



THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF SLOCAN

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MAY 2010 NEWSLETTER

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday to Thursday from 9:00am
to 4:00pm
(Closed from 12 noon to 1:00pm
for lunch)
Closed on Fridays & Holidays.

2010 Council Meeting Schedule:

June 14	October 18
July 12	November 8
August 9	December 13
September 13	

Council meetings are held on the second
MONDAY of each month.

Springer Creek RV Park & Campground

NOW OPEN!
(250) 355-2266
springr@telus.net

Clean-Up Week

Thank you to those who participated in Slocan's annual Clean-Up Week. Taking two weeks to clean up, there were 130.95 cubic meters of waste and several appliances that went to the transfer station, costing \$2,257.13.

Unightly Premises

We all want Slocan to be the best it can be, and a tidy home, yard and neighbourhood helps us put our best foot forward. Unfortunately, not everyone works to the same level. The Village wishes to remind residents to keep your property and adjoining boulevard/lane from becoming unsightly.

PROPERTY TAX NOTICES

As you all know, property tax notices for 2010 have been mailed out. Please visit the Village Office if you have any questions or concerns about your tax notice. The due date for payment is **MONDAY, JULY 5TH, 2010 by 4:00 PM** as the Office is not open Friday, July 2nd.

POTHOLES:

Our Public Works crew were off to a late start patching potholes this season due to the asphalt plant being broken down at Selkirk Paving. We have since received a load of asphalt and the crew have been working hard trying to patch some of the larger potholes.

Thank You

To the Slocan Gardening Club for generously donating \$700.06 to the Village. The funds will be spent on trees and a bench for the Slocan Cemetery.

Clean-Up of Slocan Viewpoint

A big thank you to the approximate 25 participants who on May 15th gave up a beautiful Saturday morning to help clean up garbage from below the Hwy 6 lookout just North of Slocan. Risking life and limb on the perilous slope, in under three hours our intrepid volunteers hauled out over three truckloads of garbage! Some items retrieved included large tables, chairs, mattresses, and car parts. Just a reminder that ravines are NOT for dumping!

Visit www.slocancity.com for Council Meeting minutes, bylaws, and current events.

Recent Vandalism:

In the early hours on May 1st, 2010 someone put an explosive device into one of the toilets and completely destroyed it, making a considerable mess in the RV Park washroom. The RCMP investigated and found remnants of an explosive.

The Public Works crew are still working on repairing the damage done during the last spree of vandalism. The mural at the logger sports booth is a bit of a problem, as they cannot remove the graffiti without damaging the artwork. An artist with an air brush will need to be located, to touch up the spray painted areas.

DOGS: If you have a complaint about a vicious dog and you wish to report it, please call the RCMP in New Denver at 250-358-2222. Please keep pets are on a leash or within the confines of your yard. Council are aware that dogs are becoming problematic within the Village and are doing their best to create a solution.



DO YOU KNOW WHERE YOUR PROPERTY LINE IS?

Before building on your property or erecting a fence, please be sure to check where your property line is.