



JULY BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Landfill Annual Reports

The 2020 Annual Reports for the Foothills Boulevard Regional Landfill and the Mackenzie Regional Landfill were received. Highlights from Foothills Boulevard Regional Landfill's 2020 operating year include:

- a total of 121,856 tonnes of material were managed at the facility
- 48,071 tonnes of material received were diverted through recycling onsite use as cover material
- approximately 73,785 tonnes of waste were buried at the facility from January 1 to December 31
- out of the 73,785 tonnes of waste buried at the facility, approximately 1,950 tonnes of waste were received from Mackenzie Regional Transfer Station
- 7,478 tonnes of yard and garden waste were received, and a total volume of composted material sold was 7,363 cubic meters
- annual groundwater monitoring efforts continued with two separate sampling events and overall, sampling results were relatively consistent with previous years
- based on the Volume and Site Life Assessment, the estimated lifespan of cell #1 will extend beyond 2027

Public Safety and Emergency Management Update

The Public Safety and Emergency Management Committee received an update on current wildfire in BC and around our region, and the activities the Regional District is undertaking to support our neighboring local governments and our communities should we be directly impacted by wildfire.

Facilities Upgrades to Canoe Valley and Robson Valley Recreation Centres

The Regional District is moving ahead with the capital project to replace the chiller systems at both the Canoe Valley Recreation Centre and the Robson Valley Recreation Centre. This improvement will replace aging systems with modern technology and improve safety for staff and users, as well as result in reduced energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions.

Funding for this project is through the Shared Cost Agreements with the Government of Canada and the Province of BC as the result of successful Rural and Northern Communities Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program grant applications and the Northern Capital and Planning Grant.

Community Grants

The Board approved the following requests for Community and Recreation Grants:

- \$359 to Salmon Valley Community Association for concession supplies and fireworks (*postponed until fire ban lifted*)
- \$4,995 to Pineview Recreation Commission for Sunfrolics event expenses
- \$1,100 to Penny Community Historical Association for insurance, maintenance and fire extinguishers
- \$1,300 to Robson Valley Community Services for Mindfulness Kids Camp expenses

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