



District of Lantzville Community Update

**Chipsealing of Gravel Roads, Volunteer Recognition,
Board of Variance Vacancies & General Information**

June 2012

June Council Meetings @ 7:00 p.m.

Monday, June 11 - Regular Council Meeting

Monday, June 25 - Regular Council Meeting

Chipsealing of Gravel Roads

We are pleased to advise that Council has approved the chipsealing of gravel roads in the District. This work will begin in August of this year. We thank residents in advance for their cooperation during times when construction may affect them – the District will do its best to accommodate residents.

REMINDER: PROPERTY TAXES

**Property taxes are due at the
District Office by 4:00 pm on
Tuesday, July 3, 2012.**

If you have not received your tax notice,
please contact the District Office.

Volunteer Recognition

Council of the District of Lantzville wishes to acknowledge the dedicated volunteers that sit on the Parks and Recreation Commission. Current members of the Commission are: Chairperson Denise Haime; Members John Dunn, John English, Ted Gullison, John Halliwell, Harriet Rueggeberg, and Brenda Savage. Councillor Andrew Mostad is the Alternate Chair appointed by Council. The Commission meets on a monthly basis on the fourth Thursday of the month and meetings are held in the District Office, commencing at 4:30 p.m.

The District of Lantzville Parks and Recreation Commission is responsible for making recommendations to Council on parks and recreation functions for the District of Lantzville. The Commission consists of 7 members - a Chairperson who is an appointed member of Council and 6 members at large who are also appointed by Council. The Commission is currently working on implementing some of the trails identified in the Trails and Journeyways Strategy and construction of some trails on District rights of way as already begun.

Board of Variance Vacancies

The District of Lantzville is accepting applications to fill 3 vacancies on the Board of Variance for a 3 year term ending July 2015. **Deadline for submission is 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2012.**

The Board of Variance is a quasi-judicial body independent of the municipal Council. The Board's purpose is to decide, upon application from a property owner, whether a building/structure can be built/altered when it would be an "undue hardship" for the property owner to comply with municipal bylaws in specific "minor" ways.

The Board meets as needed and 3 appeals have been heard by the Board since 2009. A copy of "Lantzville Board of Variance Bylaw No. 2003-10" which outlines the Board's structure, duties and responsibilities is available at the District office or on our website at www.lantzville.ca.

How to Apply

If you are interested in serving on the Board of Variance, please submit a written expression of interest, specifying your background in any of the following areas. This will assist Council in making an appointment.

- Previous experience as a member of a Board of Variance
- Experience on a local government council, board, commission or other body
- Experience with other volunteer boards, commissions or committees
- Experience and credentials in a planning, design or related profession
- Experience and credentials in a building or design trade
- Any other related experience, education or comments

Persons interested in volunteering their time to serve on the Board are invited to submit expressions of interest to the undersigned, listing your related experience to:

**District of Lantzville Board of Variance
Attention: Donna Smith**

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