



Village of Lytton Update

February 17, 2022

NEW DATE FOR BUILDING BYLAW FEEDBACK

On February 16, the Village of Lytton held a virtual Open House to provide information and answer questions from residents and community members Building Bylaws 710 and 711.

NEW DATE FOR SUBMISSION: If you have any questions or feedback regarding Building Bylaws 710 and 711, please email building@lytton.ca by 12 p.m. on March 4, 2022.

The recording is available on the Village's Youtube channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4UyQ-hHZG9o>.

The presentation slides are available here: <https://lytton.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/VOL-Building-Bylaws-Open-House-Presentation-V2.pdf>.

The public can review the new bylaws available in the Feb. 9 Council agenda package (pages 18-111): <https://lytton.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/2022-02-09-Regular-Council-Agenda-Package.pdf>

SAVE THE DATE: COMMUNITY MEETING – FEBRUARY 24

The Village of Lytton is hosting another Community Meeting on Thursday, February 24th, 2022, to discuss what's next in the Community Recovery Planning process. All Lytton residents, business owners and community members are encouraged to attend the virtual meeting to get the latest information from the Village's Recovery Team, provide feedback and get answers to your questions.

Residents are asked to submit their questions in advance to communication@lytton.ca by Wednesday, February 23. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions live or through the chat during the meeting.

PROVINCIAL FUNDING FOR VILLAGE OF LYTTON RECOVERY

On February 10, the Province announced that the Village of Lytton will be receiving a total of \$8.3 million in funding to support ongoing Village operations and recovery. The Province is providing the Village of Lytton with \$6.26 million immediately to assist with wildfire response and recovery costs. Of that, \$1.3 million has been identified for debris removal in the Village. An additional \$2.1 million in funding will be provided to support three years of the Village's core operating costs. Read the Province's news release here: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2022MUNI0007-00019>.

BRITISH COLUMBIA COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS EASING

British Columbia has announced that the provincial health officer is easing COVID-19 restrictions. As of February 15, there are no longer restrictions on personal gatherings, organized gatherings and events, nightclubs, bars and restaurants, exercise and fitness, and adult sport tournaments. Capacity limits have returned to normal. Indoor mask requirements, proof of vaccination and COVID-19 safety plans are still in place. To learn more about COVID-19 restrictions, visit <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/covid-19/info/restrictions>.

WILDFIRE DEBRIS REMOVAL PROGRAM

The Canadian Red Cross and Emergency Management BC have agreed to fund a Wildfire Disaster Debris Removal Program within the Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD) including the Village of Lytton. Property owners impacted from the 2021 wildfires needing assistance with debris removal should contact the Village of Lytton to register for the program. Learn more at <https://lytton.ca/recovery/wildfire-debris-removal-program/>.

CANADIAN RED CROSS PERSONALIZED RECOVERY SUPPORT

The Canadian Red Cross is meeting with people impacted by the 2021 B.C. wildfires to understand your unique needs and support you in your recovery journey. There are a variety of supports available to you and we will work with you individually to determine how we can best help you. Learn more at https://lytton.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/2021-BC-Fires_Recovery-Support-Process_-1.pdf.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR UNMET NEEDS COMMITTEE

The Village of Lytton Unmet Needs Committee (UNC) was formed by Council at the December 1, 2021, Council Meeting. The purpose of the Committee is to advise and make recommendations to the Council on issues pertaining to unmet needs during the rebuild and recovery of the Village of Lytton. Residents and community members interested in volunteering for the Committee are asked to email cao@lytton.ca **on or before February 18, 2022**.

MORE INFORMATION

Contact communication@lytton.ca or 778-254-5004 if you have any additional questions or concerns. The Village of Lytton staff's contact information is listed on the website at <https://lytton.ca/government/contact-us/>.