



Village of Lytton Update

March 10, 2022

Council Highlights - Mar 9

Council authorized the Mayor and Corporate Officer to execute the Core Operations Funding Agreement for \$2.1 million between the Village of Lytton and Ministry of Municipal Affairs.

The Mount Cheam Lions Charitable Society based in Chilliwack presented a donation of \$51,000 to support fire operations in the Village. The Village of Zeballos, a community of 116, donated \$200 towards the rebuild fund.

Council appointed Jack Keough of Yellowhead Community Services Society a project lead for Housing Development. Keough will lead the strategic planning of housing development for the rebuild of the Village.

B.A. Blackwell and Associates Ltd. will complete a Community Wildfire Protection and Recovery Plan. The funding for this work has been provided from the Institute for Catastrophic Loss Reduction.

As the Village rebuilds, bylaws and policies are being developed. Council adopted policies for travel expenses, working alone as well as the Council/Administration Protocol.

View the recording of the March 9 Council meeting: <https://youtu.be/xZ6IFPPiKr0>

Call for candidates for Spring 2022 By-Election

The call is out to fill vacancies on the Village of Lytton Council. Nominations for the 2020 Spring By-Election are accepted from March 15 to March 25. Request a candidate packages by emailing corporate@lytton.ca. Voting day is April 30. <https://lytton.ca/government/2022-lytton-by-election>

Wildfire debris removal update

Debris removal from municipal properties began this week. See more at: <https://lytton.ca/recovery/wildfire-debris-removal-program/>

Property owners without insurance or who do not have sufficient insurance must complete the Right of Entry Permit to provide the Village and contractors permission to enter and coordinate clean-up of their property. For residents with adequate property insurance, your insurance company will hire a contractor to provide the debris removal services.

<https://lytton.ca/recovery/wildfire-debris-removal-program/#entry>

Mobile Library visiting Lytton

The Regional District Mobile Library will stop at the Kumsheen ShchEma-meet School in Lytton on Thursday March 17 from 2 pm to 3:30 pm.

Community Meeting

March 24 is the next Community Meeting.

Lytton 2022 Budget

Public input into the 2022 Budget will begin March 24. A live Zoom chat is planned for March 31 from 6 pm to 8 pm for public input.

<https://lytton.ca/government/finance>

Resiliency Centre

The Resiliency Centre is open Monday to Friday from 10 am to 4 pm. Community Future is offering use of a computer and printer to print, copy or scan T4s and other tax documents. On Tuesdays, staff from the Aboriginal Skills and Employment Training Strategy will be at the centre. The next Red Cross visit is the week of March 21.

Consulting Hive support for small business

Services of the Consulting Hive are free for use until March 31. Call 1-877-724-1241 or visit <https://theconsultinghive.ca>. Tap into this vast network of British Columbia-based business consultants.

For 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>.