primary care services, adult day programs and some non-urgent home health services.

Service changes will vary by community and primarily impact scheduled patients and clients who will be contacted directly. In each instance an evaluation of patient or client impacts is being reviewed as well as alternate options for care.

“Current COVID-19 pressures have led to a staffing crisis that requires temporary emergency measures to maintain access to essential services that are relied on regionally. We regret the impacts these service adjustments may cause and will be contacting patients, clients and residents directly to address care needs wherever possible,” added Brown.

Interior Health is reaching out to local leaders and partners to answer questions and work together through this challenging time. Regular communications and updates will be located here: www.interiorhealth.ca/temporary-service-changes.

“People living across the Interior region overcame exceptional challenges last year. I would like to thank each and every person working in health care for their selfless determination as we get through this crisis together.”

A backgrounder is attached.

Background | January 18, 2022**Interior Health adjusting services to strengthen patient safety**

- 1) About the temporarily closed inpatient services to reassign staff and stabilize emergency departments in preparation for short-notice staff absences at: Dr. Helmcken Memorial Hospital and Health Centre in Clearwater, Invermere and District Hospital, Lillooet Hospital and Health Centre.
 - Clearwater: temporarily close six of six inpatient beds.
 - Invermere: temporarily close eight of eight inpatient beds.
 - Lillooet: temporarily close six of six inpatient beds.
- 2) About the temporarily reduced emergency department (EDs) overnight hours at the Slokan Community Health Centre in New Denver and the Ashcroft Community Health Centre to stabilize daytime staffing in preparation for short-notice staff absences.
 - Slokan Community Health Centre in New Denver: ED hours will be reduced from 24 hours to 12 hours. Until further notice its temporary hours will be 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Anyone requiring emergency services outside these hours should call 911 or visit the Arrow Lakes Hospital in Nakusp (48 km away).
 - Ashcroft Community Health Centre: ED hours will be temporarily reduced from Friday 6 p.m. – Monday 8 a.m., to Friday, 6 p.m. – 10 p.m. and Saturday/Sunday 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. Anyone requiring emergency services outside these hours should call 911 or visit the Royal Inland Hospital in Kamloops (97 km away).
- 3) The Barriere and District Health Centre will be temporarily closed to support staff redeployment to neighbouring communities. Anyone requiring emergency service should call 911 or visit the Dr. Helmcken Memorial Hospital and Health Centre in Clearwater (60 km away) or the Royal Inland Hospital in Kamloops (64 km away).
- 4) The temporary reduction across IH to some outpatient ambulatory clinics, some primary care services, adult day programs, and some non-urgent home health services will vary by community. Scheduled clients will be contacted directly.



A general overview of discussion items & major decisions from the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary (RDKB) Board of Directors' meeting. The next board meeting is **January 26 at 1:00 p.m. on Zoom.**

Board Hears Request to Rename King George VI Provincial Park

Alynn Smith of the Rossland Society for Environmental Education requested the Board support renaming King George VI Provincial Park by giving it an Indigenous name. The park, located in Area B near Paterson, is currently being restored to a wetland. Ms. Smith consulted with First Nations groups and is subsequently proposing the park be named pa?áx Provincial Park, which is a Sinixt word meaning "healing." The Board will write a letter of support for the initiative, which will go to BC Parks for consideration.

For more information on the park, visit

https://bcparks.ca/explore/parkpgs/king_george_vi/

Board appoints members to Committees/Councils

The Board made its annual appointments to the South Kootenay Agriculture Strategy Project Steering Committee and the Kettle River Watershed Advisory Council. The RDKB is grateful to those residents for volunteering their time, energy and expertise to serve their communities.

Board Supports Telus' Application to Extend Services in West Boundary

The Board is supporting Telus' application to the Northern Development Initiative Trust for a grant under the Connecting British Columbia Program to increase 4G LTE & 5G network high-speed wireless voice, text and data coverage along Hwy 33 north of Westbridge towards Rhone and the Christian Valley.

