



**CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL DISTRICT
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
MARCH 2014 REPORT**

TO: Darla Blake, CAO
CC: Board Chair Reginald Moody and Board Members
DATE: April 10, 2014
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SUBJECT: Public Works Monthly Report

**PUBLIC WORKS FUNCTIONS AND SERVICES
MARCH 2014 HIGHLIGHTS**

THORSEN CREEK WASTE AND RECYCLING CENTRE (TCWRC)

1. CCRD Public Works Manager continues efforts to secure an increase in the Solid Waste Management Fee Agreement with Nuxalk Nation.
2. Planning continues for start-up of MMBC recycling initiative. A Business Continuity Plan (BCP) was developed and submitted to MMBC.
3. Site planning for upgrading of recycling facilities is underway.
4. Kynoch Resources was engaged on an hourly rate direct award contract to provide Professional Biologist services and assist with an environmental assessment of proposed expansion areas at the Thorsen Creek Waste and Recycling Center. These expansion areas are related to potential siting of an improved recycling facility and expansion of the landfill footprint.
5. A topographic survey and of the site is planned for April. Survey work and subsequent terrain modelling is to be completed internally.

RECREATION FACILITIES

- **Walker Island & Snootli Parks:** Plans are underway for installation of a new surface well to replace the well damaged in the flood of 2010.

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- **Snootli Skating Rink:** Repairs to the electrical shed will be undertaken in April. The main gate will be locked for the spring, summer and fall months.
- **Centennial Pool:** Repairs and minor upgrades to the bathroom stalls were completed. See Pool Commission Minutes for additional information.

BELLA COOLA TOWNSITE WATER SYSTEM

- Plans for surveying of infrastructure are underway.

BELLA COOLA AIRPORT

Further project design work and budgeting was completed on the west end clearing project. A random selection process was used to select a falling contractor from our list of registered contractors, for phase 1 of the project. The falling work will take place during April 2014. The successful contractor will be identified in April's Public Works Report following signing of contract documents.

STRATEGIC PUBLIC WORKS INITIATIVES

DENNY ISLAND / SHEARWATER WATER SYSTEM

A request for letters of support for the water system project was sent out to a variety of interested parties. As of March 28th, 2014 only SD#49 and Vancouver Coastal Health have responded.

Respectfully submitted,



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