

Highlights of the Regional Board meeting – June 10, 2021

Joe Rich quarry referral application

The Regional Board will advise the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Low Carbon Innovation that it does not support a proposed quarry application in the Joe Rich area. The application was referred to the RDCO along with other agencies by the Ministry which will make any final decision on the proposal for a 28.4-hectare property along Highway 33 owned by Joe Rich Properties Ltd. The Board resolution also provides its reasons to the Ministry for not supporting the application including concerns about the impact on traffic and highway safety, environment and habitat protection, water supply, slope stability and geotechnical issues and dust and noise from the proposed operation, all supporting the concerns raised by area residents and other referral agencies including the Black Mountain Irrigation District.

Public Engagement Process supported

The Regional Board has approved a Public Engagement Policy and endorsed a framework to guide public consultations. The policy is designed on international best practices and will assist in guiding opportunities for public participation, problem solving and decision making with the RDCO. This work will see a full framework and online engagement portal launched later this year.

Financial Plan amendment

The Regional Board approved an amendment to the 2021-2025 Financial Plan. It will see reserves used to increase the budget to \$410,000 from the originally budgeted \$280,000 for replacing a pressure reducing valve in the Westshore water system.

Regional Board meetings

Regional District office – 1450 KLO Road, Kelowna (Woodhaven Boardroom) – No public attendance allowed with health orders on public gatherings

- **Monday, June 28** – 7 p.m.
- **Thursday, July 8** – 8:30 a.m. following Governance & Services Committee meeting

Live/Recorded meeting video

When a meeting begins, a Live Stream Video link will be available for that meeting in the Upcoming Meeting agenda section of the rdco.com website. When available, a link to the Video recording will be posted in the Past Meetings section for the individual meeting date. Links at rdco.com/agenda

Battle of the Backyard Games



Meet new people outside!

Join us on the lawn for friendly competition and socially distanced backyard games:

- Bocce
- Croquet
- Badminton
- Horseshoes

All ages welcome and singles encouraged! Spaces are limited and registration is required.

Every Wednesday
through July

FREE

6 to 8 p.m.

**Bertram Creek
Regional Park**

Register online to secure your
spot each week:
rdco.com/parksevents

New Hours Effective July 1



Effective July 1 the North Westside Transfer Station has new hours of operation

Monday, Wednesday and Sunday
8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

NEW Saturday
8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Closed Easter Sunday, December 25 and 26, and January 1

Residential waste, recycling and yard waste only

New Hours Effective July 1



Effective July 1 the Traders Cove Transfer Station & Recycling Depot has new hours of operation

Summer Hours (Victoria Day to Labour Day)

Wednesday 6:30 to 11:30 a.m.

NEW Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Sunday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Closed December 25 and January 1

Residential waste, recycling and yard waste only

The Board Report is published monthly after each regular meeting of the Board of the Regional District of Central Okanagan.
The Regional Board meets twice a month in regular session in the Woodhaven Boardroom at the Regional District office, 1450 KLO Road.
The public is welcome to attend.

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