Staff Present 2022 Work Plans and 5-year Financial Plans

Staff presented their 2022 departmental work plans. The plans describe each service and its boundaries, requisition figures, human resources associated with the service, the previous year's accomplishments, significant issues and trends, and a summary of 2022 projects.

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The public is invited to take part in the RDKB's virtual electoral area **Town Hall meetings**. These events provide residents with an opportunity to review our proposed 2022 Budget and 2022–2026 Five-Year Financial Plan. Your area director and district staff will be in attendance to talk about programs, services and projects; explain how your tax dollars are spent; answer questions; and gather your input.

We want to hear from you!

The schedule of meetings is as follows:

Area A:	6 p.m. on Monday, February 7, 2022
Area B/Lower Columbia-Old Glory:	6 p.m. on Monday, March 7, 2022
Area C/Christina Lake:	6 p.m. on Monday, January 31, 2022
Area D/Rural Grand Forks:	6 p.m. on Wednesday, February 16, 2022
Area E/West Boundary:	6 pm on Monday, February 28, 2022
Area E/Big White	6 p.m. on Tuesday, March 1, 2022

Want to participate? For more information on how to attend these meetings, please visit <https://rdkb.com/town-halls>

Christina Lake Fire Department can now respond outside service area

The Board adopted Bylaw 1788, which will enable the Christina Lake fire department to respond to wildfires and motor vehicles outside of its service area (up to the Paulson Bridge). The department can then be reimbursed for such callouts from BC Health Services, BC Wildfire Service or Emergency Management BC.

Grants-in-Aid: Board-approved funding to local groups/projects

Area A:

- Beaver Valley Dynamic Aging Society – Sno Good Winter Healthy Outdoor Activities and Community Event: \$2,000
- Columbia Basin Environmental Education Network – Wild Voices Environmental Learning Programs: \$500

Area B/Lower Columbia-Old Glory:

- Columbia Basin Environmental Education Network – Wild Voices Environmental Learning Programs: \$500
- Okanagan Nation Alliance – purchases of chiller units, tanks, pumps for new schools: \$2,000

These highlights exclude confidential information such as business negotiations, personnel issues and legal matters. For full meeting agendas/minutes visit rdkb.civicweb.net. For a list of upcoming board meetings, visit rdkb.com.

For other information or to provide feedback, please contact our Corporate Officer at 250-368-0235 or corporate@rdkb.com.

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January 13, 2022

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Mayors and Regional District Chairs of British Columbia

Attendees of the December 2021 Regional Meetings with Minister Josie Osborne and Minister Murray Rankin

Dear Mayors and Chairs:

Happy New Year 2022!

Thank you for taking the time to join Minister Josie Osborne and Minister Murray Rankin for the December 2021 regional meetings. As Minister Osborne and Minister Rankin said, these meetings continue to be a great opportunity to hear from you about key issues and initiatives in your communities.

The December meetings were focused on Indigenous relations and reconciliation. We very much appreciated the opportunity to hear from local governments about all the great work that is taking place to advance reconciliation and build meaningful and lasting partnerships with Indigenous communities.

Many local governments shared examples of collaboration including working together on cultural, arts and heritage projects, developing service agreements and MOUs, and incorporating Indigenous languages into signage and public spaces, to name a few. The Province acknowledges and supports the work local governments are doing to build relationships with Indigenous peoples and looks forward to hearing about future initiatives in this regard.

Inclusive Regional Governance

In the province's Draft Action Plan on the Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples Act, the Ministry of Municipal Affairs has committed to supporting inclusive regional governance by advancing Indigenous participation in regional district boards. Interest on this has been building for some time and several regional districts and First Nations are keen to see this advance. We are looking forward to engaging on this in the near future.

Other actions to support reconciliation

Given the feedback on the draft plan, government is considering other possible actions to add, to support reconciliation at the local level. The idea of working on new approaches and practices to local government name changes, in those circumstances of negative colonial context, is one of many ideas under consideration.

