



2020 Tolls

Ratepayers will notice that the 2019 Tolls increased 5%. To cover the costs of supplying water this is necessary, so the District can operate and maintain the system. Tolls cover such things as electricity to pump water, water sample lab analysis, staff wages, repairs and maintenance, government mandated audits and insurance.

Main Line Flushing

System flushing of the water lines and fire hydrants will occur April 14 thru to April 30. This is required so we can continue to maintain the supply of safe high-quality water. There should be no interruption of water supply. During a period of several days, there may be a taste and smell of chlorine in the water. The treated water will disinfect your water lines so the BFWD can ensure the freshest water possible.

Notice of Annual General Meeting

Date: Tuesday April 21, 2020

Time: 7:00

Location: Montrose Community Hall Basement
490 9th Ave Montrose BC

Presentation of Financial Statements & Annual Reports
Landowners in the District are encouraged to attend to ask questions, comment on activities and inspect the Financial statements. We look forward to seeing you there.
There will be two (2) Trustee positions available to fill a 3-year term. Anyone interested in running for the position of Trustee must submit a completed nomination form to the Beaver Falls Waterworks District by 1:00 pm on Tuesday April 7, 2020. Nomination forms are available at the Beaver Falls Waterworks District office during regular business hours (Tuesdays 9am-1 pm). Forms are also available by email or on our website. If you have any questions, please contact us at 250-367-0255 or by email at beaverfallswaterworks@gmail.com.

Water Quality

The District's drinking water comes from underground aquifers and is untreated. BFWD takes water samples from designated sites within the District and send them for regular testing of Total Coliform and E Coli. Any adverse results are reported directly by the laboratory to Interior Health as well as the BFWD. The testing results have shown that our water is good and within the requirements set out by the Canadian Drinking Water Quality Act.

Sign up for Alerts

We encourage residents to sign up for alerts to receive notifications on water emergencies such as boil water advisories, waterline breaks or restrictions via email or text message on our website
www.beaverfallswaterworksdistrict.myruralwater.com

Call Before You Dig

Call before you dig to prevent accidents. BC One Call's toll-free number 1-800-474-6886 to request a utility locate when planting trees or digging on your property. Do not take chances; some utilities can be less than 6" deep.

Remember to Give Us A Call

If you are connecting, disconnecting your water line or installing irrigation systems, you **MUST** advise the Beaver Falls Waterworks as we will ensure our Certified Water Operator is present. This is for the safety of your drinking water.

Trustees

Ellen Vallie- Chair
Vicky Poulsen
Harold Walker
Jeff Papilion
Laurie Moore

Sprinkling Regulations (Bylaw No. 192)

Spring is coming and the BFWD would like to remind every one of the year-round water restrictions.

Odd numbered houses and business:

6am-10am & 6pm-10pm ONLY on Tuesday, Thursday & Saturdays; Underground Irrigation 12am-4am

Even numbered houses and businesses:

6am-10am & 6pm-10pm ONLY on Wednesday, Friday & Sunday; Underground Irrigation 12am-4am

THERE IS TO BE NO WATERING/SPRINKLING ON MONDAY

Any one not following the restrictions will be subject to a first warning, if a second warning is issued water will be shut off and a \$75 fee will apply to have it turned back on.

Payment Due on or before
April 1, 2020

Payment Options

- ◆ Email Transfer use your PID # as your password
- ◆ Cheque or Money Order
- ◆ Pay in person at Kootenay Savings Credit Union
- ◆ Members of Kootenay Savings can pay Online, by phone, or in person.

*Remember to always include your PID number when making payment. To avoid Penalties please allow sufficient time for your payment to reach us by the due date. Overdue accounts will be dealt with in accordance with District Bylaws.

If you would like e-billing please contact our office at 250-367-0255 or email us at beaverfallswaterworks@gmail.com

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesdays 9:00am to 1:00pm

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The District website has forms, as well as copies of prior year financial statements, meeting minutes, bylaws, policies, and water quality reports. For more info check out our Website at

www.beaverfallswaterworksdistrict.myruralwater.com