

2nd & 3rd Quarter Update

April 1 - September 30, 2024



PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

EA PLANNING

- **12** Development Permits
- **6** Development Variance Permits
- **5** Subdivision referrals
- **5** Provincial referrals with comments
- Zoning Amendment Bylaw to implement cannabis regulations (April)
- Area C OCP first reading (July)
- **1** Rezoning
- **2** Temporary Use Permits
- **5** ALC referrals
- **1** OCP Amendment



BUILDING INSPECTION



Building Permits

91 Applications Received

740 Inspections

BYLAW



- **67** New files
- **206** File reviews
- **191** Inspections
- Active Bylaw files:
 - **Q2** = 464 files
 - **Q3** = 455 files

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

- EM Plan & Hazard Report implemented
- Onboarded an ESS commercial accommodation supplier in Electoral Area A
- In-house capability to teach ICS300
- Taught ICS100 in partnership with BCWS
- **FireSmart**
 - **29** individual assessments
 - **3** neighbourhood assessments
 - **1** critical infrastructure assessment



HIGHLIGHTS



- New Agassiz Air Quality Monitoring Station came online July 9, 2024
- Construction of the North Cultus Wastewater Treatment Plant is 75% complete
- Cascade Lower Canyon Community Forest successfully logged behind Sunshine Valley
- Regional Growth Strategy: Fraser Valley Future 2050 adopted by FVRD Board
- FVRD recognized at UBCM with an Honourable Mention in Excellence in Governance

ADMINISTRATION



- **43** sets of agendas and minutes issued
- **25** committee/board meetings

46 FOI Requests

CORPORATE SERVICES

Information Technology (IT; GIS; Fire Dispatch)

- New cyber awareness training platform
- Replaced data centre hardware
- Coordinated replacement of document management system
- Draft mapping for Electoral Area C OCP + 2 community plans
- Geohazard reports to internal & public facing web maps
- Radio infrastructure maintenance + assessments



FINANCE

- Asset Management Strategy underway
- Transit transition to UMO
- **164** A/R Invoices processed
- **3746** A/P Invoices processed
- **13** Payroll cycles



HUMAN RESOURCES

36 Job Postings



COMMUNICATIONS

23,238 Followers
(On Facebook, X, Instagram, LinkedIn)

390 Facebook Posts



ENGINEERING & UTILITIES

- Lakeshore Dr. watermain & sewer upgrade completed
- North Bend sewer assessment completed
- Boston Bar leak detection Phase 1 + 1 leak repaired
- Water produced in all systems = 704,266 cubic meters
- Wastewater treated in all systems = 159,1989 cubic meters



REGIONAL SERVICES

PROTECTIVE SERVICES



- **643** total calls - FVRD Fire Depts.
- **257** impounded dogs
- **41** dog adoptions

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

- **4** air purifier workshops with **65** attendees
- **262** invasive weed sites treated
 - **200** invasive weed sites visited that had been previously treated appeared to have no new re-growth of invasive weeds
- **131** bags of tansy ragwort were collected from residents for disposal
- **30** onsite visits to multi-family residential buildings to review recycling system in place
- **201** hectares of mosquito breeding habitat required treatment compared to **982** hectares in 2023



PLANNING INITIATIVES

- Indigenous cultural awareness staff training
- Sts'ailes hosted the initial Community to Community meeting



PARKS & RECREATION

- Lake Errock parking lot improvements, beach enhancement, and new garbage receptacles
- Elbow Creek Community Trail 1 of 2 bridges installed to create a loop trail
- Vedder River Campground
 - 66 newly refurbished campsites
 - installed swing sets & created designated recreation area
 - new Wi-Fi system
 - west washroom complete renovation
- Trail improvements at Elk Mountain and Mt. Cheam
- Picnic shelters overhauled at Neilson, Island 22, Thompson, Cheam Lake Wetlands, and Cascade Falls
- **300** students attended interpretive programs at Cheam Lake Wetlands
- **447** drop-ins at Almer Carlson Pool
- **95%** filled adult swim lessons at aquatics centre
- **60** skaters per public skate sessions on average
- **16** participants per Aquafit sessions on average