Finally, we heard clearly that local governments have questions on their role in supporting the implementation of the articles of the UN Declaration and the TRC calls to action, on their responsibilities with respect to DRIPA, and what that means for their evolving relationships with First Nations and Indigenous people. We are working on new guidance and encouraging the sharing of best practices you are already undertaking. We will continue to collaborate with UBCM.

Please share examples of recent initiatives or resources in your community for building relations with First Nations and Indigenous people by emailing relations@civicinfo.bc.ca to have the resources or news releases of them added to the Joint Indigenous and Local Government Initiatives and Relations library to inspire and support other local governments.

Provincial State of Emergency – catastrophic flooding

The Provincial State of Emergency with respect to catastrophic flooding has been extended until end of day **January 18, 2022** due to the continued need for public safety measures under the *Emergency Program Act* and ongoing repairs to critical infrastructure.

[Travel restrictions](#) are currently still in place, including on Highway 1, Highway 5 (Coquihalla), and Highway 99. Note that the [DriveBC](#) home page is the most current source of highway conditions.

COVID 19 – Update

PHO Gatherings and Events Order – application to local governments

The December 22, 2021 Provincial Health Officer (PHO) [Gatherings and Events Order](#) exempts local governments (including meetings and public hearings) from the Order. It is our understanding that there is no intention for any additional restrictions for local government meetings, including restricting in-person attendance at open meetings. Accordingly, local governments can decide whether to hold electronic meetings if it is authorized in their procedure bylaw.

Local governments' decisions around electronic or in-person public attendance will depend on the unique circumstances in each community. Based on individual community needs, this could include a hybrid of virtual and in-person attendance at meetings. Local governments are encouraged to review their meeting rules and update them accordingly.

With the end of the Provincial State of Emergency, and expiration of the previous exceptional orders made under *Emergency Program Act*, no legislative authority exists to allow the Minister to issue a Ministerial Order (or any other legislative tool) to override public presence at open meetings (including providing a place for the public when electronic meetings are held). Local governments that choose to

have electronic meetings as authorized in their procedure bylaw are therefore required to provide a place for the public to attend to hear or watch meetings.

I would encourage local governments to consider enhanced safety measures where in-person attendance is required to support the health and safety of staff and the public.

COVID-19 Safety Plans

On January 7, 2022 Dr. Bonnie Henry announced an order requiring employers to re-activate their COVID-19 Safety Plans to reduce the spread of the highly transmissible Omicron variant of the COVID-19 virus. WorkSafe BC has provided guidance on reactivation or development of these plans and further information can be found [here](#).

The Provincial Health Office has confirmed that a new written Workplace Safety Order will be available shortly and I will provide you with an update as soon as the new order is posted. Vaccination continues to be our primary protective measure. [Masks](#) continue to be mandatory for all indoor public spaces.

COVID-19 Vaccine Booster Doses

Starting in January 2022, people 18 years and older will get a booking invitation 6 months after the date of their second dose for a booster dose of the COVID-19 vaccine. Please encourage your residents to get a booster dose as this is helping to protect your communities from COVID-19.

Keep watching [BC's Response to COVID-19](#) website for updates, and please encourage your residents to do the same.

Infrastructure Funding

As a reminder, the intake for the ICIP Environmental Quality Program closes on **January 26, 2022**. Program information can be found at: www.gov.bc.ca/Investing-in-Canada-Infrastructure-Program

The Environmental Quality Program is focused on infrastructure that will support quality and management improvements for drinking water, wastewater, and stormwater. It will also support projects that remediate contaminated sites and divert solid waste from landfill.

Applicants are encouraged to consider projects that add value around environmental protection, resource recovery and reuse, climate change adaptation and mitigation and energy efficiency, generation, and recovery. A water conservation plan is a requirement for any drinking water and wastewater projects.

Please email infra@gov.bc.ca to get connected to a program team member who can respond to your questions.

MO 84/2020 – Local Authorities and Essential Goods and Supplies (COVID-19) Order

On December 15, 2021 [MO 84/2020](#) under the *COVID-19 Related Measures Act* (CRMA) was amended to repeal certain sections that are no longer necessary for current pandemic response actions and change the repeal date for the remaining sections from December 31, 2021 to December 31, 2022. Note that the sunset date for CRMA also has been extended to December 31, 2022. These changes reflect the ongoing and evolving nature of the COVID-19 pandemic.

