



#### **MARCH BOARD CALENDAR**

- **RDN Special Board Meeting** 10 a.m.
- 9 RDN Electoral Area Services Committee Meeting 1 p.m.
- Nanaimo Regional Hospital District Board Meeting 11 a.m.
- RDN Board Meeting 1 p.m.
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All Board, Electoral Area Services Committee and Hospital District Board meetings take place in the Board Chambers at 6300 Hammond Bay Road. Nanaimo and are also webstreamed.

www.rdn.bc.ca/agendas-minutes-videos

#### WATER TO EARTH MONTH

Come celebrate World Water Day and Earth Day with us during a month-long celebration from March 22 to April 22! This year's themes are 'Accelerating Change' with a focus on partnerships cooperation and 'Invest in our Planet'. Activities focused on protecting water and our natural environment will be offered in communities across our region.

Join us and community partners for a streamside walk, interactive workshop, watershed tour or bioblitz or do some work in your own backyard! For a full list of events and activities and to enter our online contest for some great prizes, visit <a href="https://www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/team-watersmart">www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/team-watersmart</a>



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#### **CURBSIDE COLLECTION SERVICES**

Access the What Goes Where recycling online tool by downloading the free smartphone app, 'RDN Curbside' on your Apple or Android device by scanning the QR code.



www.rdn.bc.ca/curbside

#### **OCEANSIDE SERVICES COMMITTEE**

The next Oceanside Services Committee meeting is:

March 2 at 1:30 p.m.

Parksville Council Chambers

100 Jensen Ave E, Parksville

The meeting will also be webstreamed. For more information, visit www.rdn. bc.ca/recreation-and-parks-advisory-committees

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#### PARKS & OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The next Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee meetings are:

EA H: Bowser, Qualicum Bay, Deep Bay March 1 at 7 p.m.

Lighthouse Community Centre 240 Lions Way, Qualicum Beach

EA E: Nanoose Bay March 8 at 6:30 p.m. Nanoose Place 2925 NW Bay Rd. Nanoose Bay

Both meetings will also be webstreamed. For more information, visit www.rdn.bc.ca/recreation-and-parks-advisory-committees

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#### **VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS NEEDED**

The Coombs-Hilliers Volunteer Fire Department is looking for volunteer firefighters to join their team! Volunteer firefighters help ensure our community receives the help they need when they need it most. Area residents interested in learning more can visit www.rdn.bc.ca/coombs-hilliers-fire, call 250-752-2144 or email chvfd@rdn.bc.ca. Deadline to apply is April 30, 2023.





www.rdn.bc.ca/coombs-hilliers-fire

#### **RECREATION**

Registration for spring programs is open and registration is ongoing. Registration for summer programs will open on May 9. Visit www. rdn.bc.ca/recreation

Be the first to receive the online Active Living Guide to your inbox by subscribing to the REC Connect page at <a href="https://www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/rec-connect">www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/rec-connect</a>

Participate in the Spring Break Play Passport and enter to win a private swim rental at Ravensong Aquatic Centre. Download a passport on REC Connect at <a href="https://www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/rec-connect">www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/rec-connect</a>



www.rdn.bc.ca/recreation

#### **WATERMAIN FLUSHING - NANOOSE BAY**

Fairwinds (Golf Course vicinity)	March 6 - 10
Arbutus (Garry Oak Subdivision)	March 13 - 15
West Bay Estates (Red Gap Area)	March 15 - 17
Nanoose Bay (Beachcomber & Delanice Way)	March 27 - 31
Nanoose Bay (Dolphin Drive)	March 24 - 30
Madrona (Madrona Point & Wall Beach)	April 3 - 6

The RDN will be flushing (cleaning) watermains in all RDN Water Service Areas as part of the annual watermain maintenance program. Customers should expect the following between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on the dates listed above:

- · Temporary disruption of service
- · Intermittent drops in water pressure
- · Discolouration of water.

During the flushing, and for a short time when service is resumed, the water may be discoloured. This discolouration is due to disturbed deposits in the pipes and is not harmful. Please do laundry only in the evenings or on the weekend and ensure that you have sufficient water for the day. The RDN is not responsible for any damages resulting from the use of discoloured water.

For more information, contact RDN Regional & Community Utilities at 250-390-6560 or rcu@rdn.bc.ca

www.rdn.bc.ca/watersmart-communities

### **EXPLORE ON TRANSIT**

# **Explore**

## from Nanaimo to Cowichan Valley on the 70 NCX!



**Downtown Nanaimo** 

Transfer Routes: 1,5,6,7,20,20A, 25,30,40,50,78





Ladysmith

Transfer Routes: 31,34,36



**Cowichan Commons** 

Transfer Routes: 2,3,7X,36



**Village Green Mall** 

Transfer Routes: 2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,36,44,66



Canada Ave at Beverly

Transfer Routes: 3,7X,36





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