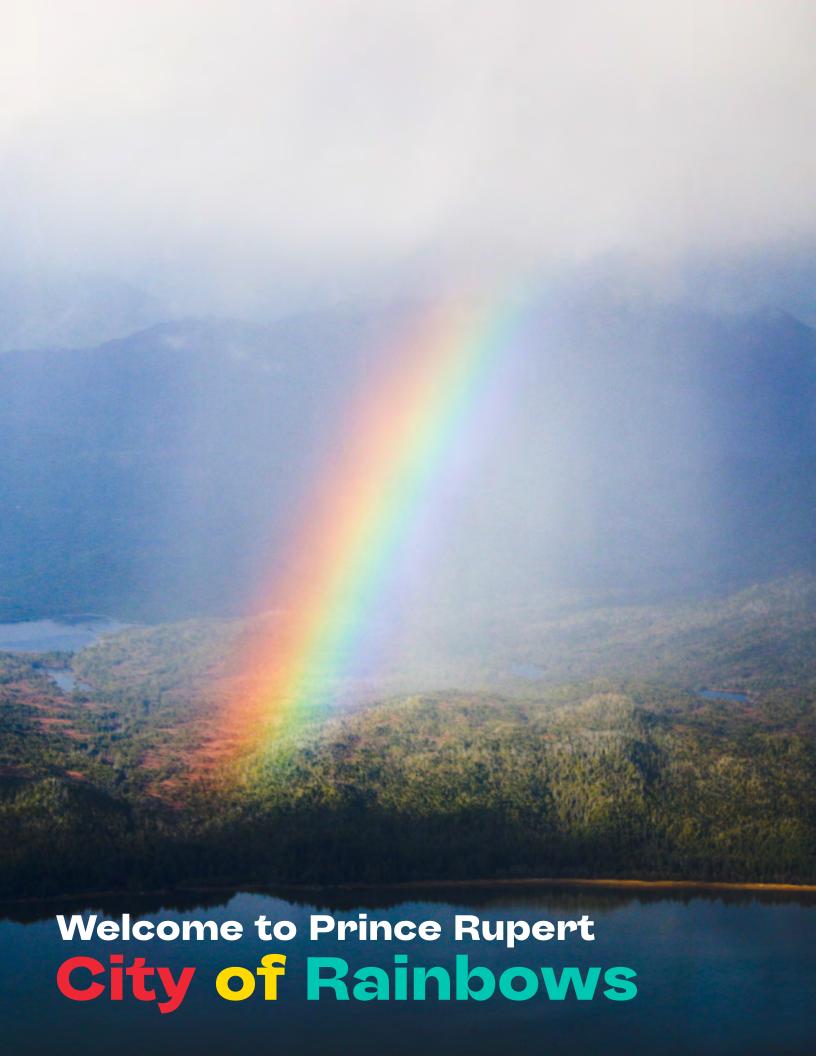
# 2021 Annual Report









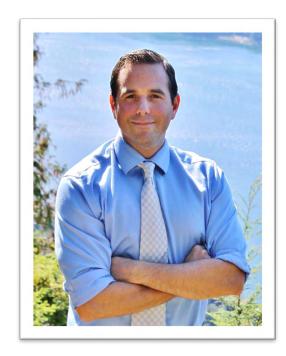
The City of Prince Rupert 2021
Annual Report has been prepared in compliance with the Community Charter. The purpose of the report is to provide the citizens of the community with financial and non-financial information regarding the operations of the Municipality during the calendar year.

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Dear Resident,

Over my two terms as Mayor, our team has been working hard to forge a new path forward for Prince Rupert.

Watson Island has been transformed from the City's biggest liability into now generating annual revenues. This has allowed us to increase investments in critical infrastructure. In addition, since 2015, the City has raised nearly \$50 million in grant funds. Among other things, this has allowed us to replace our 100 year old water dam, initiate steps to develop a new water treatment system, and construct a new landfill cell. We launched a long-overdue curbside recycling program, doubled the paving budget, and are finally moving forward with a new RCMP station rebuild



after more than a decade of delays. Furthermore, we are experimenting with an innovative solution for our wastewater treatment which, if successful, will save the City nearly \$100 million from original estimates.

Building off the ReDesign Rupert 2030 Vision process, we have modernized our Official Community Plan and Zoning Bylaw. We have created a suite of new tax incentives to spark the renewal of our downtown. And in addition to our partnerships that saw the Cow Bay Marina & Rushbrook Trail built, our public waterfront is being further revitalized with the new CN Heritage building & Seal Cove lagoon.

We also know housing is a critical priority and that our community needs upwards of 2000-3000 new housing units over the next decade to accommodate direct port and related growth. Following a new housing policy passed in 2021, we have recently legalized secondary suites throughout residential zones, and are working on permitting accessory dwelling units in some multi-family areas. We have put public lands for sale on the condition of housing being built. And the City has opened up lands for housing that could see new subdivisions built with hundreds of single-family homes.

While we can be proud of how far we have come as a community, we all know there's so much more to do. Although I am resigning my post this election, I'm confident in our community's direction moving Prince Rupert forward – into 2022 and beyond.

Thank you for all your support over the years. It has fueled us to do the heavy lifting required for this community to reach new heights.

In your service,

Mayor Lee Brain

Dear Residents,

It's a challenging, but exciting time to be taking on the task of City Manager for Prince Rupert. In 2020, I began my work with Prince Rupert in a different capacity—as a contracted City Planner completing a full overhaul of the community's land use regulations—the Official Community Plan and Zoning Bylaw. Through that process, I came to see the potential of the community, and was pleased to take on a new role as City Manager in the fall of 2021.

Staff and Council have been working hard to bring the city out of a decline that began decades ago, and Prince Rupert has begun to move into a place



where that work is paying dividends. In 2021, the City saw the near completion of the new dam, continued work on water treatment, a feasibility study on an innovative solution to sewage treatment, ground broken to revitalize the heritage rail station at the waterfront, and Council pass a new Revitalization Tax Exemption bylaw to encourage reinvestment downtown.

In the end of 2021, and into 2022, we have begun to initiate many of the housing and development objectives that were identified as part of the 2030 Vision process, and which have been emphasized by Council to be of utmost importance. Alongside this work, 2022 will see planning in Housing, Master Transportation and Parks—so that the City is in a place to reinvest in public spaces and assets.

We encourage you to read through this document to share in the successes of our community in 2021, and understand our objectives for 2022 and beyond.

Sincerely,

Robert Buchan City Manager

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2022 City Council Schedule January 10th Monday 24th Monday

April 11th Monday 25th Monday

<mark>July</mark> 25th Monday

October 3rd Monday 24th Monday February 7th Mondo

7th Monday 28th Monday

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9th Monday 30st Monday

August 22nd Monday

November 7th Monday 21st Monday March

14th Monday 28th Monday

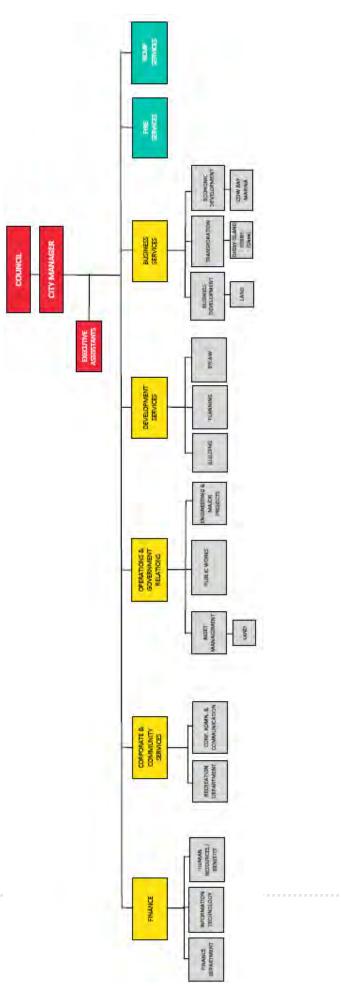
June

13th Monday 27th Monday

September 19th Monday

**December** 5th Monday

# Organizational Chart: City of Prince Rupert



The City of Prince Rupert has approximately 250 full and part time staff who perform a range of functions for our municipality. We pride ourselves on improving services in our community; we live here too!

If you have any feedback on the services you receive, please feel free to contact City Hall by:

**Phone:** (250) 627 1781

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**Regular Mail:** 424 3rd Avenue West Prince Rupert, BC V8J 1L7

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# Get to know us...

# Governance + Administration

In their roles as your Mayor and Council, our elected officials hear concerns and policy requests from the community, and participate in a number of committees relating to important local issues.

The City's Administration Department ensures the continuity of service provision throughout Prince Rupert, and implements policy at the direction of Mayor and Council. In addition, Administration staff prepare bylaws, develop and review contracts, communicate to the community, provide human resources support to all departments, and advocate for local needs with other levels of Government.

In addition, the Administration Department also oversaw bylaw enforcement for the City in 2021.

### Operations (Engineering + Public Works)

The primary role of the City's Operations department is to plan for and oversee the maintenance and renewal of our infrastructure including:

- The municipal roads and street network, including street lights, traffic signs, bridges, sidewalks and pathways
- The potable water supply and distribution system
- Liquid waste management
- Solid waste collection and disposal
- City parks and playgrounds
- The Fairview Cemetery

### **Budget + Finance**

The City of Prince Rupert's Finance department prepares and manages the City's budget and other financial matters, including support for City administration on policy matters, internal controls, contract negotiations, insurance and risk management. Finance staff also report to Council on any variances to the budget throughout the year, prepare financial reports, and oversee the preparation of the Annual Financial Report and Statements.