See the following summary table for the current status of sections under the Order:

Section	Application	Status
Section 1	Definitions	Extended to Dec 2022
Section 2	Application of Order	Extended to Dec 2022
Section 3	Local emergency plans	Repealed in July 2020
Section 4	Declarations of SOLE and orders set aside	Repealed in July 2020
Section 5	<i>Emergency powers of Local Authorities (LAs)</i> Requires LAs to obtain ministerial approval to declare a SOLE under section 12 (1) of the Emergency Program Act (EPA) or to use a power under the EPA in respect of the COVID-19 pandemic.	Extended to Dec 2022
Section 6	<i>LA resources and plans</i> LAs are no longer obligated to identify resources and facilities for COVID response or identify critical supplies and services.	Repealed in Dec 2021
Section 7	<i>Continuity of LA services</i> LAs are no longer required to ensure that certain services are maintained.	Repealed in Dec 2021
Section 8	<i>Critical services and essential goods and supplies</i> LAs are no longer required to provide assistance to ensure delivery of supplies to services and facilities that serve vulnerable populations.	Repealed in Dec 2021
Section 9	<i>Secondary selling prohibited</i> The minister may no longer direct limits on quantities of certain goods and services that may be purchased, and secondary selling of essential goods and supplies is no longer prohibited.	Repealed in Dec 2021
Section 10	<i>BC Ferry Services</i>	Repealed in July 2020 and July 2021
Section 11	<i>Delivery of essential goods and supplies</i> The Minister is no longer authorized to coordinate measures to ensure delivery of essential goods and supplies.	Repealed in Dec 2021

I appreciate you communicating back information from the province to your councils and boards, to your local government staff and to your communities.

The next regional meetings with Municipal Affairs will be in early February 2022. Minister of Citizens' Services Lisa Beare will join Minister Osborne to give an update on connectivity. Minister Osborne's office will be in touch with you in the upcoming week about the February date, time, and meeting information. If you are unable to attend a minister's meeting, please feel free to send an alternate elected official or a staff member to attend on your behalf.

I hope you were able to take some time for yourself and to celebrate with your families during the holiday season. I continue to be humbled and impressed by the flexibility and resilience of you and your staff during these difficult times. The new year will hold its own challenges, however, I know that by working together, we will be able to tackle whatever comes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Faganello', with a stylized, cursive script.

Tara Faganello
Assistant Deputy Minister

pc: Chief Administrative Officers
Laurey-Anne Roodenburg, President, UBCM
Gary MacIsaac, Executive Director, UBCM
Candace Witkowskyj, Executive Director, LGMA
Todd Pugh, Executive Director, CivicInfo BC



January 13th, 2021

Via Email: frontdesk.greenwoodcity@shaw.ca

To Whom It May Concern,

As you may already be aware, epilepsy is one of the most common neurological conditions, however, it currently has the least recognition in society.

My name is Deirdre Syms, and I am the Interim Executive Director of the BC Epilepsy Society, which is a provincially incorporated non-profit organization and a federally registered charitable organization. We support the over 50,000 people living with epilepsy in BC and their families, friends and loved ones and work to raise awareness of epilepsy in the communities in which we live.

We are excited to let you know that International PURPLE DAY® for Epilepsy Awareness is coming up and will be taking place during Epilepsy Awareness Month in March on March 26th, 2022.

International PURPLE DAY® for Epilepsy Awareness is a time when people in countries around the world wear purple and take part in events and activities to raise much-needed awareness of epilepsy.

Additionally, because International PURPLE DAY® for Epilepsy Awareness is also a time when many buildings and landmarks in countries around the world are lit with purple lights to raise awareness of epilepsy, the BC Epilepsy Society would like to request that Greenwood City Hall be lit with purple lights on March 26th, 2022, in honour of epilepsy awareness.

