



DBID PUBLIC OFFICE HOURS – TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY 9:00 – 12:00 PM

After Hours Water Emergencies: 250-218-8932

All other emergencies (INCLUDING SMOKE COMPLAINTS) dial 911

***Water conservation is everyone's responsibility,
especially during a drought. By conserving water,
you can help to protect our natural resources.***

Upcoming Meetings

Tuesday, April 15th – 7:00 pm Regular Board Meeting (*DBID Boardroom*)

Thursday, May 15th – 7:00 pm Annual General Meeting (*Lighthouse Community Centre*)

Tuesday, May 20th – 7:00 pm Regular Board Meeting (*DBID Boardroom*)

Regular Board Meetings are open to the public. To be added to the agenda as a delegation or petition please contact the office at least 4 business days prior to the meeting. The question period at the end of each regular meeting allows attendees to ask questions relating to any agenda item. Agendas are posted on the website 3 working days prior to meetings.

Refer to the DBID Facebook page, this is used to disseminate important information to the DBID community



Annual General Meeting - May 15th, 2025 – 7:00 pm

Lighthouse Community Centre, 240 Lions Way, Qualicum Bay

- ❖ **Presentation of 2024 Annual Report**
- ❖ **Auditors Report and Presentation of 2024 Financial Statements**
- ❖ **Approve the Trustee Honorarium for 2025**



PAYMENT OPTIONS

- ◆ **Pre Authorized Payment (PAP) Plan is available for all financial institutions.** See www.dbid.ca for applications.
- ◆ **On-line/Telephone banking** - set up for most financial institutions (not available for National Bank or RBC).
- ◆ **E-Transfer** – transfer to finance@dbid.ca
- ◆ **Cheque or Cash** – Pay at the office. Cheques can be mailed, barring postal disruptions.

Please remember to include your account number when using E-Transfer to ensure payment is applied to the correct account.

Water Use January through March 2025

Water consumption numbers for this invoice period:

6% of all households used no water

83% of all households used less than 50 m3

10% of all households used between 51 and 100 m3

1% of all households used over 101 m3

Emergency Contact Information

The office maintains an emergency contact **email list**. This confidential list is used strictly for advising and updating during emergencies (e.g. boil water advisories). To be included, please send your email contact info with your payment or send to: admin@dbid.ca

Thank you to those who have already responded.

Fire Department News – Call for Volunteers

The Deep Bay Fire Department is staffed entirely by volunteers. Our members receive extensive, regular training to ensure that their skills are kept current. Our responsibilities include firefighting, medical first response and extrication. Over half of our members are Government Certified Level 3 First Responders.

If there is a medical emergency, they will be first on the scene to stabilize the victim prior to an ambulance arriving. In our rural community this can make a big difference.

Please call or e-mail the Fire Department if you would like to join this amazing team!



DEEP BAY FIRE/RESCUE SOCIETY

The Deep Bay Fire/Rescue Society (DBFRS) is an independent entity and operates separately from the DBID and the Fire Department. The DBFRS is a non-profit society and a registered charity able to issue tax receipts for donations. All monies raised stay in the community and directly support the Deep Bay Volunteer Fire Department. DBFRS have donated a total of **\$232,670** since 2014! Well done everyone! Many thanks to all who support the DBFRS.

- Memberships - The Society needs to maintain a good level of members so anyone in the community who would like to purchase a \$10 membership would be appreciated. A reminder that we have hats and t-shirts also for sale.
- Reflective street signs are available for purchase, forms are available at the DBID office.
- The next Bottle Drive is scheduled for **September 6, 2025**. Please consider giving a hand!
- We have an account set up with the bottle depots so just reference phone number 250-757-9902 and your donation will go directly to the DBFRS fund! It's a win-win!
- We have applied to be Gate Ambassadors once again for Parksville Beachfest July 14 – August 17.

DBFRS AGM – May 21, 2025 – 7:00 pm at the DBID Boardroom.

Please call Barb at 250-757-9902 with any questions of if you would like to lend a hand.

DEEP BAY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

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