

INFORMATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE - MARCH 8, 2021

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| 1. | Building Department - Building Statistics - February 2021 | N |
| 2. | Building Department - Building Permits - Yearly Statistics | N |
| 3. | M. McCullough - email dated February 25, 2021 - Puppy Mills | A |
| 4. | W. Laird, Chairperson, Salmon Arm Economic Development Society - letter dated February 26, 2021 - Community Recovery Advisor Grant - Letter of Support Request | A |
| 5. | S. Niven, Cystic Fibrosis Canada, British Columbia and Yukon Region - email dated February 25, 2021 - May is CF Awareness Month 2021 | A |
| 6. | M. Maloughney, Assistant Deputy Minister and General Manager, Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch - email dated February 26, 2020 | N |
| 7. | M. Arnold, MP, North Okanagan - Shuswap - letter dated February 16, 2021 - National 3-digit (988) Suicide Prevention Hotline | A |

N = No Action Required
A = Action Requested

S = Staff has Responded
R = Response Required

CITY OF SALMON ARM

CITY OF SALMON ARM BUILDING DEPARTMENT REPORT FEBRUARY 2021

LAST YEAR (2020)
CURRENT MONTH YEAR-TO-DATE

CURRENT YEAR (2021)
CURRENT MONTH YEAR-TO-DATE

		NO.	VALUE	NO.	VALUE	NO.	VALUE	NO.	VALUE
1	New Single Family Dwellings	2	700,000	5	2,099,000	3	930,000	8	2,580,000
2	Misc. Additions etc. to SFD's	5	826,300	8	875,550	8	399,375	15	1,210,430
3	New Single Family Dwellings with suites	-	-	-	-	1	500,000	1	500,000
4	New Secondary/Detached Suites	3	90,000	4	135,000	1	35,000	2	80,000
5	New Modulars/MH's (Factory Built)	1	125,000	2	275,000	2	275,500	2	275,500
6	Misc. Additions etc. to Modulars/MH's	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	MFD's (# Units)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Misc. Additions etc. to MFD's	1	25,000	2	50,000	1	1,000	1	1,000
9	New Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Misc. Additions etc. to Commercial	4	201,000	5	251,000	1	20,000	6	547,600
11	New Industrial	1	100,000	1	100,000	1	150,000	1	150,000
12	Misc. Additions etc. to Industrial	1	5,000	2	505,000	-	-	-	-
13	New Institutional	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Misc. Additions etc. to Institutional	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Signs	1	2,000	2	2,700	5	9,740	10	46,217
16	Swimming Pools, Pool Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	110,000
17	Demolitions	1	-	3	-	4	-	4	-
18	Temporary Trailers, A & B Permits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	Misc. Special Inspections, etc.	3	-	7	-	1	-	5	-
	TOTAL PERMITS ISSUED	23	2,074,300	41	4,293,250	28	2,320,615	56	5,500,747

MFD's - Apartment, Row, Duplex, Strata (# of dwelling units created)