Through your participation in International PURPLE DAY® for Epilepsy Awareness on March 26th, 2022, you will not only be able to show people living with epilepsy that they are not alone but will also get people talking about epilepsy in an effort to raise awareness of epilepsy in the community.

We look forward to working with you on International PURPLE DAY® for Epilepsy Awareness on March 26th, 2022, and in the future. Please feel free to contact me via email at deirdre@bcepilepsy.com or via telephone at 1-788-533-0790 should you have any questions or require any additional information.

Sincerely,
Deirdre Syms
Interim Executive Director
BC Epilepsy Society

Front Desk

From: Barry Noll <exploregreenwood@gmail.com>
Sent: January 18, 2022 12:53 PM
To: City of Greenwood; Frontdesk.greenwoodcity@shaw.ca
Subject: Fwd: Community forestry grants available
Attachments: CommunityGrants_image_Dec2021_web.jpg

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Fred and Jane Marshall** <fmarshall@xplornet.ca>
Date: Tue., Jan. 18, 2022, 10:33 a.m.
Subject: Community forestry grants available
To: Ross Elliott <fjrelliott@shaw.ca>, Barry Noll <exploregreenwood@gmail.com>, Martin Fromme <mefromme@shaw.ca>
Cc: Dan Macmaster <dMacmaster@vaagen.ca>, Peter Flett <pflett@vaagen.ca>

You may well be aware of these grants, but if not see below. I suggest that you apply for a sizable grant to plant more trees in our communities. Midway especially would benefit greatly with more trees. Perhaps some could be planted on the newly acquired lands behind the arena and along the riverfront trail and even on some of the Agriculture lands south of the airport etc. And, if water could be supplied for a few years, even around the perimeter and through the Greenwood and Midway cemeteries. Tree lined cemeteries are much more pleasant to walk through than bare moonscapes. Even the permanent residents might appreciate the shade and the birds that the trees will bring.

Fred

The Sustainable Forestry Initiative Community Grants

The Sustainable Forestry Initiative

January 18, 2022

Category: Forestry

Region: Canada, United States



The Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) is interested in collaborating with local partners on community-based projects and activities that support SFI's mission to advance sustainability through forest-focused collaboration. Community grants are awarded for collaborative community-based projects, activities or events supporting SFI's mission to advance sustainability through forest-focused collaborations, across the US and Canada. SFI opened its annual request for proposals (RFP) for SFI Community Grants on December 2, and is accepting applications from eligible entities until February 1, 2022, at 11:59 pm eastern time. Instructions and requirements for this year's program are available on the [SFI website](#). SFI Community Grants promote collaboration with the SFI Network to support local communities' understanding of the value and benefits of sustainably managed forests. Since 2010, SFI has awarded 96 community grants, totaling more than \$900,000 in support of this goal.

[Read More](#)

Front Desk

From: Union of BC Municipalities <ubcm@ubcm.ca>
Sent: January 19, 2022 9:37 AM
To: frontdesk.greenwoodcity@shaw.ca
Subject: Asbestos abatement licensing; Social Procurement



Asbestos abatement licensing and training



The Province of B.C.'s Ministry of Labour invites input from local governments as part of its public engagement on proposed asbestos abatement licensing and certification. Asbestos-related diseases are the leading cause of workplace deaths in BC, accounting for 33% of all occupational disease and traumatic workplace fatalities from 2000 to 2020. [Read more](#)

Social Procurement & local government

When governments across BC spend money, every dollar counts. An emerging procurement approach that can squeeze extra value out of every purchase is gaining traction: The British Columbia Social Procurement Initiative (BCSPI). [Read more](#)

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HONOURS & AWARDS



Mayor Barry Noll

City of Kootenay Boundary

Dear Mayor:

Order of British Columbia ~ 2022 Call for Nominations

"In these challenging times, it is more important than ever to recognize those who are going above and beyond to make British Columbia a better place for everyone. If you know an extraordinary British Columbian who is making a difference in the lives of others, their community and our province, nominate them now for the Order of British Columbia."