Want to know more about what the future holds? The City's Finance Department has developed a Financial Plan Document that addresses many of the details you may be looking for. This report is available online on the City's website or at City Hall.

# Recreation + Community Services

The Recreation and Community Services Department focuses on community health, wellness and maintaining an exceptional quality of life for all residents.

The Department provides recreation services throughout the community through field bookings, and at the Recreation Complex including the community pool, Fitness Centre, Arena, gymnasiums and more. In addition, the facilities offer a variety of meeting rooms and event spaces, which regularly hosts community sporting events, local craft fairs, Halloweenfest, and more.

#### Emergency, Police + Victim Services

The City's emergency services includes the City's Fire Department, RCMP and Victim Services. Each day, our community's first responders go to a variety of emergency and non emergency calls. Emergency 911 dispatch services are provided through the local Fire Department, which patches through calls for local fire, police and ambulance. In addition, emergency personnel provide a prevention-focused function — with programs like D.A.R.E, Fire Prevention Week, and domestic violence prevention programming through RCMP Victim Services.

Our local RCMP also provides Coastal Policing Unit servicing to area First Nations as well as the District of Port Edward and all rural areas from the Alaska border to Klemtu, including Highway 16 half way to Terrace.

### Planning, Building, + Development Services

The Planning and Development Services Departments at the City oversee building maintenance, building permits, land use applications (such as rezoning, variance, and, property information, and trade/business licenses), as well as the administration of cemetery services.

Alongside the work of our planning and development services staff are our building inspectors, who provide inspections to ensure that when work is done on the buildings where we live, work and play, it is done safely. Additionally, this Department looks after the care and maintenance of the City's various civic buildings.

# Economic Development

The City's Economic Development Office works to make Prince Rupert and the surrounding area the premier location for new business ventures. As the community's lead economic development agency, staff work with businesses to facilitate growth, expedite local, national and international business investment opportunities, collaborate with all levels of government and promote sustainable economic growth.

A primary focus of the Economic Development Office in recent years has been the redevelopment of Watson Island, but also administration of programs to support small business, including Love Prince Rupert and the Business Façade Improvement Program.

# Want to know more?

To contact our City
Departments and to learn
more about available
programs and services,
check out:

www.princerupert.ca





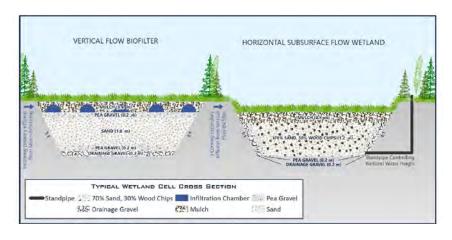
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# 2021 Accomplishments



# Design Works for an Innovative Sewer Treatment Program

The City is continuing to work with our partners in the Federal and Provincial governments to implement a sewage treatment plan that will bring us in line with Federal and Provincial environmental standards. Until recently, it was believed the options available for sewage treatment would require the City to twin all existing combined storm/ sewer lines and develop treatment plants. This is a significantly cost prohibitive option for a community of our size – and is anticipated to cost in excess of \$175 million.



To avoid this expense, the City completed work in 2021 to explore available options to treat sewage with a wetland system pilot project, which is an innovative and environmentally friendly approach to treating community wastewater used elsewhere in the world. In addition, this is a low maintenance approach that will reduce overall operating cost and capacity requirements for the future. The City will be completing design and construction in 2022-2023 to implement this technology on a small scale and determine if it is locally appropriate. This project will to replace the lift station behind Omineca Avenue, which services approximately 100 homes.



# Began construction works on the revitalization of the CN Building at the Waterfront



Refurbishment of the heritage rail building is now well underway

The CN Rail station is an iconic building and heritage site that reaches back in the City's history as the Grand Trunk railway terminus. The building has sat vacant and in disrepair on the waterfront for many years. Revitalization of the City's waterfront has long been a priority included in the City's Official Community Plan, and refurbishment of the CN station was also directly addressed in the Redesign Rupert public design consultation completed by the Planning Partnership in 2018, and in the 2030 Vision. Architectural designs and cost estimates for the building have now been completed, and the City has selected Wheelhouse Brewing as the commercial tenant. In 2021, the City's selected contractors for the project, Coast Tsimshian Northern Contractors Alliance, began work on the building upgrades.

# Prince Rupert at a Glance

65

development related permits issued

19,452 m<sup>2</sup> of roads repayed

New waste bins delivered to house-holds – 4,332 garbage and 4,328 recycling

\$418,985 average sale price of Prince Rupert home in 2021

building permits issued valuing \$27m+

61.3m of watermain replaced

Information presented provided by various City Departments based on services rendered in 2021.





# Ground broken on Seal Cove community space and Port's environmental rehabilitation project

At the 2030 Redesign Rupert Vision event at the end of 2019, the Prince Rupert Port Authority and City unveiled plans to develop a community space and rehabilitation project in Seal Cove. The project is a partnership with the PRPA that granted them permission to rehabilitate the area as part of their habitat restoration requirements attached to the development of the Ridley Rail Connector Road. Construction began in 2021, and the space officially opened in April of 2022. It includes a pathway and bridge circling the area, public picnic area, interpretive signage, and new fencing.



An opening event for the new space was held in the Spring of 2021



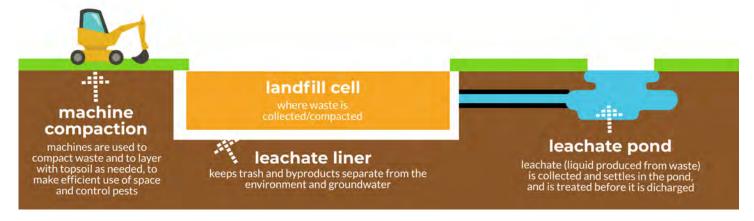
# Achieved 90% dam completion—dam slated for full completion in Spring of 2022

The replacement of the City's 100 year old dam has been a main priority of the City's Operations Department for the past few years, with the project continuing in 2021. The replacement of this asset is vital to securing the City's potable water supply for generations to come. Major excavation occurred in 2020, and pouring of concrete and dam construction started in 2021. The project is anticipated to be complete June of 2022. This will enable the City to return to our primary (higher elevation) water source at Woodworth lake.



# Landfill near Complete; Prepared for Launch of new Recycling Program, January 1st, 2022

The City was nearly complete the landfill project by the end of 2021, with some activities related to the closure of the original cell as well as repairs to a weather-related tear in the lining continuing into 2022. Given the expense of developing a new cell and to improve overall community sustainability, the City has launched a recycling program in early 2022 to divert recyclables from our landfill moving forward. New waste pick up bins as well as recycling information was delivered in 2021-2022, funded in part by Canada Community-Building Fund (formerly Federal Gas Tax Fund).





# Adopted a New Official Community Plan, Design Guidelines for Community Areas and Zoning Bylaw,

After public consultation processes that occurred over 2020-2021, both the OCP and Zoning Bylaws were passed by Council in 2021. Changes to the Zoning Bylaw include minor revisions such as the removal of the development permit guidelines (as these are now in the OCP) and establishing a more consistent format for each zone. Other changes occurred on subjects such as shipping container usage, home occupations, off-street parking, outdoor equipment/derelict vehicle storage, day care in commercial zones, student housing, and secondary suites. These changes responded to issues in the community and to changes in the OCP. Copies of the new bylaws can be found on princerupert.ca.



# Fire Department Training + Equipment Upgrades

Last year, alongside continued programming in fire prevention and emergency response calls, the City's Fire Department focused on improved capacity. Firefighters completed a number of training courses in 2021, including—Incident Scene Management, Confined Space Technician training; Officer I Certification training, Fire Service Instructor training, and Vehicle Extrication training. In addition, Pembina sponsored several firefighters to travel to RedWater for propane specific response training in 2021.

#### 2021 Response Stats

- 1521 emergency incidents
- 14 structure firés
- 3 marine fires
- **58** motor vehicle incidents
- 763 medical calls
- 11 automotive fires
- 7770 calls received by 911 dispatch
- \$5.9 million in fire damages for 2021



# RCMP Policing + Service Statistics

In 2021, the local RCMP continued efforts in enhancing road safety, targeting impaired drivers, having 719 traffic contacts, and 115 impaired driving investigations resulting in sanctions against 59 drivers. These numbers were hampered by various restrictions from the COVID 19 pandemic. The detachment continued to target prolific offenders through curfew checks, breach investigations and intelligence led investigations. The investigations led the seizure of illegal drugs and firearms, with the appropriate charges still being before the courts. The detachment worked closely with the Intensive Case Management Team to provide a joint response for persons experiencing a mental health crisis. On 85 occasions, a collaborative response was initiated and the person was provided the required support.

Police Based Victim Services received 654 referrals in 2021. The program created a Consent Project for Grade 9-12 students from CHSS and PCS, collaborating with local Indigenous artists to create a consent image in Smalgyax and English languages for posters, decals and bookmarks. They hosted national speaker, JR LaRose, to present the 'Be More Than a Bystander' presentation to 350 high schools students as well as an evening presentation for the community. They developed a Homelessness Project to provide basic needs and transportation options for the homeless population that are affected by crime and trauma connected to an RCMP file, and facilitated two Trauma Loss Support Groups (8 week long programs).

