



## **Council News, January 26, 2015**

### **Logging**

Canfor, Jemi Fibre Corporation and the Ministry of Forests, Land and Natural Resource Operations attended the Committee of the Whole meeting. All three are involved in logging operations around Elkford and presented information on regulations, operations, monitoring and public consultations. Jemi Fibre reported that they will be replanting the harvested areas in 2016.

### **Wildcat Days Slo-Pitch Tournament Request**

Council approved the use of the tennis courts, hockey arena and ball fields for the Elkford Slo-Pitch League to host a slo-pitch tournament, beer garden and dance during Wildcat Days, June 26 – 29, 2015.

### **Volunteer Appreciation Event**

The District will be changing the date of the Volunteer Appreciation Event from the month of September to the month of April to coincide with the National Volunteer Appreciation Week. During the event, the Citizen of the Year will be announced and introduced.

### **Community Energy and Emissions Plan (CEEP)**

CEEP: QuickStart is a BC Hydro initiative assisting smaller communities within the BC Hydro service territory to develop their Community Energy and Emissions Plan. It supports local governments in achieving the Green House Gas reduction and energy conservation targets that they have set in their Official Community Plans. Council authorized the District's participation in the Program in partnership with the Community Energy Association and BC Hydro.

