



District of Lantzville Community Update

**Stage 1 Water Restrictions, Property Tax Notices,
Proposed Urban Food Garden Bylaw,
District Office Closure and
Parks & Recreation Commission Vacancies**

May 2011

Stage 1 Water Restrictions – May 1, 2011

Annually in May, the District begins implementing its water restrictions. Effective Sunday, May 1, 2011, the District will be on Stage 1, as follows:

- Properties with an **odd house number** may water on **odd numbered days** within permitted hours.
- Properties with an **even house number** may water on **even numbered days** within permitted hours.
- Watering is restricted to a **maximum of 3 hours per designated day**.

On your designated watering day you are permitted to water between the hours of 6:00 am to 10:00 am or 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

Property Tax Notices

Property tax notices will be mailed the third week in May and will include information regarding payment options, Home Owner Grants and deferment programs. If you do not receive your tax notice by the beginning of June, please contact the District Office. Property taxes are due at the District Office by 4:00 pm on July 4, 2011.

Proposed Urban Food Garden Bylaw

Public Information Meetings were held on April 27 and 30. The next step will be that Council, at its Regular Meeting to be held Monday, May 9, will receive a report from staff providing the results of the input received at the Public Information Meetings. At that time Council may direct staff to make any amendments to the proposed bylaw as a result of that information. Staff would then make the changes to the proposed bylaw and bring it back to Council for consideration of second reading and scheduling of a Public Hearing.

District Office Closure

The District Office will be closed
Monday, May 23 for Victoria Day.
We will re-open on Tuesday, May 24 at 8:00 am

Parks and Recreation Commission

1 Vacancy – Commission Member - The District of Lantzville is accepting applications to fill a vacancy on the Parks and Recreation Commission for a 3-year term. The Parks and Recreation Commission is responsible for making recommendations to Council on parks and recreation functions for the District of Lantzville, including Minetown Day planning. The position requires energy and, on occasion, a willingness to undertake work outside of regular meetings.

3-4 Vacancies – Beach Sub-Committee - The Beach Sub-Committee has been created to make recommendations to the Commission in developing and implementing waterfront strategies in the coming years. There is a time commitment of approximately 3 hours per month for the following: meeting(s), workshop(s), field monitoring, research, site restoration or any combination of these.

Persons interested in volunteering their time to serve on the Parks & Recreation Commission or the Beach Sub-Committee are invited to submit letters of interest to the District Office including any pertinent information that may assist Council in making an appointment **no later than Friday, May 13, 2011 at 12:00 p.m.** Further information for these positions is available on the District's website or at the District Office.