-Premier John Horgan

Nominations for the province's highest honour, the Order of British Columbia, are now being accepted. This prestigious honour recognizes individuals who have demonstrated outstanding achievement, excellence or distinction in a field of endeavour benefiting the people of the province or elsewhere. I would be grateful if you could please share information about the Order widely in your community and with stakeholder groups.

Nomination forms for the Order are available online or by emailing the Honours and Awards Secretariat at bchonoursandawards@gov.bc.ca. The nomination deadline has been extended to **Monday, April 4, 2022**. Submissions received after this date will be considered in 2023.

Nominations are reviewed by an independent Advisory Council chaired by the Chief Justice of British Columbia. The Council also includes the President of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities. To date, 475 distinguished British Columbians have been appointed to the Order.

In addition to the Order of B.C., you may also nominate individuals for the province's other honour, the Medal of Good Citizenship. This medal recognizes citizens for their exceptional long-term service, and contributions to their **communities** without expectation of remuneration or reward. The medal reflects their generosity, service, acts of selflessness and contributions to community life. With the recent wildfire and flooding events in this last year there may be people in your community whom you wish to nominate for this honour. Nominations are accepted year-round and the nomination form can be found [here](#).

Your leadership in recognizing deserving citizens in your community and promoting the Order of B.C. and Medal of Good Citizenship are very much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Lucy Lobmeier

Honours and Awards Secretariat





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The 32nd Annual Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting February 24-27, 2022

2021 Winners

The Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting welcomes waters from more than a dozen countries, and states as far away as Hawaii on Saturday, February 26. Held at [The Country Inn](#) in the historic spa town of [Berkeley Springs, West Virginia](#), it is the largest and longest running water tasting in the world, dubbed by BuzzFeed and The Week “the world’s most prestigious water tasting.”

Tasting of municipal waters, followed by purified drinking water and sparkling waters begins at 2:30pm. Non-carbonated bottled waters are tasted at 6:30pm. All day Saturday, the public can taste along with the judges and have an opportunity to vote for the People’s Choice award for best packaging. Winners in all categories are announced at 8pm [More...](#)

In 2017 Nancy Andrews [100 Days in Appalachia](#) includes a visit to the Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting see what she has to [say about the importance of water](#).



[Watch the seminar from June 4, 2021.](#)

[Watch the Saturday June 5, 2021 evening tasting and awards.](#)

[Click here for photos from the 2021 International Water Tasting](#)

Beneath the Surface and Around the Globe

is our seminar to address industry issues in an in-depth manner. Once again we are bringing together expert panelists from within the industry to lead the one day event **Friday, February 25, 2022**, at [The](#)

Country Inn of Berkeley Springs. Time: 1 to 5 pm. The seminar is free so we hope you will attend this exciting event sponsored by [Travel Berkeley Springs](#).

Where

The Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting is held at [The Country Inn of Berkeley Springs](#), in the center of downtown Berkeley Springs, West Virginia home to the historic warm mineral springs in Berkeley Springs State Park. **The water tasting is conducted Saturday, February 26**, followed by announcing winners for both bottlers and municipalities.

Getting the Message Out

The Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting has generated much interest in the water industry through feature articles on most major radio and TV networks coast to coast, and around the world. The Berkeley Springs International Water Tasting & Competition has been featured on **National Public Radio, BBC, MSNBC, FOX News Network, CNN, USA Today** and **Beverage Industry Magazine**.

For 2021 Program click the cover below.



[EmeraldPlanet YouTube](#)

[YouTube Video](#)

Lodging

Rooms fill up quickly in our delightful resort town, during this major weekend of the winter season. We urge you to decide and [make your reservations](#) at the lodging place of your choice as soon as possible.

For a detailed list of lodging in Berkeley Springs call **Travel Berkeley Springs** at 1-800-447-8797 or [check us out online](#).

