



Board Newsletter

Issue Date: September 22, 2016

Location: Dawson Creek

Delegations

National Energy Board (NEB)

Brian Martin, Regional Director and Wayne Marshall, Technical Leader for Compliance presented on Active Projects under NEB jurisdiction in the region.

First Nations Negotiations and Agreement Development Process

Representatives from BC Hydro, the Ministry of Aboriginal Relations and Reconciliation, the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations provided an update and information regarding the Halfway River First Nations G2G Agreement and the Site C Tripartite Land Agreements.

South Peace Comprehensive Development Plan Review

The Board will participate in a review and update of the plan with the City of Dawson Creek, the Village of Pouce Coupe and the Agricultural Land Commission to update the 2017 plan.

ALR Applications

The Board authorised that the McLean ALR application proceed to the Agricultural Land Commission as it is consistent with the OCP.

Temporary Use Permit (TUP)

The Regional Board authorized the issuance of Temporary Use Permit No. 161/2016 to Tarla Brewster, for a 3 year term, for the purpose of processing gravel with crushing hours limited to 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. and for the operation of a pipe laydown yard.

Report Poachers and Polluters

The Report All Poachers and Polluters (RAPP) hotline should be used to report wildlife-human interactions where public safety may be at risk.



Solid Waste

- Staff will prepare a report outlining resources spent on the Transfer Station Open Houses.
- a) Staff will provide residents an opportunity to forward comments or questions on the Environmental Services web page, with respect to solid waste.
b) An in-depth customer satisfaction survey will be conducted every five years.
- Staff will prepare a report outlining options with respect to implementing "seasonal" hours of operation at the Chetwynd, Bessborough and North Peace Regional landfills and the Dawson Creek Transfer Station.
- a) The Board acknowledged and affirmed that it is the Province who is ultimately the regulator responsible for enforcement, education and clean-up of illegally dumped items.
b) The Regional District will use its communication methods to promote the Ministry of Environment's RAPP (Report all Poachers and Polluters) telephone number and website.
- a) The Waste Reduction Promotion and Education contract will be extended to December 31, 2016, at its current rate.
b) Staff will prepare a report outlining different scenarios, in-house versus contracting out, for the provision of the education and outreach program component of the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan

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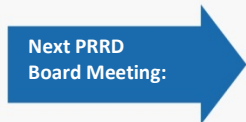
Thank you to all who completed the PRRD Communications Survey last month. The winner of the tablet was Genelle Lockhart from Chetwynd.

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