

2018

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO PROPERTY TAXES



**ELECTORAL AREA C
EXTENSION/NANAIMO RIVER/
PLEASANT VALLEY**

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You have just received your 2018 property tax notice from the province. The province collects taxes for schools, roads, policing and regional district services. The RDN receives a lump sum payment from the province in August each year. This lump sum payment goes directly toward the RDN services provided in your area.

SERVICES

The Regional District of Nanaimo provides a broad range of services to its residents, with the exception of road maintenance and policing. The services provided by the RDN include the following examples:



REGIONAL

- Solid Waste Management
- Regional Parks
- Regional Growth Strategy
- 911 Services
- Liquid Waste Management Planning
- Drinking Water/Watershed Protection
- Search & Rescue Contribution Services
- Community Grants
- Administration

SUB-REGIONAL

- Transit
- Wastewater Treatment
- Community Planning
- Economic Development
- Recreation Centres
- Community Justice Contribution Services
- Bylaw Enforcement
- Building Inspection
- Emergency Planning

LOCAL

- Fire Protection
- Water and Sewer Utilities
- Community Parks
- Street Lights

The Nanaimo Regional Hospital District (NRHD) shares the same boundaries, directors and administrative staff as the Regional District of Nanaimo. The NRHD provides capital funding for:



- Nanaimo Regional General Hospital
- Dufferin Lodge
- Eagle Park Lodge
- Trillium Lodge
- Oceanside Health Centre



Capital funding is cost-shared with the province on a 60/40 basis with the NRHD's portion being 40 per cent. Island Health is responsible for delivering health care services on Vancouver Island. Island Health pools both Provincial and NRHD funding, along with other sources such as foundations, to maintain, improve and build health care facilities. The NRHD has adopted a 2018 budget of \$7.6 million resulting in a tax levy of approximately \$18.00 per \$100,000 of residential assessment. The 2018 budget includes \$3.2 million for capital equipment and minor projects, \$2.9 million for debt servicing on major capital projects and a \$1.5 million contribution into reserves to save for future projects such as a new patient tower at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital. Current capital projects planned include a new MRI, a boiler plant upgrade and an Intensive Care Unit redevelopment at the hospital.

INQUIRIES ON PROVINCIAL TAXATION AND YOUR PROVINCIAL TAX NOTICE:

Please contact Surveyor of Taxes
Toll-free: 1-888-355-2700
Or: 250-387-0555

The Property Taxes website has information on homeowner grants, the tax deferral program as well as other valuable tax information.

www.sbr.gov.bc.ca/rpt

Get Involved RDN!

RDN services are included on your municipal or provincial tax notice. For more information on RDN services provided or to GET INVOLVED visit www.rdn.bc.ca/getinvolved or call RDN Finance toll-free: 1-877-607-4111 or 250-390-4111

