

City Currents

COMMUNITY UPDATE JUNE 6, 2018



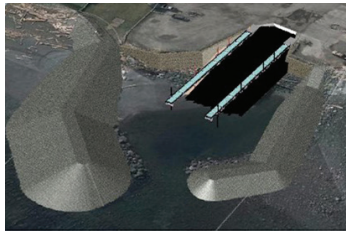
COMING SOON: BIG ROCK BOAT RAMP UPGRADES

Construction is set to start in June on a raised/improved breakwater, installation of floating dock system and repaired ramp.

The Big Rock Boat Ramp Upgrades will:

- Provide much-needed upgrades to a popular community amenity
- Start with Phase 1 (in-water) improvements from mid June to October 2018.
- Set the stage for Phase 2, including upgrades to the parking lot/park and entrance, proposed for construction in 2020 along with highway upgrades to minimize disruption.
- Be constructed in the summer due to regulations by the Department of Fisheries and Oceans, which limits the period when construction can be done in-water.
- Cost \$2.1 million in total, funded by the Community Works Fund Reserve (Federal Gas Tax funding) rather than local property taxation.

Want to learn more – including more about alternative boat ramp options to use this summer?



Visit www.campbellriver.ca/bigrockboatramp

2018 PROPERTY TAX NOTICES MAILED

Have you recently purchased property or not yet received your 2018 Property Tax Notice? Please call the City's Finance Department at 250-286-5715 to arrange for a duplicate if you have not received your notice by June 8.

Online access – it's easy. Get easy access to all your property tax account information, including current balance and transactions on the City's website through **MyCity (click on Accounts on the home page)**. To register you will need your property folio number and Access code, which are shown on the front of your Tax Notice.

Methods of payment:

1. In person at City Hall between 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday (except Monday, July 3 – closed for Canada Day).

By debit card, as long as transaction limits permit full payment.

By cheque (drop box available outside City Hall for cheques and/or Home Owner Grant applications).

Start pre-paying 2019 property taxes by registering in the PAWS program (pre-authorized withdrawal system).

Sorry, credit cards are not accepted to pay property taxes.

2. In person at most financial institutions.

3. Through online banking through your financial institution.

Remember to claim the Home Owner Grant!

Eligible homeowners should apply for their Home Owner Grant as soon as possible in person, or online at www.campbellriver.ca (click on **Home Owner Grant & Payments**). Banks and other financial institutions are not able to claim a grant on your behalf.

Payment of taxes is not a requirement to claim the Home Owner Grant.

FINAL DATE FOR PROPERTY TAX PAYMENT and TO CLAIM HOME OWNER GRANT, WITHOUT BEING SUBJECT TO A 10 PER CENT LATE PAYMENT PENALTY, IS JULY 3, 2018.