[The Country Inn of Berkeley Springs](#)

304-258-1200

City of Greenwood
Cheque Register-Summary-Bank



AP5090

Page : 1

Date : Jan 20, 2022

Time : 1:30 pm

Supplier : HERIT To ZWARN

Cheque Dt. 31-Dec-2021 To 31-Dec-2021

Bank : 01 - General Bank To 999 - Penny Rounding Suspense

Seq : Cheque No. Status : All

Medium : C=Computer E=EFT-PAP T=EFT-

Cheque #	Cheque Date	Supplier	Supplier Name	Status	Batch	Medium	Amount
5154	31-Dec-2021	ACECOUR	A.C.E. COURIER SERVICES	Issued	447	C	256.98
5155	31-Dec-2021	ASSFIRE	ASSOCIATED FIRE SAFETY	Issued	447	C	34,891.50
5156	31-Dec-2021	BOUND001	BOUNDARY HOME BUILDING CENTRE	Issued	447	C	15.87
5157	31-Dec-2021	CANCO	CANCO #106	Issued	447	C	195.29
5158	31-Dec-2021	CAROENV	CARO ANALYTICAL SERVICES	Issued	447	C	460.89
5159	31-Dec-2021	CARVEL	CARVELLO LAW	Issued	447	C	2,517.83
5160	31-Dec-2021	CHARV001	CHARTIER, VANESSA DAWN	Issued	447	C	240.00
5161	31-Dec-2021	GBOT	GREENWOOD BOARD OF TRADE	Issued	447	C	1,000.00
5162	31-Dec-2021	GREEN	GREENWOOD SAW TO TRUCK REPAIRS	Issued	447	C	62.72
5163	31-Dec-2021	LEBLM	Lebler, Marcus	Issued	447	C	143.86
5164	31-Dec-2021	LORDC001	LORDCO	Issued	447	C	91.31
5165	31-Dec-2021	MILLS	MILLS OFFICE PRODUCTIVITY	Issued	447	C	317.27
5166	31-Dec-2021	MINI	MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION AND INFRA	Issued	447	C	1,134.51
5167	31-Dec-2021	PRAXAIR	LINDE CANADA INC	Issued	447	C	40.67
5168	31-Dec-2021	REGIO001	REGIONAL DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY BOUND	Issued	447	C	1,458.60
5169	31-Dec-2021	RRSMI001	ROB, SMITH	Issued	447	C	250.00
00473-0001	31-Dec-2021	SHAW001	SHAW CABLE	Issued	443	E	120.86
Total Computer Paid :		43,077.30	Total EFT PAP :	120.86	Total Paid :		43,198.16
Total Manually Paid :		0.00	Total EFT File :	0.00			

17 Total No. Of Cheque(s) ...

Cheque Register-Summary-Bank



AP5090

Page : 1

Date : Jan 20, 2022

Time : 8:35 am

Supplier : HERIT To ZWARN

Cheque Dt. 08-Jan-2022 To 20-Jan-2022

Bank : 01 - General Bank To 999 - Penny Rounding Suspense

Seq : Cheque No. Status : All

Medium : C=Computer E=EFT-PAP T=EFT-

Cheque #	Cheque Date	Supplier	Supplier Name	Status	Batch	Medium	Amount
5170	12-Jan-2022	BBFD	BARRY BEECROFT FUEL DISTRIBUTORS LTC	Issued	9	C	2,222.00
5171	12-Jan-2022	LIFESAV	LIFESAVING SOCIETY	Issued	9	C	85.00
5172	12-Jan-2022	ROUTE3002	ROUTE 3 PRINT STUDIO & GIFTS	Issued	9	C	28.00
00476-0001	11-Jan-2022	ACCUR	ACCURA ALARMS	Issued	7	E	157.50
00476-0002	11-Jan-2022	MUNIP	MUNICIPAL PENSION PLAN	Issued	7	E	3,692.47
00477-0001	14-Jan-2022	CANAD003	CANADA REVENUE AGENCY	Issued	10	E	11,510.97
00477-0002	14-Jan-2022	COLLVISA	COLLABRIA HERITAGE CREDIT UNION	Issued	10	E	3,310.35
00477-0003	14-Jan-2022	FORTI001	FORTIS BC - Electric	Issued	10	E	1,930.07
00477-0004	14-Jan-2022	FORTI002	FORTIS BC NATURAL GAS	Issued	10	E	2,581.84
00477-0005	14-Jan-2022	SHAW001	SHAW CABLE	Issued	10	E	312.58
00478-0001	20-Jan-2022	TELUS 003	TELUS	Issued	13	E	171.36
00478-0002	20-Jan-2022	WORKS	WORKSAFEBC	Issued	13	E	2,859.05
Total Computer Paid :		2,335.00	Total EFT PAP :	26,526.19	Total Paid :		28,861.19
Total Manually Paid :		0.00	Total EFT File :	0.00			