The RCMP is continues to be part of the Integrated Project Team designing the new RCMP Detachment and establishing the policing priorities for the City moving forward.



# Adopted Housing Actions with implementation of policy objectives starting in early 2022

In 2021, the City adopted a number of Housing Actions to use what municipal resources we can to address the severe housing issue in our community. Although housing primarily falls under Provincial jurisdiction, the City is acting on a number of policy and land use fronts to support growth in the housing market. These actions include selling serviced and prepared land for housing development, easing parking restrictions downtown to allow for densification, adoption of a 'renoviction' bylaw to complement Provincial regulations, reducing overall City development fees to incentivize growth, and seeking to amend zoning to allow secondary suites in duplexes. The full list of adopted Housing Actions is available here.





# Began Work on Eat Street and Downtown Public Washroom Project

In 2021, the City also broke ground on the Eat Street development—a public square space and designated location for local food trucks where the community can eat lunch, plan an event, or just relax with friends. Thanks to funding from the Federal Reaching Home Program and a partnership with Prince Rupert Aboriginal Community Services Society and Service Canada, the project also feature a 24/7 Urbaloo outdoor restroom facility to serve the square and the City's vulnerable population. This project began in 2021, and was completed in Winter of 2022.



### **Revitalization Tax Exemption Bylaw Passed**

With the intent to encourage redevelopment and investment in the downtown core, the City passed a Revitalization Tax Exemption Bylaw that waives development permit fees and provides a limited time tax exemption for building improvements over \$50,000 as well as new building construction. For full details of the Bylaw and to apply, go to our website at: <a href="mailto:princerupert.ca/business\_development/">princerupert.ca/business\_development/</a> revitalization\_tax\_exemption



# Continuation of work on City Brand with Local Ts'msyen Artist Russell Mather

Acting on one of the recommendations of the 2030 Vision, early in 2020, the City approved a contract for the development of a new corporate brand for the municipality. Following early feedback collection from a focus group of community stakeholders and City representatives, the project was paused due to COVID-19. Into 2021, the City continued it's rebranding effort, and brought in Ts'msyen artist Russell Mather to work with the selected design firm. The final launch of the updated City of Rainbows brand occurred March 1st, 2022. For more information, check out the City's video celebrating the new logo and accompanying designs.



# 2022 Objectives



# Strategic Priority Setting for New Council, Following Election in October of 2022

Election season is always a busy one at City Hall—with staff coordinating the intake of nomination and campaign reporting information from candidates as well as the logistics of coordinating voting for the municipal election itself.

Following the election of a new Council in October of 2022, one of the first orders of business after they are sworn in will be priority setting for their four year term of office. Strategic Priority setting enables Council to set clear direction for budgets and staff efforts.





# Final completion of work on the new cell at the local landfill + Curbside Recycling Launched

In 2022, the City is completing works to decommission the old landfill cell through capping, and fully transfer waste pick up to the new cell. The commissioning of the new cell and all associated environmental certifications are set to be completed in summer of 2022.

The launch of the recycling program, intended to extend the life of the new landfill cell and promote a more sustainable community, meanwhile experienced some delays. Delays were due to challenges with the new equipment, but once resolved, the program launched January 1st, 2022. For more information on the program, what can and cannot be recycled, and waste pick up schedules, **go to our** 



Dual Bay Garbage Trucks were ordered in 2020 and delivered in 2021 which is the equipment the City required o be able to initiate garbage/recycling pick up service.

website or download the Recycle Coach app on your smartphone, where you can also sign up for Garbage Day reminders.



#### Active Living Guide Moving to Online Format, Minor Facility Renovations at Rec Department

In 2022, the City's Recreation Department is looking forward to fully reopening programming and services to the community. The Rec Department is also moving our **Active Living Guide online to** allow for greater programming flexibility, and to reduce our overall environmental footprint. For those who prefer a printed copy, one will be available at our Customer Service desk for you to take home.

Plans are also in motion for 2022 to renovate the upstairs bathrooms in our Civic Centre facility so that they are made both wheelchair accessible and gender neutral. Scheduled upgrades to the brine headers in the arena will also be occurring, as well as designs/planning for an upgrade to the tot pool amenities, especially the slide and water feature. This improvement was delayed from previous years due to COVID.





# Final completion of the dam replacement, and continued engineering for a water treatment facility and submarine line

The City's new dam is slated to come online at the end of June, marking the completion of the second phase of the full overhaul of the community water system. The third phase is the replacement of the submarine water conveyance line, new barge landing to the water supply, and development of a water treatment facility that will implement multiple barriers of water treatment. This has been one of the most significant construction projects undertaken by the City in recent history—and this important asset will secure the community water supply for generations to come. Engineering and design for the water treatment facility is ongoing in 2022, with construction anticipated to start late 2022, early 2023.



# Continued advocacy for Northern revenue supports

One of our major pushes continues to be the signing of a permanent Resource Benefits Agreement for the Northwest—mirroring agreements found in Northeast BC and elsewhere. This would see a portion of Provincial tax collected from regional industry transferred to the communities that provide both the infrastructure and workers to regional industries. Payments under a grant award were made in 2019 and 2020, and we continue to advocate for this to be a recurring payment program to address the City's significant infrastructure deficit.



# Pass 'Renoviction' Bylaw, implement additional housing related policy + programming changes

The City adopted a Renoviction Bylaw in Spring of 2022 to work to limit the loss of rental housing in the community and ensure that there is a local mechanism to address substandard housing conditions. For information on the Bylaw, go to: <a href="mailto:princerupert.ca/rentallicensing">princerupert.ca/rentallicensing</a>

Additional policy changes are also being proposed/considered by Council this year, in line with the Housing Action Plan adopted in 2021. This includes a proposed amendment for Zoning to allow secondary suites in duplexes, the amending of parking restrictions for downtown residential densification, and the sale of multiple new large municipal properties specifically for housing development.



# Confirmation of Borrowing and Design Work towards the development of a new RCMP station

Completion of borrowing process for the RCMP station, as well as associated road closure processes are planned for 2022. To be in compliance with RCMP standards and our Policing Agreement, the City is seeking to borrow \$25 million in loan funds to fully support the development of a new RCMP detachment. Council initiated assent of the electors through the AAP process in May to authorize the loan—and more information can be found on our website on that process: <a href="mailto:princerupert.ca/city\_hall/city\_financials/loan\_authorizations">princerupert.ca/city\_hall/city\_financials/loan\_authorizations</a>

The loan is planned to be repaid over a 30 year period, and is estimated to increase taxes potentially by approximately 2% the year following the dispersal of funds. The tax increase will only be necessary IF all funds are required to complete the project. The City has been setting aside additional tax revenues since 2019 to reduce the future impact of loan repayment for this project. If this step had not been taken, the project could have potentially increased taxes by 8%. As previously mentioned, the existing RCMP station is no longer compliant to meet their needs, and the City is obligated to provide adequate accommodation as part of our municipal policing agreement. The detachment project is intended to take GHG emissions into account in construction, and will be an asset to serve the community for decades to come. Occupancy is anticipated to occur in 2024.



#### Site lease for new Public Works facility

In 2022, the City has signed a 5 year lease with option to purchase the former GM Dealership for future use as a new Public Works operating site. The City has long been looking for a permanent solution to address the failing building stock at the Wantage Road Public Works yard. The former vehicle dealership is a more efficient option for the City, and an ideal location for crews given its large parking lot and well-kept building infrastructure. The project will upgrade the existing facilities to Public Works requirements – including integrated office spaces, warehousing infrastructure, washroom upgrades, locker and lunchroom area renovations and other minor updates. The \$750,000 in anticipated costs for the project are being covered by a dividend from Prince Rupert Legacy Inc., the City's wholly owned Development Corporation.



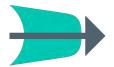
# Launch of new Corporate City Brand and Updating of City Assets

In 2022, the City has launched a new corporate 'City of Rainbows' brand that incorporates indigenous art and rainbow symbolism. Following Council's adoption of the brand in March of 2022, the City is working to change over our internal branded assets to the new logo and brand guidelines. In addition, the City is supporting the work of Tourism Prince Rupert to install new wayfinding signage in Prince Rupert over the coming years, which incorporates the aesthetic of the City's new look. Moving forward, the City and our partners will have this guideline to inform future investments in signage and other infrastructure.



#### **Continuation of Waterfront Development Project**

As per the announcement made at the Redesign Rupert 2030 Vision event in December of 2019, City staff are continuing to work with Gitxaala on the redevelopment of Prince Rupert's waterfront in the area surrounding Kwinitsa Station. This area will see the relocation of the City's Digby Island Ferry which provides access to the Prince Rupert Airport. The area will also include access to the Gitxaala Ferry dock. In 2022, the City will award the construction contract for the new airport ferry launch area, with design and early works beginning this year.



#### Initiation of Plans for Housing, Master **Transportation and Parks**

With the hiring of new capacity in the City's Planning Department in early 2022, the City will be undertaking a number of more detailed planning exercises heading into 2022. This work will build on the goals identified in the new Official Community Plan, and address priorities for policy development, investment, and infrastructure renewal heading into the future. Importantly, this work will include the development of a Housing Needs Assessment that will better inform the City's efforts to attract residential development—by calculating the exact need for different housing by type of unit and whether that need is in the private or public sector.



