



# Board Newsletter

Meeting Date: May 25, 2017

Location: Dawson Creek

## Guidelines for review of large industrial dugouts

The Regional Board approved the "Guidelines for Review of Large Industrial Dugouts and Borrow Pits on ALR Lands".

## Statement of Financial Information

The Board approved the Statement of Financial Information. The statement can be viewed at <http://prrd.bc.ca/services/finance/statement-of-financial-information/>

## Solid Waste

- Staff will bring forward a report about the municipal solid waste agreements to the Solid Waste committee, that will include:
  - how and when rates are reviewed
  - consistency of rates
  - how the solid waste agreements were established with municipalities
  - a comparison between Tumbler Ridge and Hudson's Hope transfer station current operations of operating a Tier 1 Transfer Station
- Peter Schriber, Manager Business Development and Stakeholder Relations, Pacific Northern Gas will be invited to attend a Regional Board meeting in July or August, to provide information on landfill gas options, including financial details.
- The Tier 1 Transfer Station proposed for the Groundbirch area will be changed to a Tier 2 Transfer Station, and an additional Tier 2 Transfer Station location, in Electoral Area 'E', will be determined at a later date.
- A pilot project will be initiated at the Doig/Milligan/Osborn Transfer Station to implement 24/7 access via a man gate once surveillance equipment is installed at the site.

## Agricultural Land Commission

The Peace River Regional District Board authorized the Frank Bueckert, Andrew Reimer and Eggers applications to be forwarded to the ALC. The Fell application was not

forwarded at this time, pending a public meeting regarding the project.

## Parks

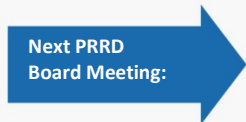
- The Regional Board will not move forward with examining the feasibility of a park on the south bank of the Peace River given that the District of Chetwynd has decided to move forward with examining the feasibility of such on their own and no longer requests the assistance of the Regional District.
- The Regional Board directed staff to bring forward options to revisit the feasibility and design plans for the Peace Lookout, starting by contacting FLNRO.
- A letter will be forwarded to the Comptroller of Water Rights to request that the decision regarding the requirement for BC Hydro (Site C) to replace the boat launch at or near Blackfoot Park be revisited, explaining the current situation and include various options for the boat launch.
- The Regional Board authorized staff to develop a public engagement strategy to seek the public's opinion on the possibility of closing Minaker River Park and returning the lands to the Crown.

## Electoral Area B Potable Water Referendum Information Meetings **All meeting begin at 7pm**

MEETING DATES & LOCATIONS	
Date	Location
May 29	Pink Mountain at Buffalo Inn
May 31	Osborn Hall
June 7	Rose Prairie Community Hall
June 8	Buick Creek Community Hall
June 9	Prespatou School
June 12	Clearview School
June 13	Wonowon Hall
June 14	Halfway Graham Community Hall
June 15	Cecil Lake Community Hall
June 19	Montney Community Hall
June 20	Upper Cache
June 22	Charlie Lake Community Hall

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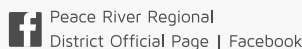
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