

The Pipeline

Issue #23

November 2010

New Water Tolls Effective January 2011

Water tolls for 2011 are being changed to better meet the goals of the DBID. Approximately ninety percent of the rate payers will see a reduction in their total bills for 2011 as compared to what they would have paid in 2010. The new tolls will be fairer for water users with minimal consumption and will better reflect the cost of delivery for our highest users, those that contribute to accelerating the aging of our infrastructure.

New Water Tolls Structure:

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| Base Rate: | \$33.00 | no consumption included |
| First 50 m3: | .50/m3 | |
| Next 50 m3: | .60/m3 | |
| Remaining consumption over 100 m3: | \$1.00/m3 | |

How much will your bills be?

- (a) Base Rate: this is charged to everyone regardless of consumption
- (b) First 50 cubic meters: (if your consumption is less than 50 enter actual amount)
- (c) Next 50 cubic meters: (if your consumption is less than 100 enter full consumption minus 50)
- (d) Any consumption over 100 cubic meters: (enter your full consumption minus 100)

Your consumption: cubic meters

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|---------------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|-----|
| Base Rate | | | \$33.00 | (a) |
| First 50 cubic meters | _____ | x \$.50/m3 = | \$ _____ | (b) |
| Next 50 cubic meters | _____ | x \$.60/m3 = | \$ _____ | (c) |
| Any consumption over 100 cubic meters | _____ | x \$1.00/m3 = | \$ _____ | (d) |
| Total bill: | | | <u> </u> | |

Please contact the office with any questions regarding the new rate structure

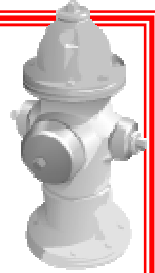
PAYMENT OPTIONS:

- ◆ Pre Authorized Payment (PAP) Plan - applications available from the office and on the website. PAP Plan is available for all financial institutions.
- ◆ On-line/Telephone banking - set up for most financial institutions (not available for RBC or TD)
- ◆ Cheque or Cash - in person at the office. Cheques can also be mailed - please do not mail cash.

Food drive will take place on Saturday, November 27th.

Deep Bay Fire Department members will be going door-to-door in our area collecting non-perishable food items. Food items will be donated to our local food bank at Wildwood Church. Any monies received will be donated to the Bowser Legion Ladies' Auxiliary for their Christmas hamper project.

DEEP BAY VOLUNTEER FIRE/RESCUE DEPARTMENT



NEEDED: A FEW GOOD PEOPLE WITH THE RIGHT STUFF*

Have you ever thought of joining the fire department? Are you afraid you don't have what it takes like time, or training?

Time: 2 hours every Monday evening (7-9) for practice, occasional training courses, and whatever callouts you can make. You will carry a pager.

Training: There are many different jobs and training is provided. You will find the ones best suited to you.

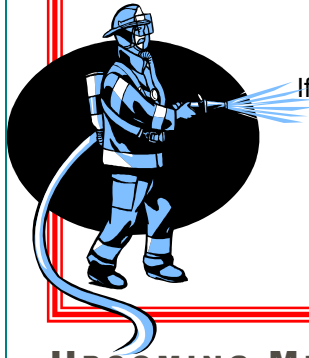
Jobs: firefighting, auto extrication (Jaws of Life), first responder first aid, equipment operation and maintenance, administration, emergency traffic control, and so on, and so on, and.....

Candidates should be adults who live in our service area (Gainsberg and Jamieson areas) and who have good basic health.

Oh, and prepare to have fun and be part of a great team!

If you might be interested please phone 250-757-2030 and leave a message. We will get back to you and you can decide if this is something for you!

***The right stuff = a desire to contribute to community!**



UPCOMING MEETINGS:

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

DECEMBER 15, 2010

JANUARY 19, 2011

LOCATION: 5031 MOUNTAINVIEW ROAD (DEEP BAY FIRE HALL)

TIME: 7:00 PM

Regular board meetings are held the 3rd Wednesday of each month unless otherwise noted. Meeting dates can be confirmed at the office and on the website.

CONTACT US:

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Assessment Notices:

Enclosed in this mailing is your 2011 Assessment Notice. This notice tells you how your property is classified as per the DBID bylaws. Classifications determine rates for the annual Parcel and Fire Protection taxes.

2011 Parcel and Fire Protection Taxes:

These will be billed in January 2011 and due February 28, 2011. If you are going away over the winter, be sure to arrange payment to avoid late payment penalties.

There have been no increases to the Parcel and Fire Protection taxes for 2011.

Residential properties will pay \$118 for Parcel tax and \$244 for Fire Protection tax for a total of \$362.