12 Total No. Of Cheque(s) ...

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD

BYLAW NO. 987, 2022

A BYLAW TO ESTABLISH FEES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES AND INFORMATION

WHEREAS the Community Charter authorizes Council to impose, by bylaw, fees and charges payable in respect of any service of the municipality;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the City of Greenwood, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

Citation

1. This Bylaw is cited as "Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 987, 2022".

Administration

2. The Corporation of the City of Greenwood imposes fees and charges for the provision of services and information as specified in the Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of this Bylaw.
3. Where this Bylaw sets out fees and charges with respect to other City of Greenwood bylaws and other such bylaws contain similar fees and charges, this Bylaw is deemed to prevail.

Discretionary Waiver for Public Sector Agencies

4. The fees and charges set out in Schedule "A" may be waived for public sector agencies at the discretion of an officer of the municipality.

Severability

5. If any part of this Bylaw is for any reason held invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such decision does not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Bylaw.

Repeal

6. Bylaw No. 876, 2013, cited as "Fees and Charges Bylaw", and Bylaw No. 878, 2013, cited as "Fees and Charges Amendment Bylaw", are repealed.

Effective Date

7. This Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon its adoption.

Read a First Time this	10 th day of January, 2022.
Read a Second Time this	10 th day of January, 2022.
Read a Third Time this	10 th day of January, 2022.
Adopted by Council this	day of

Barry Noll, Mayor

Certified a true copy of Bylaw No. 987, 2022
On the day of

Andrea Sherstobitoff, Corporate Officer

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD
BYLAW NO. 987, 2022
SCHEDULE "A"

ITEM	FEE	TAX	TOTAL
Scanning and Email (per page)	\$0.33	\$0.02	\$0.35
Photocopies (per page)	\$0.33	\$0.02	\$0.35
Double-sided (per page)	\$0.37	\$0.03	\$0.40
Photocopies – 11 x 17 (per page)	\$0.98	\$0.07	\$1.05
Double-sided – 11 x 17 (per page)	\$1.08	\$0.07	\$1.15
Copies of Minutes, Agendas or Bylaws (per page)	\$0.33	\$0.02	\$0.35
Copy of Zoning Bylaw	\$10.00	\$0.70	\$10.70
Copy of Zoning Map	\$7.00	\$0.49	\$7.49
Faxes – long distance (per page)	\$0.75	\$0.05	\$0.80
City Lapel Pins	\$1.87	\$0.13	\$2.00
City Decals	\$0.70	\$0.05	\$0.75
Tax / Utility Certificates	\$35.00		\$35.00
Water – Turn Off	\$50.00	\$3.50	\$53.50
Water – Turn On	\$50.00	\$3.50	\$53.50
NSF Charge	\$35.00		\$35.00
RDKB Garbage Stickers (per sticker)	\$3.00		\$3.00
Information Searches (per hour – 1 hour minimum charge)	\$30.00	\$2.10	\$32.10
Title Search / Retrieval	\$15.00		\$15.00
Dog Licences – from January 1 st to January 31 st			
Neutered Male / Spayed Female	\$15.00		\$15.00
Intact Male / Intact Female	\$25.00		\$25.00

Dog Licences – from February 1 st to December 31 st		
Neutered Male / Spayed Female	\$30.00	\$30.00
Intact Male / Intact Female	\$40.00	\$40.00
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Dog Licences – Guide Dogs / Policing Service Dogs	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Dog Licences – Replacement Tags	\$2.00	\$2.00
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