#### Continued work on Wastewater Treatment Planning and Implementation

In 2022, the City is preparing a grant application for the ICIP- Green Infrastructure - Environmental Quality stream to complete the work, which is currently estimated to cost approximately \$6 million. As we move forward, we will be closely monitoring the success of the project to confirm that it meets all Provincial and Federal regulatory standards, and if so, the approach can be applied elsewhere throughout the community.



#### Continued training for Firefighters, New Firehall **Designs + Site Survey**

In 2022, the City's firefighters will continue to upgrade their certifications, including Officer I certification—which was completed by half of staff in 2021, with the other half completing the training in 2022. In addition, staff will take a Fire Pump course in 2022, as well as Emergency Scene Management I, and an Office of the Fire Commissioner Inspection Course. This year the Department will also see the installation of a new drying cabinet for fire gear. In addition the City is beginning the process to initiate building a new fire hall, as the current building is in need of replacement. This year, the Department will develop conceptual drawings for a new hall and initiate site survey work to determine an appropriate new location.



# There's an app for that!



The City of Prince Rupert has a mobile application where you can sign up for notifications on traffic disruptions and other service notifications, information on events, City policies, locations of interest in the community, and other information. Download it for free from your app store

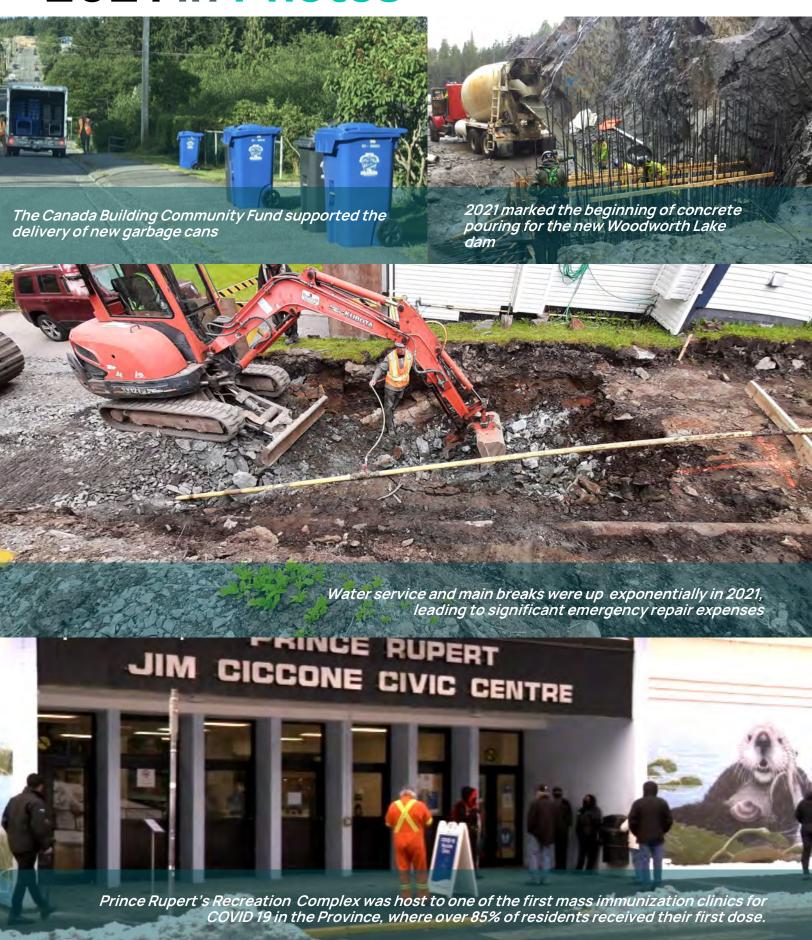
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159 new downloads 2156 notification views 1175 brochure views 734 news articles read 436 department calls

# 2021 in Photos



### Section 98 of Community Charter

### **Excerpt from Community Charter**

#### Annual municipal report

- **98** (1) Before June 30 in each year, a council must
  - A) prepare an annual report;
  - B) make the report available for public inspection under section 97; and,
  - C) have the report available for public inspection at the meeting required under section 99.
  - (2) The annual report must include the following:
    - A) the audited annual financial statements referred to in section 167(4) for the previous year;
    - B) for each tax exemption provided by a council under Division 7 [Permissive Tax Exemptions] of Part 7 [Municipal Revenue], the amount of property taxes that would have been imposed on the property in the previous year if it were not exempt for that year;
    - C) a report respecting municipal services and operations for the previous year;
    - D) a progress report respecting the previous year in relation to the objectives and measures established for that year under paragraph (F);
    - E) any declarations of disqualification made under section 111 [application to court for declaration of disqualification] in the previous year, including identification of the council member or former council member involved and the nature of the disqualification;
    - F) a statement of municipal objectives, and the measures that will be used to determine progress respecting those objectives, for the current and next year; and,
    - G) any other information the Council considers available.

# **APPENDIX B:**Audited Financial Statements



# City of Prince Rupert

### **2021 Audited Financial Statements**

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Statement A

#### **City of Prince Rupert**

### Consolidated Statement of Financial Position December 31

December of				
		2021		<u>2020</u>
Financial Assets				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	78,097,653	\$	64,871,539
Taxes Receivable (Note 2a)		908,357		1,248,709
General Receivables (Note 2b)		2,852,019		5,912,996
Deposit-Municipal Finance Authority (Note 3)		413,271		208,721
Land Inventory Held for Resale (Note 4)		9,618,106		9,606,917
Loans to Prince Rupert Airport Authority (Note 5)		6,829,163	_	6,920,249
	\$	98,718,569	\$	88,769,131
Liabilities				
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities (Note 6a)	\$	19,783,807	\$	14,097,197
Deferred Revenue (Note 6b)		9,960,797		4,104,752
Landfill Closure Cost (Note 9b)		3,724,251		5,059,000
Reserves - Municipal Finance Authority (Note 3)		83,441		82,045
Loans Payable (Schedule 11 and Note 7)		1,611,220		4,798,024
Debenture Debt (Schedule 12 and Note 7)		25,986,676		6,555,551
	\$	61,150,192	\$	34,696,569
Net Financial Assets (Statement C)	\$	37,568,377	\$	54,072,562
Non-financial Assets				
Tangible Capital Assets (Schedule 3 and Note 1c)	\$	114,478,588	\$	94,042,104
Investment in City West Cable & Tel. Corp. (Schedule 4 and Note 8)	Ÿ	46,459,763	Ψ	43,270,763
Inventory (Note 1d)		771,874		618,055
	\$	161,710,225	\$	137,930,922
Surplus and Equity (Statement B)	s	199,278,602	<u> </u>	192,003,484
	_	.00,210,002		102,000,404
City Position				
Accumulated Operating Surplus (Schedule 1)	\$	31,305,265	\$	32,228,787
Bylaw and Statutory Reserve Funds (Schedule 2)		31,822,769		30,699,115
Investment in City West Cable & Tel. Corp. (Schedule 4 and Note 8)		46,459,763		43,270,763
Investment in Tangible Capital Assets (Schedule 5)		89,690,805	_	85,804,819
Net Position (Statement B)	\$	199,278,602	\$	192,003,484

Corinne Bomben, CPA, CA Chief Financial Officer

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Statement B

#### **City of Prince Rupert**

### Consolidated Statement of Operations For The Year Ended December 31

	Unaudited					2020
	<u>2021 Budget</u>		2021 Budget Actual			<u>Actual</u>
Revenues		00.470.000		25 272 272		0.4 === 0.00.4
Taxes (Net) (Schedule 6)	\$	26,170,000	\$	25,978,970	\$	24,776,924
Sale of Services (Schedule 7)		11,123,000		10,922,138		10,814,183
Services Provided to Other Governments		79,000		127,467		118,025
Government Transfers (Schedule 8)		7,967,000		2,323,513		27,257,344
Fees, Permits, Licenses and Fines (Schedule 9)		496,000		498,266		498,389
Investment		420,000		437,776		609,877
City West Cable & Tel. Corp.		=		3,989,000		4,898,000
Prince Rupert Legacy Inc.		Ē		3,043,935		6,775,066
Miscellaneous (Schedule 9)		925,000		1,378,788		2,576,849
Total Revenue	\$	47,180,000	\$	48,699,853	\$	78,324,657
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Expenses						
Protection to Persons and Property	\$	11,827,400	\$	12,958,842	\$	10,973,040
Water, Sewage and Solid Waste		8,356,000		7,258,158		7,209,532
Roadways and Transportation		6,277,400		6,348,324		5,970,914
Recreation and Culture		5,533,680		5,623,653		5,311,455
General Government		4,661,920		4,595,556		6,185,496
Other		332,600		329,370		327,066
Total Expenses (Schedule 10)	\$	36,989,000	\$	37,113,903	\$	35,977,503
Revenue Over Expenditure Before Amortization	\$	10,191,000	\$	11,585,950	\$	42,347,154
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	\$	-	\$	(4,310,832)	\$	(4,872,608)
Gain (Loss) on disposition of Tangible Capital Asset	\$	<u> </u>	\$		\$	-
Revenue Over Expenditure	\$	10,191,000	\$	7,275,118	\$	37,474,546
Opening City Position	\$	192,003,484	_\$	192,003,484	\$	154,528,938
Closing City Position (Statement A)	\$	202,194,484	\$	199,278,602	\$	192,003,484

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Statement C

#### **City of Prince Rupert**

#### Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Financial Assets For The Year Ended December 31

