

District of Lantzville Community Update

Season's Greetings, Fire Rescue, Curbside Collection, Traffic Notes Upcoming Meetings, Council Update, Bylaw Reminders & 2015 Council Meeting Schedule

December 2014

Season's Greetings!

The District Office will be closed Wednesday, December 24, 2014 to Sunday, January 4, 2015, inclusive. Regular office hours (8:00 am – 4:00 pm) will resume on Monday, January 5, 2015.

Lantzville Fire Rescue

Purchase a Lantzville Volunteer Fire Rescue 2015 calendar (includes a blackout buddy light) for \$20 at the District Office or from a volunteer firefighter. Proceeds support local fire safety programs and special events.

Is your house number visible? It helps us when responding to an emergency if your house number is reflective or illuminated, not blocked by vegetation, and is located at the end of your driveway or, if on your house, is in a contrasting colour. Drive by your house in both directions: can you easily read your house number?

A message from your Curbside Collection

team: Lantzville residents are great recyclers – every two weeks our trucks collect around six tonnes of material set out at the curbside in Lantzville. In May of this year, recycling regulations changed which meant some adjustments to what is accepted at the curb. New accepted items include Tetra Paks (soups, sauces etc.), empty aerosol cans (air fresheners, deodorants, whipped cream etc.), plastic clamshells, plastic garden/plant pots and seedling trays to name just a few. However, items like glass containers, plastic bags (and plastic wrap) and Styrofoam packaging are not accepted at the curb. There are options to take those items to local drop-off depots. If you'd like information on depot locations and a refresher on what is accepted in your curbside recycling, please visit www.recycling2014.ca. Don't forget, your green bin is for cooked and uncooked food scraps, and food soiled paper packaging. Things like dog waste and plastic bags don't go in the green bin!

Thanks for your participation in our curbside collection program. Watch for the new 2015 Waste Collection Schedule coming in your mail soon!

Mayor's Office Hours

Mayor Haime is available to meet with residents on: **Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 11:00 am**

If you wish to make an appointment, please contact the District Office at 250,390,4006

Upcoming Meetings

Monday, December 1 – Inaugural Council @ 7:00 pm Village Commercial Core Improvement Plan Public Information Meetings – January 20, 2015 @ 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm and 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm at the District Office. Each session begins with a formal presentation followed by a Q&A. (7:00 pm is a repeat of the 3:00 pm session) 2015 Council Meeting Schedule – see reverse page For more information:

- visit <u>www.lantzville.ca</u> and click on the calendar to access agenda, agenda package, and minutes; and
- visit the District Office to view the agenda binder which is available the Friday before the meeting.

Council Update - In November, Council:

- adopted Municipal Asset Management Policy No.6000-4;
- issued a development variance permit for a carport/ workshop at 8116 Northwind Drive;
- approved the Village Commercial Core Improvement Plan and referred it to a public information meeting;
- adopted Financial Plan Bylaw No. 107, 2014, Amendment Bylaw No. 107.1, 2014; and
- adopted Council Size Reduction Bylaw No. 110, 2014 (effective October 2018 election).

Bylaw Reminders

Parking When It Snows – In preparation for winter weather, the District's Public Works Department reminds you to park off the road when it is snowing, to allow ploughs and emergency vehicles space to pass. Don't abandon your car if it gets stuck. This will allow our snow removal crew to provide better service to our neighbourhoods. Thank you!

FOOD WASTE, GARBAGE AND RECYCLING SCHEDULE CHANGE REMINDER

Your regular collection day changes when there is a statutory holiday. Therefore, after the garbage and food waste collection on Monday, December 22nd, collection resumes on Wednesday, December 31st with recycling and food waste pick-up, followed by garbage and food waste collection on Thursday, January 8, 2015, and continues on Thursdays until the next statutory holiday.

Council and Staff wish you all the joys of the holiday season: the warmth of home, the love of family, and the laughter of good friends.





District of Lantzville **2015 Council Meeting Schedule**

Date		Time	Subject	Location
January	12	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office, 7192 Lantzville Road
	19	7:00 pm	Committee of the Whole (Financial Plan)	District Office
	26	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
February	16	5:00 pm	Committee of the Whole (Financial Plan)	District Office
	16	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	23	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
March	2	7:00 pm	Committee of the Whole (Financial Plan)	District Office
	9	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	23	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	30	7:00 pm	Committee of the Whole (Financial Plan)	District Office
April	13	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	27	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
May	11	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	25	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
June	8	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	22	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
July	13	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	27	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
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September	14	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	28	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
October	19	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	26	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
November	9	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
	23	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
December	14	7:00 pm	Regular Meeting	District Office
Sched	ule is s	ubject to chan	ige – View the calendar at <u>www.lantzville.ca</u> , or c	ontact the District Office to confirm.

By the Friday before each Monday Council meeting, a copy of the agenda cover is posted on the Public Notice Board outside of the District Office and the complete agenda package is posted at www.lantzville.ca (access by selecting the meeting date on the calendar) and is also available for viewing in a binder at the District Office front counter.

Questions regarding Council or committee meetings? Contact the Director of Corporate Administration at trudy@lantzville.ca or 250.390.4006.

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