



CAO Report – October 11, 2022

Just a quick report today!

Staff from Works and Infrastructure and landscaping have been busy these last weeks closing off fall maintenance and finishing road work as we get ready for cooler temperatures to arrive. Work on the Centennial Trail along Peach Orchard Road is coming to fruition, and we expect that within the next week or so we can open the trail once again for the safe enjoyment of our residents. We will put out a Facebook post or two when the time comes, so folks are aware the restoration work is complete.

Corporate Services staff has been working hard to provide advanced voting and special voting sessions at the appointed locations.

As residents conduct their own fall preparations, we would like to remind people that our sanitary landfill produces Class A biosolid compost. This Class A designation means the product can be sold with no restrictions and it can be applied to lawns, flowers, shrubs and gardens. In fact, fall is the best time of year to use compost in your yard! It is available for purchase from the Summerland Landfill in either small batches that residents can load up themselves in their own containers or bags, or we can load trucks and trailers with our loader Monday-Friday from 9am to 2pm excluding 12pm to 1230pm when staff take their lunch. Also, this coming Saturday, a loader will be available from 9am to 2pm as an extra convenience for people doing their fall preparations this weekend.

Just a final note on fall preparations – our next unlimited yard waste collection will be the week of November 1 to November 4. During this week - on their regular curbside collection day - residents can place unlimited quantities of yard and garden waste at the curb for collection. We will be putting out a reminder with further details before the end of the month.

Respectfully submitted,

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