		2021 <u>Actual</u>	2020 <u>Actual</u>
Revenue Over Expenditure (Statement B)	\$	7,275,118	\$ 37,474,546
Acquisition of Tangible Capital Assets (Schedule 1 & 3)		(24,747,316)	(18,739,698)
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets		4,310,832	4,872,608
City West Cable and Tel. Corp. (Increase)/Decrease in Equity		(3,189,000)	(4,198,000)
Change in Inventory	100	(153,819)	(9,408)
Change in Net Financial Assets	\$	(16,504,185)	\$ 19,400,048
Net Financial Assets at Beginning of Year	\$	54,072,562	\$ 34,672,514
Net Financial Assets at End of Year	\$	37,568,377	\$ 54,072,562
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# APPENDIX B: Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Statement D

#### City of Prince Rupert

#### **Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows** For The Year Ended December 31

		2021		2020
Operating Activities				
Revenue Over Expenditure	\$	7,275,118	\$	37,474,546
Non-cash Items				
Amortization		4,310,832		4,872,608
City West Cable & Tel. Corp		(3,989,000)		(4,898,000)
Taxes Receivable		340,352		67,945
General Receivables		3,060,977		(4,207,731)
Land inventory held for resale		(11,189)		(574,592)
Inventory		(153,819)		(9,408)
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities		5,686,610		2,769,509
Deferred Revenue		5,856,045		(3,693,454)
Landfill Closure Costs		(1,334,749)		325,000
Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	21,041,177	\$	32,126,423
Financing Activities				
Equipment and Short Term Loans	\$		\$	3,350,000
Debenture Debt		20,000,000		-
MFA Deposits and Reserves		(203,154)		(126,676)
Repayment (Loans) from Prince Rupert Airport Authority		91,086		(30,663)
Principal Repayments		(3,755,679)		(1,089,755)
Cash provided by/(applied to) Financing Activities	\$	16,132,253	\$	2,102,906
Investing Activities				
Tangible Capital Assets Additions	\$	(24,747,316)	\$	(18,739,698)
City West Cable & Tel. Corp. Loan Repayment		800,000		700,000
Cash Provided by/(applied to) Investing Activities	\$	(23,947,316)	\$	(18,039,698)
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Increase/(Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	13,226,114	\$	16,189,631
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	_	64,871,539	_	48,681,908
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	\$	78,097,653	\$	64,871,539

#### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

#### 1) Significant accounting policies

#### a) Basis of presentation

It is the Municipality's policy to follow accounting principles generally accepted for British Columbia Municipalities and to apply such principles consistently. These consolidated statements include the operations of the General, Water, Sewer, Solid Waste, Capital and Reserve Funds, Prince Rupert Legacy Inc. and City West Cable & Telephone Corp. They have been prepared using guidelines issued in the CPA Canada Public Sector Accounting Handbook.

#### b) Revenue and expenses recognition

The accrual method for reporting revenues and expenditures has been used.

Revenues are normally recognized in the year in which they are earned and measurable.

Government transfers are recognized in the financial statements as revenue in the period in which the eligibility criteria have been met and reasonable estimates of the amounts can be made. Transfers received for which the expenditures have not yet been incurred are reported as deferred revenue.

Deferred revenue includes grants, contributions and other amounts received from third parties which are specifically designated and the expenditures have not yet been incurred.

#### c) Tangible capital assets

Tangible capital assets are reported at cost. Donated assets are reported at fair market value at the time of donation. Tangible capital assets are amortized using the straight-line method as follows:

	100	Yea	rs
Buildings and Improvements	5	to	50
Equipment	5	to	20
Infrastructure	25	to	100

#### d) Inventory

Inventory is reported at average cost.

#### e) Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with CPA Canada Public Sector Accounting Standards requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

#### f) Reporting entity

The City's reporting entity includes the municipal government and entities that are either controlled or owned by it. All controlled entities are fully consolidated on a line-by-line basis except for government business enterprises.

Government business enterprises are consolidated on a modified equity basis. Under the modified equity basis, accounting policies are not adjusted to conform to the City's, inter-organizational transactions and balances are not eliminated and the City recognises annual earnings or losses in its statement of operations with a corresponding increase or decrease in the investment. Any distributions reduce the carrying value of the investment.

The City's reporting entities include:

Prince Rupert Legacy Inc.	Controlled Entity	100%
City West Cable & Telephone Corp.	Government Business Enterprise	100%

#### g) Financial instruments

The City's financial instruments consist of cash, taxes and accounts receivable, accounts payable, accruals and deferred revenue, capital leases and debenture debt. It is management's opinion that the City is not exposed to significant interest, currency or credit risk arising from these financial instruments. The fair value of these financial instruments approximate their carrying value.

#### 2) Receivables

a) Taxes receivable	2021	2020
Current	\$ 311,549	\$ 716,653
Arrears	296,515	259,829
Tax sale properties	300,293	272,227
Net taxes receivable	\$ 908,357	\$ 1,248,709
b) General receivables	2021	2020
General receivables	\$ 2,867,823	\$ 5,917,279
Allowance for doubtful accounts	 (15,804)	(4,283)
Net general receivables	\$ 2,852,019	\$ 5,912,996

### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

#### 3) Municipal Finance Authority reserve and deposit

The City issues its debt instruments through the Municipal Finance Authority. As a condition of these borrowings, a portion of the debenture proceeds are withheld by the Municipal Finance Authority as a debt reserve fund. The City also executes demand notes in connection with each debenture whereby the Municipality may be required to loan certain amounts to the Municipal Finance Authority.

#### 4) Land inventory held for resale

The Watson Island land property value is reported at the gross value of the property taxes owing when it was acquired through tax sale in 2008 plus \$3.7 million of remediation costs incurred to prepare the island for resale, less \$1.2 million for 35 acres leased out. Management believes current market value exceeds net book value. There is approximately \$1.6 million owing to the Ministry of Education that is included in accounts payable.

#### 5) Loans to Prince Rupert Airport Authority

		2021	<u>2020</u>
From Municipal Finance Authority (MFA)	\$	5,088,802	\$ 5,394,979
Rescheduled payments	_	701,145	350,572
	\$	5,789,947	\$ 5,745,551

(Details per Schedule 12. Due to COVID 19 disruption, the annual combination principal and interest repayment for 2020, 2021, and 2022 from Prince Rupert Airport are rescheduled to the end of the term. Normal payments will resume in 2023.)

#### From Prince Rupert Legacy

Payments include interest at 2.5% per annum, secured by mortgage on Airport Lands. Effective March 1, 2020, Prince Rupert Legacy suspended the requirement for loan repayments and interest accruals until the 2022 financial year.

\$24,080 due January 28 and July 28 each year with a final payment on January 28, 2033.	\$ 405,312	\$ 461,057
\$16,054 due April 6 and October 6 each year with a final payment on October 6, 2033.	282,750	319,457
\$9,030 due June 20 and December 20 each year with a final payment on December 20, 2033.	159,046	179,694
\$10,033 due February 28 and August 28 each year with a final payment on February 28, 2034.	192,108	214,490
	\$ 1,039,216	\$ 1,174,698
Total loans to Prince Rupert Airport Authority	\$ 6,829,163	\$ 6,920,249

### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

#### 6) Accounts payable, accrued liabilities and deferred revenue

	2021	2020
a) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		
Trade payables	\$ 9,148,526	\$ 4,669,983
Accrued liabilities	33,000	47,000
Accrued interest payable - MFA	142,269	61,656
Taxes due to other governments	2,673,251	3,139,067
Salaries, wages, other payroll payables	5,372,844	4,925,557
Holdbacks and deposits	2,413,917	1,253,934
	\$ 19,783,807	\$ 14,097,197
b) Deferred revenue		
Prepaid taxes	\$ 1,331,613	\$ 1,248,928
Deferred revenue - PR Legacy	2,573,071	2,544,566
Other deferred revenue	6,056,113	311,258
	\$ 9,960,797	\$ 4,104,752

#### 7) Debenture debt and loans payable

Debenture debt and loans are with the Municipal Finance Authority and are being repaid in accordance with approved bylaws and agreements.

#### 8) Investment in City West Cable & Telephone Corp.

Financial information for the Company as at December 31 is as follows

<u>2021</u>		2020
\$ 66,394,000	\$	59,036,000
\$ 19,935,000	\$	15,766,000
\$ 3,989,000	\$	4,898,000
\$ \$ \$	\$ 19,935,000	\$ 66,394,000 \$ \$ 19,935,000 \$

#### 9) Commitments and contingencies:

#### a) Pension information

The City and its employees contribute to the Municipal Pension Plan (a jointly trusteed pension plan). The board of trustees, representing plan members and employers, is responsible for administering the plan, including investment of assets and administration of benefits. The plan is a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan. Basic pension benefits are based on a formula. As at December 31, 2020, the plan has about 220,000 active members and approximately 112,000 retired members. Active members include approximately 42,000 contributors from local governments.

#### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

Every three years, an actuarial valuation is performed to assess the financial position of the plan and adequacy of plan funding. The actuary determines an appropriate combined employer and member contribution rate to fund the plan. The actuary's calculated contribution rate is based on the entry- age normal cost method, which produces the long-term rate of member and employer contributions sufficient to provide benefits for average future entrants to the plan. This rate may be adjusted for the amortization of any actuarial funding surplus and will be adjusted for the amortization of any unfunded actuarial liability.

