



Highlights from the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District (ACRD) Board of Directors Meetings - June 2024

JUNE 12 & 26 MEETINGS

ACRD EMERGENCY PROGRAM

The ACRD Emergency Program Executive Committee Terms of Reference were amended to include the CAO for the City of Port Alberni and CAO for the ACRD as committee members.

WEST COAST TRANSIT

A schedule change was approved for West Coast Transit to address the gap in midday services as well as a change in transit rate to include a discounted rate for Seniors.

BUILDING ENERGY EFFICIENCY ASSESSMENT

The Board of Directors gave their support for the grant funding application to the Local Government Infrastructure Planning Grant Program for the Building Energy Efficiency Assessment for 7 ACRD buildings.

Priority in the following order:

1. ACRD 5th Ave Administrative Building
2. Beaver Creek Fire Hall
3. Harold Bishop Fire Hall
4. Sproat Lake Fire Department - Lakeshore Fire Hall
5. East Bamfield Fire Hall
6. Bamfield Community Parks - Eileen Scott Centennial Park Building
7. Long Beach Airport Terminal Building.

UNION OF BC MUNICIPALITIES (UBCM) CONVENTION

Directors will be requesting meetings with Ministers at the upcoming UBCM Convention in September to discuss the following topics: Emergency Evacuation and Transportation Routes, Drought, and Inclusive Governance.

DEVELOPMENT VARIANCE APPLICATION DVA24002

Development Variance Application DVA24002 for a property in Haggard Cove was deferred to allow staff to meet with residents and applicants.

TOFINO GENERAL HOSPITAL

The Regional Hospital District Board approved the reallocation of funds from the Tofino General Hospital Admitting Triage Project to Tofino General Hospital Crisis Quiet Room project, as requested by Island Health.

ADVISORY PLANNING COMMISSIONS

The Board of Directors appointed the following individuals to the Advisory Planning Commissions (APC) for two-year terms:

Bamfield APC - John Mass, Kevin McAughtrie, Glenn Ballman, Brian McKay, Stella Wenstob, Tom Campbell, and James Willock

Beaufort APC - George Haack, Steve King, Lisa Aylard, and Graham Tate

Long Beach APC - Scott MacDonald, Carol Sedgwick, Jamie Pleune, Terry Graff, and Julie Edwards

Sproat Lake APC - Walter Konkin, Roberta Jensen, Ken Watts, Harley Wiley, Joann Bessler, and Mark Molander

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ADVISORY PLANNING COMMISSIONS CONTINUED

Beaver Creek APC - Christy Arsenault, and Brad Jasken
Cherry Creek APC - Lynn Krupek, Denis Francoeur, and Lars Banke

NOTICE ON TITLE

Notice on Title will be registered for a building contravention on 5661 Strick Road.

LOG TRAIN TRAIL

The Board of Directors gave their support to apply to the Local Government Infrastructure Planning Grant Program for a Condition Assessment of the bridges on the Regional Parks Log Train Trail.

2023 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The ACRD 2023 Statement of Financial Information, including all statements and schedules, was approved.

ACRD ACCESSIBILITY PLAN

The ACRD Accessibility Plan was adopted and the next step will be to move forward with Action Planning.

CONTRACTS & AGREEMENTS:

- Food Security Emergency Planning Consulting Services contract awarded to Upland Agricultural Consulting Ltd.
- South Long Beach and Sproat Lake OCP Updates Consulting Services contract awarded to Urban Systems
- Water Tender Fire Apparatus contract awarded to HUB Fire Engines and Equipment Ltd.

LEASES:

- Dan Harrison for lease lot LS-L2024009 at Tofino-Long Beach Airport effective July 1, 2024-July 1, 2027

PERMITS:

To be considered at a future meeting, subject to notifying neighbouring properties:

- Temporary Use Permits: TUP24005 (Long Beach), TUP24002 (Sproat Lake)

Issued:

- Development Variance Application: DVE24003 (Beaver Creek), DVD22003 (Sproat Lake)
- Temporary Use Permits: TUP23006 (Sproat Lake), TUP24001 (Beaver Creek), TUP21002R (Cherry Creek)

REZONING AND BYLAWS:

- Rezoning Applications: Bylaws 1475, 1476, and 1483 (RF22013 - Cherry Creek) were adopted, Bylaws 1498 and 1499 had their 1st readings (RD23017 - Sproat Lake), Bylaw 1481 was considered a first time (RE23002 - Beaver Creek), Bylaw P1488, had three readings (RA23004 - Bamfield)
- Bylaw P1500, Zoning Bylaw Text Amendment for Small Scale Multi Unit Housing - Secondary Suites was adopted
- Bylaw P1496 and P1497 were adopted (former Land Use Contracts)
- Bylaw No. F1167, 2024, Security Issuing Bylaw was adopted for the District of Tofino borrowing for their wastewater treatment plant.

LETTERS OF SUPPORT:

- BC Parks to rename Maquinna Park to Nismaaqkin Park
- Regional District of Nanaimo for the Legislative Reform Initiative.

The next meetings of the ACRD Board of Directors take place on July 24 and August 28.