



Council News, January 22, 2018

Venting Index in British Columbia

The District of Elkford would like to lobby the Province of B.C. to develop more venting indexes that would be representative of the venting conditions in all areas of British Columbia. A resolution on this topic will be brought to a regional meeting of elected officials for approval.

Community Emergency Preparedness Grant

Council supported the grant application for the Emergency Operations Centres (EOC) and Training Program to purchase a backup generator for the new District Office building that will also be used as the District's EOC location.

Bylaws

2018 – 2022 Five Year Financial Plan Bylaw No. 803, 2018

This bylaw will guide the District's budgeted activities for the year 2018 through to 2022. The budget includes proposed 5% increase for property taxes and water rates. The District conducted an Open House on January 17, 2018 at the Community Conference Centre to provide information to the public on the financial aspects of municipal activities contained within the budget. The bylaw includes approximately \$21 million of capital projects over the next 5 years provided future grant applications are successful. The new \$2.5 million District Office project is slated to break ground in 2018. The bylaw received its third reading.

All District bylaws and policies can be viewed on our website at www.elkford.ca .