The most recent actuarial valuation for the Municipal Pension Plan as at December 31, 2018, indicated a \$2,866 million funding surplus for basic pension benefits on a going concern basis.

The City of Prince Rupert paid \$1,465,654 (2020- \$1,401,185) for employer contributions while employees contributed \$1,227,278 (2020 - \$1,189,308) to the plan in fiscal 2021.

The next valuation will be as at December 31, 2021, with results available in 2022.

Employers participating in the plan record their pension expense as the amount of employer contributions made during the fiscal year (defined contribution pension plan accounting). This is because the plan records accrued liabilities and accrued assets for the plan in aggregate, resulting in no consistent and reliable basis for allocating the obligation, assets and cost to individual employers participating in the plan.

#### b) Landfill closure costs

The City is responsible for closing the landfill (and each cell located there) in accordance with Ministry of Environment regulations. The active cell at Ridley Island landfill site is expected to reach full capacity in 2022 and a newly constructed cell is ready to accept waste once this occurs. Closure costs have been fully accrued based on the latest landfill closure plan.

#### c) Third party claims

The City has various lawsuits and claims pending by and against it. It is the opinion of management that the determination of these claims will not materially affect the financial position or the operating results of the City.

#### d) Payments in lieu of taxes

Payments in lieu of taxes are recorded as revenue based on managements' best estimates of taxes due. Property assessment values are subject to dispute and the Dispute Advisory Panel is being asked to provide advice in a matter spanning multiple years. The impact of any future settlement agreement is as yet unknown.

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

#### City of Prince Rupert

### Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements December 31, 2021

#### 10) COVID-19

The impact of COVID-19 has resulted in decreased fees for services and may result in taxpayers' inability to remit taxes as they become due. The City has mitigated these risks by applying funding received from the Province of British Columbia against expected shortfalls through the budgeting process.

### Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Schedule 1

#### City of Prince Rupert

#### Operating Funds and Surplus Allocation For The Year Ended December 31 Prince Rupert Solid Waste 2021 Fund General Water Sewer Total 2020 Total Operating Results Revenue 35 859 743 S 3 008 310 2.790.851 3.997.014 5 3,043,935 48 699 853 5 78.324.657 Expenditure (Exclude Tangible capital assets) 29.252,665 2.557,651 1.743.116 3,560,471 37.113.903 35,977.503 6,607,078 s 450.659 5 1,047,735 436,543 5 3,043,935 s 11,585,950 42,347,154 Add /(Less) Additions to Tangible capital assets (3.365.915) (10.386,241) (1.208.129) (8,926,901) (860,130) \$ (24,747,316) (18,739,698) 10.000.000 10.000,000 3,350,000 New Debenture Loans from MFA 20.000,000 (795,252) Debt payment and Actuarial Adjustments (928,316) (21,186) (2,500,000) (3,449,502)Bylaw and Statutory Reserve Interest Income (241,398)(241.398)(190,852) Prince Rupert Legacy Dividend 1,400,000 (1,400,000) City West Cable & Tel, Corp Loan Repayment 800,000 800,000 700,000 City West Cable & Tel. Corp (Income)/Loss (3.989,000) (3.989,000) (4,898,000) 19,239 Transfer (to)/ from Reserves (Schedule 2) (53.909) (68.853) (14,840,723) (778,733) (882,256). (7,103,362) (367,002) S (1,283,224)(1.495, 754)(2,260,130) (12,509,472) (35,414,525) Total Operating Surplus/(Deficit) (496,284) 83,657 (235, 489) (1,059.211) 783,805 (923.522) 6,932,629 Balance forward Surplus/(Deficit) 12,449,009 2,101,451 4,873,414 1,208,944 11,595,969 32,228,787 25,295,158 Accumulated Surplus/(Deficit) 11,952,725 2,185,108 4,637.925 149,733 12,379,774 31,305,265 32.228,787 Surplus Allocation Unappropriated Surplus 2,256,902 1,380,108 3,526,925 149,733 3,495,774 10,809,442 14.656,153 Restricted Land Surplus 7,994,823 7,994,823 7,983,634 12,501,000 9,589,000 2022 Appropriated Surplus 1.701,000 805,000 1,111,000 8,884,000 4,637,925 2 185,108 149,733 31,305,265 32,228,787 11,952,725

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# **APPENDIX B:**Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

City of Prince Rupert

Schedule 2

#### Statement of Bylaw and Statutory Reserve Fund Balances December 31, 2021

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	Opening Balance		Interest/Income		Transfer (to)/from Other Funds		Year End Balance			022 Budget opropriation	Un	appropriated Reserve	Year End Balance	
BYLAW & OTHER RESERVES														
General Reserves	\$	6,325,848	ā	49.973	s	1,026,152	5	7,401,973	\$	2,480,000	S	4,921,973	\$	7,401,973
Public Work Equipment Reserves		1,006,160		7,949		296,000		1,310,109		1,400,000		(89,891)		1,310,109
Ferry Maintenance Reserves		167,641		1,324		150,000		318,965		U		318,965		318,965
NCPG Reserve (Schedule 13)		12,137,455		95,886		(708,160)		11,525,181		9,926,000		1,599,181		11,525,181
Water Asset Management Reserve		8,726,285		68,937		(19,239)		a,775,983		5,150,000		3,625,983		8,775,983
Sewer Asset Management Reserve		208,344		1,646		53,909		263,899		0		263,899		263,899
Solid Waste Asset Management Res.	_	261,477		2,066		68,853	_	332,396	ш		_	332,396	_	332,396
Total Bylaw & Other Reserves	5	28,833,210	\$ .	227,781	\$	867,515	5	29,928,506	\$	18.956.000	3	10,972,506	5	29.928,506
STATUTORY RESERVES														
Capital Assets & Land Acquisition	s	1,483,546	5	11,720	5	9.1	5	1,495,265	5	25,000	\$	1,470,266	5	1,495,286
Parkland Reserves		6,996		55		-		7,051		8		7,051		7,051
Parking Space Requirements		146,227		1,155		30		147,382		- 0		147,382		147,382
Cemetery Care Trust	_	229,136	_	687	_	14,741	_	244,564			_	244,564	_	244,564
Total Statutory Reserves	ş	1,865,905	5	13,517	5	14.741	5	1,894,263	\$	25,000	3	1,869,263	\$	1,894,263
TOTAL RESERVES	s	30,699,115	S	241,398	\$	882.256	\$	31,822,769	\$	18,981,000	\$	12,841,769	s	31,822,769

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# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

City of Prince Rupert

Schedule 3

#### Consolidated Statement of Tangible Capital Assets December 31

	CAPITAL ASSETS								ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION								NET BOOK VALUE			
	-	ening Balance	A	dallións		isposals/ ite-Downs	Cle	sing Balance		Opening Balance	A	mortization		isposals/ ite-Downs		Closing Balance		2021	2020	
Land	5	11,195,167	5	240,024	\$		\$	11,435,191	5		5		5	9	5		5	11,435,191	\$ 11,195,167	
Buildings	5	12,232,691	3	1,504,921	5		\$	13,737,812	s	8,276,802	5	464,566	\$		5	8,741,368	5	4,996,244	\$ 3,955,889	
Equipment	\$	10,354,209	\$	723,932	\$	(73,346)	\$	11,004,795	5	5,946,859	5	969,435	5	(73,346)	5	6,642,949	5	4.361,847	\$ 4,507,350	
Infrastructure	\$	126,132,687	\$ 2	22,278,439	\$	(545,071)	5	147,866,055	5	51,748,989	5	2,876,831	Š	(545,071)	5	54,180,749	\$	93,685,306	\$ 74,383,698	
	\$	159,914,754	\$ 2	14,747,316	5	(618,417)	5	184,043,653	s	85,972,650	S	4,310,832	\$	(618,417)	S	89,565,065	S	114,478,588	\$ 94,042,104	

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# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Schedule 4

#### City of Prince Rupert

#### City West Cable & Telephone Corporation Statement of Financial Position December 31

		0004		2020
ASSETS		<u>2021</u>		2020
City West Cable & Telephone Corporation				
Investment	\$	1	\$	1
Loan		17,132,762		17,932,762
Equity	X	29,327,000		25,338,000
	\$	46,459,763	\$	43,270,763
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Equity, Beginning of Year	\$	43,270,763	\$	39,072,763
Net Income of Corporation		3,989,000		4,898,000
Repayment of loan		(800,000)		(700,000)
Equity, End of Year	\$	46,459,763	\$	43,270,763
	_		-	

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Schedule 5

## City of Prince Rupert

# Statement of Changes in Investment in Tangible Capital Assets December 31

		2021		2020
Opening Balance	\$	85,804,819	\$	74,492,477
Tangible Capital Assets Purchased By Operations	\$	4,747,316	\$	15,389,698
Debenture Debt Repayment		149,100		149,102
Actuarial Additions		113,598		106,803
Loan Repayment		3,186,804		539,347
Amortization	-	(4,310,832)	-	(4,872,608)
Closing Balance	\$	89,690,805	\$	85,804,819

