

# **The Board Reports**

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# Highlights of the Regional Board meeting - March 30, 2023

### Tribute to Al Horning

The Regional Board recognized the recent passing of former Kelowna councillor, RDCO Director, MLA and MP AI Horning. Chair Loyal Wooldridge says AI was a friend and colleague who dedicated his career to serving the people of the Central Okanagan. In addition to his political achievements, in 2021 he was inducted into the Central Okanagan Sports Hall of Fame for his lifetime contribution to local sports. The Board extended its deepest condolences to the Horning family.

### Five-year Financial Plan bylaw

The Regional Board has adopted the 2023-2027 Financial Plan bylaw. It totals almost \$61.5-million for operations in 2023, which includes over \$13.2-million in debt with the Municipal Finance Authority on behalf of local governments and the Okanagan Regional Library. The tax impact for the average property owner varies depending on location and services received from the regional district.

### **Electoral area Directors 2023 conferences**

The Regional Board approved the attendance and expenses of Central Okanagan East Director Kevin Kraft and Central Okanagan West Director Wayne Carson for six local government conferences in 2023 including the Southern Interior Local Government Association, Union of BC Municipalities and Federation of Canadian Municipalities annual meetings.

### **Regional Board meetings**

Regional District office – 1450 KLO Road, Kelowna (Woodhaven Boardroom)

- Thursday, April 13 8:30 a.m. Committee of the Whole
- Thursday, April 20 6 p.m.

A live stream video link will be available for each meeting in the Upcoming Meeting agenda section of rdco.com/agenda. When available, a link to the Video recording will be posted in the Past Meetings section for the individual meeting date.

### **Planning Applications**

The Regional Board considered the following planning applications:

- Agricultural Land Commission (ALC)
  Referral Application #65674 (RDCO file A22-04) The Regional Board supports and
  will forward an application to the ALC to
  subdivide the property at 5705 Upper Booth
  Road into two lots that are bisected by the
  road.
- Supports discharging a covenant for Lot 4, Lakeshore Road (RDCO file DP-22-30, Peter Schrocksnadel, owner) restricting the location of a septic field on the property. With environmental reports and support from Interior Health, the applicant proposes locating the septic field on the property, further from Okanagan Lake.
- Approved Development Variance Permit application VP-22-10 for 6730 Marbella Loop (Rose Cunningham, owner) to allow an increase in the length of an exterior stairway that is permitted to project into a side yard setback on the property.

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### Regional Hospital District budget bylaw

The Central Okanagan Regional Hospital District (CORHD) Board has adopted the 2023-2027 Financial Plan bylaw. The 2023 budget proposes the CORHD provide \$36.7-million for its share in funding new and previously approved capital equipment and projects requested by Interior Health. Among the significant new funding requests for this year: additional costs for Endovascular treatment equipment and additional acute care beds at Kelowna General. In 2023, the average Central Okanagan household will contribute \$19.09 for every \$100,000 of assessed value toward valuable capital and health equipment in the region. That's \$1.98 (9%) less than in 2022.

# **Holiday Office Closures**



The REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL OKANAGAN

### WILL BE CLOSED

Friday, April 7 and Monday, April 10

Online payments may be Our OFFICE WILL RE-OPEN to serve you made at rdco.com/payments at 8 a.m. on TUESDAY, April 11

Regular curbside garbage and recycling collection will continue for those normally receiving Friday or Monday pick-up. The Westside Residential Waste Disposal and Recycling Centre will be open its normal Friday - Monday hours for service. The North Westside Road transfer station will be closed Easter Sunday and open its regular hours on Saturday and holiday Monday. The Traders Cove transfer station will be open its regular winter hours on Saturday and Sunday April 9-10.

# Peachland



For one day only, free of charge you can drop off your:

- Glass bottles and jars
- Styrofoam packaging (white or coloured)
- Plastic bags and overwrap
- Other flexible plastic packaging
- Flectronics

\*Household/residential recycling only

Staff will be on hand to answer all your questions on recycling

For more info visit rdco.com/recycle or call the Regional Waste Reduction Office at 250.469.6250











### Join us for the 10<sup>th</sup> annual National Canadian Film Day

In partnership with Kelowna Community Resources, we'll be screening Canadian film, *The Grizzlies*, directed by Miranda de Pencier.

Based on an inspiring true story this powerful film highlights the determination and resilience of a group of Inuit youth struggling with the legacy of colonization. Rated: PG

The movie will start at 6 p.m. Light snacks and drinks provided





Wednesday, April 19 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Ellison Heritage **Community Hall** 4411 Old Vernon Rd, Kelowna, BC

FREE

Register by email: joyce@kcr.ca

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