

DISTRICT OF PORT EDWARD NEWSLETTER QUARTERLY

Message From The Mayor



I hope this message finds you all well.

Port Edward is on the cusp of exciting development in the coming years. We have finally staffed all municipal positions with the addition of Tyson Schofield as the new CAO. We now have a great team dedicated to making Port Edward move forward.

This is a pivotal year for the future as municipal elections are scheduled for October 17th. I urge everyone to get out and vote for the candidates of your choice.

As you are aware the road work being conducted on Boundary Road, Evergreen Drive, and Alder Avenue is progressing and the contractor has committed to having work completed by October 15th or sooner. Other work is planned to enhance the boat ramp area, including general beautification and clean-up of the adjacent property. The District is also reviewing potential opportunities related to the Tenerife dock, including improvements that could support marine access and additional moorage in Port Edward.

Council continues to review opportunities to improve budgeting and procurement processes for municipal projects, with a focus on effective planning, cost management, and minimizing impacts on residents where possible. We have received inquiries regarding properties that may be suitable for commercial and industrial development and continue to explore opportunities that may support future economic development in the community.

Council will be attending the annual UBCM in mid-September and have arranged meetings with key Ministers to move our agenda ahead with our strategic plan.

U P C O M I N G D A T E S

Council Meetings

Council Meetings to be held at 7PM in Council Chambers the following dates:

- August 11
- September 08
- September 22

Municipal Election

Nomination Period Opens:

- September 01 - 9AM

Nomination Period Closes

- September 11 - 4PM

Candidate Declaration

- September 11

Candidate withdrawal Deadline

- September 18 - 4PM

Advanced Voting Day

- October 7 - 8AM to 8PM

General Voting Day

- October 17 - 8AM to 8PM

Tax Sale

Tax Sale to be held in the Council Chambers:

- September 28 - 10AM

Thank You!

A heartfelt thank you to our generous sponsors, dedicated volunteers, talented performers, vendors, food trucks, and everyone who attended the 60th Anniversary Celebration.

Your support, enthusiasm, and community spirit made this milestone celebration truly unforgettable!

Thought for the day:

"A person who never made a mistake never tried anything new."

Albert Einstein

DISTRICT OF PORT EDWARD

2026 Municipal Election

Thinking about serving your community?

Now is the time to consider running for Mayor or Councillor in the District of Port Edward!

Election information is now available on our website, including important dates, nomination information, and candidate resources.

Learn more:

<https://www.portedward.ca/election>

📌 Election notices have been posted, and Nomination Packages are now available for pick up at the District Office for anyone interested in running for Mayor or Council.

Serving on Council is a rewarding opportunity to help shape the future of Port Edward and make a positive difference in our community.



Bylaws:

The District of Port Edward has recently updated several bylaws to enhance community safety, clarify regulations, and improve enforcement. Key changes include:

- **Traffic Bylaw:** Unhitched trailers are no longer permitted on District roadways and must be stored on private property.
- **Animal Control Bylaw:** Unaltered (unspayed or unneutered) cats must be kept indoors or under supervision when outdoors to promote responsible pet ownership and reduce stray cat populations.
- **Municipal Ticket Information Bylaw:** Updated to reflect current bylaws and provide clearer enforcement provisions and fines.

PAYMENTS Going Digital

Managing your municipal accounts has never been easier. Residents can now pay utility bills and property taxes online by credit card through the District's new Citizen Service Cloud.

The online portal also allows you to view utility and property tax information, request property tax certificates, access applications and forms, and manage your accounts from the comfort of your home.

Visit www.portedward.ca for step-by-step registration instructions and discover the growing number of online services available. We're making municipal services more convenient, accessible, and efficient for everyone in Port Edward.

Road & Storm Sewer Rehabilitation Project

The District of Port Edward is pleased to announce that the 2026 Roads and Storm Sewer Rehabilitation Project is underway. This important infrastructure project will improve sections of Boundary Drive and Evergreen Drive through road and storm sewer upgrades, helping ensure safer travel and more reliable drainage for years to come.

Construction is expected to continue through October 15, 2026. During this time, residents may experience temporary impacts to property access, parking, and local traffic. Please follow all posted signage and directions from traffic control personnel. Emergency access will be maintained throughout the project.

The District thanks residents, businesses, and motorists for their patience and cooperation as these important infrastructure improvements are completed. This project is funded through the Northwest BC Resource Benefits Alliance (RBA), supporting long-term investments in our community's infrastructure.



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What's New?

We're excited to announce a **Community Bulletin Board** now located inside the Post Office at 775 Oceanview Drive — right behind the Community Hall and District Office.

This board is a space for residents, organizations, and local businesses to:



- ◆ Share upcoming events
- ◆ Promote local services
- ◆ Post important community updates
- ◆ Highlight opportunities or initiatives

District updates and notices will also be posted here, so be sure to check the board regularly!



Sudoku

Back By Popular Demand!

Test your logic skills! Fill each row, column, and 3×3 box with the numbers 1–9. No number may be repeated.

Annual Tax Sale September 28, 2026

The District of Port Edward reminds property owners that unpaid property taxes may result in a property being included in the Annual Tax Sale, in accordance with the Local Government Act.

Tax Sale Details:

- Date: Monday, September 28, 2026
- Time: 10:00 AM
- Location: Council Chambers

Important Information:

- Delinquent property taxes, penalties, and interest must be paid in full before the tax sale to avoid your property being offered for public auction.
- Properties with outstanding delinquent taxes may be sold by public auction if payment is not received by the required deadline.
- Property owners have a one-year redemption period following the tax sale to redeem their property by paying the required amounts plus interest.
- If you have questions about your property tax account, please contact the District Office as soon as possible. Staff are available to discuss your account and assist you before the tax sale date.

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STAY INFORMED

Registration is quick and easy. Residents are encouraged to sign up online to ensure they receive critical information when it matters most.

**Sign Up
Today**



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