Schedule 6

## City of Prince Rupert

### Schedule of Tax Revenues For The Year Ended December 31

_		Unaudited 021 Budget	2	021 Actual	2020 Actual			
Real Property Taxes								
Municipal Property Tax								
Residential	\$	7,096,000	\$	7,097,282	\$	7,070,381		
Utilities		286,000		285,999		204,250		
Major Industry		9,887,000		9,886,978		8,732,782		
Light Industry		629,000		649,652		558,319		
Business		4,928,000		4,649,712		5,004,490		
Recreational		19,000		19,577		19,577		
	\$	22,845,000	\$	22,589,200	\$	21,589,799		
Less: Tax Sharing with District of Port Edward	\$	(1,015,000)	\$	(1,014,753)	\$	(1,000,000		
	\$	21,830,000	\$	21,574,447	\$	20,589,799		
Special Payments								
Port Competitiveness Tax Grant	\$	1,794,000	\$	1,795,267	\$	1,781,020		
Revenue Tax	\$	323,000	\$	330,496	\$	315,653		
Specified Area Tax	\$	63,000	\$	63,170	\$	63,170		
Payments in Lieu of Tax								
Federal Government Properties	\$	169,000	\$	160,704	\$	168,939		
Prince Rupert Port Authority	_	1,604,000	-	1,606,246		1,472,584		
	\$	1,773,000	\$	1,766,950	\$	1,641,523		
Grants in Lieu of Tax	17	3.00		4 10 10 10		Carl Carl		
Provincial Government Properties	\$	181,000	\$	248,043	\$	181,442		
BC Buildings Corp.		45,000		40,220		44,497		
BC Housing Commission		87,000		90,284		86,847		
BC Hydro and Power Authority		64,000		61,344		63,692		
Insurance Corporation of BC	_	10,000	_	8,749	_	9,281		
	\$	387,000	\$	448,640		385,759		
	\$	4,340,000	\$	4,404,523	_\$	4,187,125		
Net Tax Revenue	\$	26,170,000	\$	25,978,970	\$	24,776,924		

Schedule 7

## City of Prince Rupert

### Schedule of Sale of Service Revenues For The Year Ended December 31

	Unaudited 021 Budget	021 Actual	2020 Actual				
GENERAL FUND							
Protective Services (RCMP)	\$ 12,000	\$	23,820	_\$	12,788		
Transportation Services							
Public Transit	\$ 212,000	\$	174,806	\$	192,078		
Airport Ferry	550,000	\$	464,545		557,976		
	\$ 762,000	\$	639,351	\$	750,054		
Other							
Rezoning / Subdivision Services	\$ 20,000	\$	20,243	\$	16,715		
Parking	90,000	\$	96,304		85,622		
Franchise Fees	232,000	\$	218,269		191,752		
	\$ 342,000	\$	334,816	\$	294,089		
Public Health (Cemetery)	\$ 100,000	\$	147,793	\$	88,369		
Recreation and Cultural Services							
Civic Centre Rentals & Programs	\$ 117,000	\$	158,438	\$	111,286		
Swimming Pool	136,000	\$	249,704		129,591		
Arena	123,000	\$	139,461		117,698		
	\$ 376,000	\$	547,603	\$	358,575		
Cow Bay Marina	\$ 200,000	\$	212,741	\$	200,434		
TOTAL GENERAL OPERATING FUND	\$ 1,792,000	\$	1,906,124	\$	1,704,309		
SOLID WASTE FUND	\$ 3,787,000	\$	3,442,672	\$	3,624,947		
WATER FUND	\$ 2,929,000	\$	2,877,884	\$	2,808,055		
SEWER FUND	\$ 2,615,000	\$	2,695,458	\$	2,676,872		
	\$ 11,123,000	\$	10,922,138	\$	10,814,183		

Schedule 8

### City of Prince Rupert

### Schedule of Government Transfers For The Year Ended December 31

	LO	Jnaudited				
	20	021 Budget	20	21 Actual	2	020 Actual
All No. 16 and a company of						
Federal Grant- Conditional						
General Operating Fund	- 2		. 2		24	
Canada Summer Jobs	\$	-	\$	22,173	\$	19,325
Water Fund						
Woodworth Dam Design & Construction- Fed		-				3,066,530
Water Treatment Plant and Submarine Line - Fed	V-		-	45	_	4,658,719
Economic del Economic	\$	<u>×</u>	\$	22,173	\$	7,744,574
Provincial Grants						
Unconditional	2	227,226		220 223	44	
General Operating - Small Community	\$	394,000	\$	366,000	\$	393,693
- Traffic Fines		285,000		246,330		285,218
- Carbon Tax Rebate	1.	-	-	75,260	_	67,835
Total Unconditional	\$	679,000	\$	687,590	\$	746,746
Conditional						
General Operating Fund						
Victim Services	\$	77,000	\$	69,669	\$	87,131
Tsunami Preparedness Grant		-		-		22,236
Casino Revenue		126,000		302,373		126,434
Two Percent (2%) Hotel Tax		280,000		237,913		196,660
Situation Tables		65,000		15,000		
NDIT- Economic Development		50,000		68,864		67,200
NDIT- Business Façade		20,000		-		18,950
Waterfront Rupert's Landing & Ferry Development		4,986,000		53,639		500,000
Clean BC Communities Fund (Charge North)		10,000				-
BC Hydro- Engergy Savings incentive		-		-		24,042
COVID-19 Safe Restart Grant		Δ;		-		2,799,000
Northern Capital and Planning Grant		4				6,524,000
Water Fund						
Water Treatment Plant and Submarine Line - Prov		2.5		4-		3,881,878
Woodworth Dam Design & construction		A-		-		3,066,530
Total Conditional	\$	5,614,000	\$	747,458	\$	17,314,061
Regional and Other External Transfers - Conditional						
General Operating Fund						
UBCM- Community Work Fund (Gas Tax)	\$	596,000	\$		\$	635,963
PRACSS- Downtown Public Washroom	ų.	220,000	Ψ	220,000	Ψ	000,000
PRPA- New Fire Hall Building		175,000		220,000		
FCM- Asset Management Strategy Development		(75,000		4,950		
Sewer Fund				4,930		
FCM- Liquid Waste Management Plan		87,000		87,000		
Solid Waste Fund		07,000		87,000		
UBCM- Community Work Fund (Gas Tax)		506 000		E42 040		046 000
		596,000		542,918		816,000
Canada Parks and Recreation	\$	1,674,000	\$	11,424 866,292	\$	1,451,963
		1,01 1,000	*	555,252		1, 151,000
Total Government Transfer	\$	7,967,000	\$	2,323,513	\$	27,257,344

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Schedule 9

## City of Prince Rupert

### Schedule of Revenue from Own Sources For The Year Ended December 31

	Unaudited 2021 Budget		20	021 Actual	2020 Actual		
Licenses and Permits	\$	372,000	\$	382,509	\$	367,878	
Fines		34,000		23,172		32,429	
911 Service Fee		90,000		92,585		98,082	
	\$	496,000	\$	498,266	\$	498,389	
Miscellaneous revenues							
Actuarial Additions	\$	4	\$	184,703	\$	166,234	
Cemetery Care Fund		4:		12,763		6,616	
Miscellaneous - General Fund		190,000		655,126		543,343	
Miscellaneous Grants - General Fund		90,000		30,000		3,170	
Penalties and Interest on Taxes		4		246,260		195,160	
Property Rentals		241,000		119,510		104,536	
Disposal of scrap materials		277,000		2		1,204,522	
Water Meter Rentals		127,000		130,426		125,831	
Sale of Tangible Capital Assets						227,437	
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	\$	925,000	\$	1,378,788	\$	2,576,849	

Total Expenses (Statement B)

## Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

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35,977,503

## City of Prince Rupert

# Schedule of Expenditure by Objects of Expense For The Year Ended December 31

### Unaudited 2021 Budget 2021 Actual 2020 Actual Wages 15,533,415 14,574,115 15,220,000 Benefits 4,002,000 3,784,590 3,730,435 Professional Fees 1,117,700 1,572,677 900,237 Supplies 2,268,900 2,656,093 2,363,352 Services 3,342,400 4,409,862 3,544,963 1,185,000 1,085,332 Energy 1,212,584 Fiscal Expenses 2,250,000 2,162,581 1,800,052 Grants in Aid to Community Partners 1,592,000 1,528,168 1,681,022 Contracts 5,323,000 5,901,767 4,625,887 36,301,000 37,896,838 35,170,294 Capital Purchases & Capital Works (Per budget) 43,305,000 25,012,591 20,711,163 Wages & Vehicle cost allocated to Capital Works (212,306)(475,807)Less: (41,559,000) Investments in Tangible Capital Assets (24,747,316)(18,739,698)Debt Repayment (1,058,000)(835,904)(688,449)

36,989,000

37,113,903

City of Prince Rupert							3	Schedule 1			
	Schedule of E		t / Short Ter cember 31	rm l	Financing	Debt					
Loan No.	Purpose	New/ Renewal	Amount of Issue		2020 Balance	Ad	ditions	4	Principal Payments	7	2021 Balance
Equipmen	nt Financing										
0002-0	2017 Pumper Truck	2017	890,000	S	340,753	S		S	(189,638)	S	151,115
0003-0	2019 Vactor Truck	2019	450,000		359,841		100		(94,314)		265,527
0004-0	Garbage Truck	2020	850,000		850,000	_		_	(172,812)		677,188
				\$	1,550,594	S		S	(456,764)	S	1,093,830
Short Terr	m / Temporary Financing										
695-6	2018 Cell Block Reno and PW Buildings	2019	1,150,000	S	747,430	S	0	S	(230,040)	S	517,390
695-1	ByLaw 3459 (New Landfill Cell)	2020	2,500,000		2,500,000		4.		(2,500,000)		-
					3,247,430		- 8		(2,730,040)		517,390
				S	4,798,024	S		s	(3,186,804)	s	1,611,220

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Schedule of Debenture	Debt
December 31	

Bylaw No.		No.	Maturity Date		mount of Issue	20	20 Balance		Additions		Principal Payment		0 Accrued ctuarial	202	1 Actuarial		1 Accrued	20	21 Balance
General	Fund																		
3129 3201	George Hills Way/Specified Area Cruise Ship Dock	75 94	2021 2025	5	700.000 3,133,056	5	50,836 998,763	5	\$	5	(21,168) (115,139)	5	2.657 16.038	5	(32,325) (74,103)	5	(17,472)	S	808,087
3333	Airport Upgrade	127	2034		7,000,000		5,394,979		-		(235.072)		45,794		(62, 169)		(54,530)		5,088,802
	100000					5	6,444,578	5	- ×	5	(371,379)	5	64,489	5	(168,797)	5	(72,002)	5	5,896,889
Water Fu	ind									-									
3433	Woodworth Dam	156	2046	5	10,000.000	5	140	\$	10,000,000	5	194	\$	- 1	\$	-	\$		5	10,000,000
Sewer F	und																		
3201	Moresby Sewer Upgrade	94	2025	5	346,970	5	110,973	5	8	5	(12,793)	5	1,782	5	(8,234)	5	(1,941)	5	89,787
Solid Wa	iste Fund																		
3454	New Landfill Cell	156	2046	5	10,000,000	5		3	10,000,000	5	- 11	3		5		3	100	S	10,000,000
						8	6,555,551	s	20.000.000	5	(384,172)	5	86.271	8	(177,031)	s	(73,943)	s	25,986,676

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# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Schedule 13

### City of Prince Rupert

# Schedule of Northern Capital and Planning Grant For Year Ended December 31, 2021

Grant Balance as at Jan 1, 2021	\$ 12,137,455
Interest earned in 2021	95,886
CN Heritage Building Revitalization Project	(594,160)
Removal of bunker fuel tanks in Moresby Park	(114,000)
Grant Balance as at Dec 31, 2021 (Schedule 2)	\$ 11,525,181

This money is used at the discretion of the municipality for capital and long term planning purposes in accordance with S.32 of the Local Government Grants Regulation (BC Reg. 221/95) which cross-references with S.4(1)(a) & (c) of the Local Government Grants Act.

# Audited Financial Statements (continued...)

Schedule 14

## City of Prince Rupert

# Schedule of COVID-19 Safe Restart Grant for Local Governments For Year Ended December 31, 2021

Grant Balance as at Jan 1, 2021	\$ 2,449,000
Use of funds in 2021:	
Revenue shortfall from PR Airport Authority loan payment	(350,000)
Reduction in City of Prince Rupert airport ferry revenue	(500,000)
Reduction in gaming revenue	(240,000)
Downtown washroom capital project	(160,000)
Grant Balance as at Dec 31, 2021	\$ 1,199,000

This money is used at the discretion of the municipality to address increased operating costs and lower revenue due to COVID-19 accordance with section 36 of the Local Government Grants Regulation and this schedule is attached to the Financial Statements as per section 167 of the Community Charter.

# **APPENDIX C:**Permissive Tax Exemptions

Registered Owner/ Occupier Identity/ Facility	Ex	Estimated 2021 Ta emption based on 2 Rates/Values	
Places of Worship (Exclude Statutory Exempt Portion)		Rates/ values	
Bishop of New Caledonia (Anglican Cathedral)	\$	660.32	
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Church	Ų	580.39	
Cornerstone Mennonite Brethren Church		336.68	
Fellowship Baptist Church		335.81	
The Salvation Army		1,647.76	
Harvest Time United Pentecostal Church		124.68	
Indo-Canadian Sikh Association Temple		118.16	
Prince Rupert Church of Christ Church		906.64	
Prince Rupert Native Pentecostal Revival Church		305.83	
Prince Rupert Pentecostal Tabernacle		717.23	
Prince Rupert Sikh Missionary Society Temple		807.15	
First United Church		36.93	
		731.27	
First United Church (parking lot)		731.27 731.27	
First United Church (parking lot)		152.05	
St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Prince Rupert	ċ		
Sub-total Places of Worship	\$	8,192.15	
Other Properties Cultural Dance Centre & Carving House	<u> </u>	10 000 75	
	\$	12,688.35	
Museum of Northern BC		40,720.26	
Prince Rupert Performing Arts Centre Society		130,670.46	
Jim Pattison Ind. Ltd (Canfisco Municipal Boat Launch Facility)		17,902.98	
Prince Rupert Golf Club		24,929.25	
Prince Rupert Golf Club		5,442.16	
Prince Rupert Golf Club		476.63	
Prince Rupert Golf Club		287.28	
Prince Rupert Racquet Association		5,631.56	
School District No. 52 (Prince Rupert) (Pacific Coast School)		6,577.05	
School District No. 52 (Prince Rupert) (Pacific Coast School)		97.94	
BC Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals		2,013.16	
BC Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals		11,164.88	
BC Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals		1,234.01	
Prince Rupert Loyal Order of Moose/Moose Lodge		692.03	
Prince Rupert Salmon Enhancement Society		1,471.24	
Prince Rupert Curling Club		11,338.99	
Prince Rupert Rod & Gun Club		2,625.08	
Prince Rupert Aboriginal Community Services Society		2,414.79	
Friendship House Association of Prince Rupert		19,229.62	
Kaien Island Daycare Services Family Resource Centre		1,292.73	
Prince Rupert Senior Centre Association		1,001.77	
North Coast Community Services Society (Previously Prince Rupert Community Enrichment Soc)		5,995.95	
The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 27 (Only area used by Legion)		932.27	
Navy League Prince Rupert Branch		722.88	
Prince Rupert Rowing & Yachting Club (Only area assessed as "Recreation/Non-Profit")		2,788.98	
Kaien Senior Citizen's Housing		66.07	
Prince Rupert Senior Citizen's Housing Society		2,207.78	
Prince Rupert Indigenous Housing Society (Only area assessed as "Residential/Not-for-profit")		8,814.59	
Cedar Village Housing Society (Only area assessed as "Residential/Not-for-profit")		15,069.05	
Sub-total other Properties	\$	336,499.81	
Estimated Annual Total Permissive Property Tax Exemptions	\$	344,691.96	

# Community Enhancement Grant Report

Category	Actual 2021	2021 Budget
Grants In Aid		
AFFNO Sugar Shack Grant (in kind)	950	950
Guns N'Hoses Charity Game (in kind)		-
BC SPCA	27,603	28,000
Halloween Festival (In Kind)	-	6,000
National Aboriginal Day (In Kind)	-	2,500
Navy League of Canada (in kind)	4,044	4,000
Prince Rupert Racquet Association	9,000	9,500
Prince Rupert Arts Council	20,000	20,000
Prince Rupert Skating Club (in kind)	1,250	1,250
Prince Rupert Special Event Society - Civic Centre (in kind)	2,584	12,000
Prince Rupert Special Event Society - Operating Grant	15,000	15,000
Prince Rupert Hospice	-	-
Prince Rupert Wildlife Shelter	6,600	6,600
Prince Rupert Crime Stoppers (In kind)	42	300
Salvation Army	15,000	15,000
CHSS Evergreen Program - Cash	-	-
CHSS Evergreen Program - (In kind)	-	-
Ecotrust Canada	-	-
Provision for later applicants (nominal amount)	-	970
	102,073	122,070
Major Grants		
Equipment for Golf Course	-	-
Prince Rupert Golf Course (Operating)	160,000	160,000
Tourism Prince Rupert hotel tax transfer (regulatory	237,913	280,000
Visitors Information Centre	16,500	16,500
Museum of Northern BC Kwinsta Station Grant	15,000	15,000
Museum of Northern BC Insurance on Artifacts	5,002	7,000
Museum of Northern BC - Museum Grant	145,230	145,230
Prince Rupert Library	693,000	693,000
Prince Rupert Library vest benefit accrual	9,000	9,000
Lester Centre	144,450	144,200
Subtotal—Major Grants	1,426,095	1,469,930
TOTAL	1,528,168	1,592,000

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### **City Services**

### **Public Works**

Water/Sewer/ Roads/Parks: 250-624-6795 Garbage Collection/Landfill: 250-624-5482 Streetlight Repair Reporting: 250-627-0988

### **Engineering**

General Office Line: 250-627-0950

Can call for:

- Cemetery ArrangementsPermits (City Property)
- Blasting Permits

### **Emergency Lines**

After Hours: 250-624-3000

Weekends: 250-624-1037 (or 624-3000)

### Non-Emergency Police & Fire

Fire Department: 250-627-1248

RCMP: 250-624-2136





# Did you know?

Payments for taxes and utilities are accepted through online banking, however it takes five (5) business days for payment to reach the City's account. To ensure your payment arrives on time, please pay 5 days before the deadline, otherwise a penalty will have to be applied

You must apply for a Home Owner's Grant for property taxes yearly by the property tax due date. This can only be done at <a href="https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/taxes/property-taxes/annual-property-tax/home-owner-grant/apply">https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/taxes/property-taxes/annual-property-tax/home-owner-grant/apply</a> or by calling 1-888-355-2700.

Taxes and utilities can be large annual costs if paid at one time. Improve your budgeting by signing up for monthly withdrawals and smooth the cashflow impact.

**Call Finance to sign up** at (250) 627 0914.