Farm building values not included

BUILDING PERMITS - YEARLY

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
2001	585,500	11,938,550	12,265,250	12,842,790	13,534,790	14,712,550	16,330,650	17,717,625	19,031,075	19,895,255	21,318,855	21,458,195
2002	585,500	1,952,500	3,340,850	3,821,240	5,455,840	6,411,690	8,844,690	10,932,510	15,780,890	16,705,600	17,738,200	17,923,700
2003	130,110	920,780	2,974,020	4,486,120	5,993,320	13,294,120	15,555,250	17,937,005	20,318,920	22,000,340	24,005,740	24,782,360
2004	430,700	1,506,500	5,903,780	8,379,104	10,122,768	12,086,319	14,779,343	21,598,763	30,371,023	33,614,173	34,957,458	35,881,343
2005	1,072,000	2,289,650	4,344,750	6,806,152	12,110,482	28,031,457	29,985,585	34,743,645	37,600,445	42,915,856	45,525,611	47,576,746
2006	815,550	3,224,468	8,012,449	11,501,929	16,084,809	20,066,533	23,714,194	26,370,890	36,479,806	37,278,358	42,332,995	43,077,170
2007	1,531,087	3,901,669	16,148,674	22,413,118	27,232,134	32,401,472	35,657,297	42,829,750	51,945,799	55,703,387	65,885,802	66,289,555
2008	1,797,604	4,203,429	12,947,058	27,647,379	33,857,533	36,582,025	39,759,375	42,395,454	45,412,474	50,699,301	53,383,541	53,522,880
2009	409,369	864,839	2,039,460	5,207,311	6,763,615	7,800,085	9,677,455	11,579,746	18,882,737	20,713,554	23,523,664	24,337,664
2010	1,518,563	2,708,062	5,931,546	10,081,816	12,260,236	13,526,546	16,597,121	18,790,511	19,848,804	21,174,632	22,953,692	27,249,702
2011	568,645	2,003,976	5,063,837	7,449,773	9,471,416	11,761,850	12,794,028	14,222,970	18,194,801	19,682,061	30,563,013	31,934,415
2012	2,189,660	3,128,562	4,794,040	6,337,260	10,000,544	12,120,246	17,883,185	24,375,078	26,118,787	26,493,820	28,130,500	28,666,430
2013	881,740	1,440,110	13,907,060	15,814,195	17,433,454	20,194,778	23,204,628	24,180,485	26,567,302	29,195,224	30,890,086	31,231,349
2014	665,304	2,806,404	8,075,941	20,789,869	27,574,834	29,877,686	33,456,523	41,971,923	42,784,769	44,804,191	46,460,471	47,707,993
2015	1,172,285	1,853,539	3,894,754	6,750,389	8,575,425	18,388,180	20,475,407	26,442,225	29,143,303	31,248,595	35,417,465	37,368,595
2016	1,268,865	2,298,280	4,987,625	8,904,610	12,253,660	16,279,464	19,265,124	23,811,029	29,823,014	36,084,949	40,154,959	41,418,659
2017	1,183,280	2,841,725	7,219,495	11,761,657	18,136,656	23,823,576	30,793,243	36,066,891	52,130,226	59,858,542	63,366,686	64,675,041
2018	1,970,104	3,943,104	10,028,787	14,363,122	20,252,322	30,488,747	37,540,412	40,421,060	55,689,215	59,634,580	64,988,531	66,797,572
2019	6,060,645	6,835,345	10,699,845	18,074,843	22,220,523	26,015,593	31,103,281	45,971,877	48,902,359	52,267,409	56,765,409	58,511,534
2020	2,218,950	4,293,250	6,900,060	9,289,060	12,891,318	23,340,638	26,757,691	32,516,960	37,062,215	46,505,927	51,472,227	54,065,527
2021	3,180,132	5,500,747										

Sent: Thursday, February 25, 2021 1:39 PM
Subject: Online Form Submittal: Mayor and Council

Mayor and Council

First Name Margaret

Last Name McCullough

Address:

Return email address:

Subject: Puppy Mills

Body

Hello Mayor and council, I am most concerned and disappointed about the lack of protection for companion animals in Canada. The consequences of this are being exacerbated by the huge demand for puppies because of the pandemic. Our laws regarding the conditions animals can be kept in are outdated and need strengthening. These living conditions as proposed by the Humane Society of Canada and the SPCA need to be actually stated in the criminal code. Other countries such as New Zealand, Finland and the UK have recently done this. I would also ask that anyone breeding a companion animal for sale must be registered, (this would be dependent on meeting the stated living standards), advertising animals for sale from unregistered breeders would be illegal and buyers must be able to see where the animals are living. This would help CKC registered breeders who already adhere to strict standards. I have an e petition, sponsored by MP Nathaniel Erskine Smith, and it would be fantastic if you could sign and share it. I have a huge amount of support from citizens across Canada including in your province, and also ask that you consider enacting Animal Welfare legislation similar to that adopted by Beaconsfield council Quebec. Thank you, Margaret McCullough

<https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Details?Petition=e-2997>

Would you like a response: Yes

February 26, 2021

City of Salmon Arm
Mayor Harrison & Council
PO Box 40
Salmon Arm BC V1E4N2

Dear Mayor Harrison & Council,

Re: Community Recovery Advisor Grant – Letter of Support Request

With financial support from the Province of BC, Southern Interior Development Initiative Trust (SIDIT) will be providing up to \$1.5 million in grant funding across the region to support rural communities and their business support organizations as they take on the challenging task of assisting with COVID-19 economic recovery.

With this new funding, rural communities in the Southern Interior of BC with populations under 25,000 can access funding to create new Community Recovery Advisor positions. This program can support the establishment of a one-year, full time, temporary position to enhance local capacity to create and implement community economic recovery plans, support local businesses and create new opportunities for growth.

As Council is aware, Salmon Arm Economic Development Society is in the final stages of development for our Five Year Economic Action Plan. The goal of this plan is to support the recovery, resiliency and rejuvenation of our economy. Many of the action items within the Five Year Plan are front loaded as immediate priorities have been identified to support recovery and growth efforts. To increase our capacity to support an accelerated response, SAEDS intends to submit an application to SIDIT for a one year, full time Community Recovery Advisory position. SAEDS is asking for Councils consideration to providing a letter in support of this funding application, prior to the March 19th submission deadline if possible. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



William Laird, Chairperson

From: Sandra Niven
Sent: February-25-21 1:54 PM
Subject: May is CF Awareness Month 2021

Good afternoon,

I would like to make a request for your building(s) to be lit up in light blue and/or green at any time that may be available during the month of May for **Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month**.

Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month will be promoted throughout Canada, through our social media channels both nationally and in B.C., and our newsletter which is sent to all subscribers. Our volunteers will be visiting during the selected dates and taking photos to share on our various social media channels, using the hashtag **#LightUp4CF**. We will make specific mention, including a photo of the lights and a geotag, on our regional social media channels. Below are the corporate colours for your reference.



Cystic Fibrosis Canada <http://www.cysticfibrosis.ca/about-cf>

Cystic Fibrosis (CF) Awareness Month is each May of every year and is an internationally recognized month to raise awareness and funds to help find a cure or control for CF, the most common fatal genetic disease affecting Canadian children and young adults. At present, there is no cure.

On Sunday, May 31, 2020, thousands of participants across Canada will unite at local community '[Walk to Make CF History](#)' events during CF awareness month to celebrate their fundraising efforts, while imagining a world without CF.

CF causes various effects on the body, but also affects the digestive system and lungs. The degree of CF severity differs from person to person; however, the persistence and ongoing infection in the lungs, with destruction of lungs and loss of lung function, will eventually lead to death in most people with CF.

Typical complications caused by cystic fibrosis are:

- Difficulty digesting fats and proteins
- Malnutrition and vitamin deficiencies because of inability to absorb nutrients
- Progressive lung damage from chronic infections and aberrant inflammation
- CF related diabetes
- Sinus infections

It is estimated that one in every 3,600 children born in Canada has CF. More than 4,200 Canadian children, adolescents, and adults with cystic fibrosis attend specialized CF clinics.

CAUSES OF CYSTIC FIBROSIS

Cystic fibrosis is a genetic disease that occurs when a child inherits two abnormal genes, one from each parent. One in 25 Canadians carry an abnormal version of the gene responsible for cystic fibrosis. Carriers do not have cystic fibrosis, nor do they exhibit any of the symptoms of the disease. When two parents who are carriers have a child, there is a 25 percent chance that the child will be born with cystic fibrosis; there is also a 50 percent chance that the child will be a carrier; and a 25 percent chance that the child will neither be a carrier nor have cystic fibrosis.

SYMPTOMS OF CYSTIC FIBROSIS

- Cystic fibrosis is a multi-system disorder that produces a variety of symptoms including:
- Persistent cough with productive thick mucous
- Wheezing and shortness of breath
- Frequent chest infections, which may include pneumonia
- Bowel disturbances, such as intestinal obstruction or frequent, oily stools
- Weight loss or failure to gain weight despite possible increased appetite
- Salty tasting sweat
- Infertility (men) and decreased fertility (women)

DIAGNOSING CYSTIC FIBROSIS

Genetic testing, prenatal and newborn screening for CF are administered in every baby in Canada. Additionally, if a doctor suspects a patient has CF, a 'sweat test' may be administered. This test measures the amount of salt content present in the sweat. If the test comes back positive, it means the sweat collected contains more salt than usual and supports a diagnosis of CF.

Please let me know if there are any dates available during the month of May. We are flexible with this request and I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

Sandra

Sandra Niven

Cystic Fibrosis Canada, British Columbia and Yukon Region

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Charitable Registration No. 10684-5100 RR0001

Caylee Simmons

From: LCRB Liquor Policy LCRB:EX <LCRBLiquorPolicy@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: February-26-21 6:31 PM
Subject: Rural Licensee Retail Store liquor licences have now been issued

Hello,

In follow up to our January 28, 2021, correspondence announcing the Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch's (LCRB) new Rural Licensee Retail Store (RLRS) licence, we are pleased to inform you that the LCRB has now issued RLRS licences to Rural Agency Stores previously authorized by the Liquor Distribution Branch who met the required criteria. Effective February 26, 2021, these stores will be regulated by the LCRB. RLRS operators will be required to follow new [Terms and Conditions for their licence class](#).

As of February 26, 2021, the LCRB will also begin accepting [new applications](#) for RLRS licences, which will require action from the relevant jurisdictional authority. This may be a Regional District, Indigenous Nation, or municipality.

When the LCRB receives a new RLRS application, the LCRB will assess the proposed location against the location requirements for the [RLRS licence class](#). If the proposed location meets the location criteria, the LCRB will notify the relevant local government or Indigenous Nation. At that time, the local government or Indigenous Nation can conduct the public input process to determine if the community supports the RLRS application and provide comment/resolution. The local government or Indigenous Nation can also choose to "opt out" at which time the LCRB would take over the public input process.

The public input process for the RLRS licence is similar to the existing process for other liquor licence applications. If a local government chooses to conduct the public input process and provide comment, the relevant local government or Indigenous Nation must gather the views of residents and include a description of the method used to gather views. These comments are then provided to the LCRB. You can visit the LCRB's website to learn more about [local government's role in liquor licensing](#).

The LCRB continues to work with our administrative partners to find **ways to support British Columbians and the sectors we regulate during this challenging time**, and we remain committed to creating a fair and vibrant liquor industry that respects public safety and serves the needs of British Columbians across the province.

For questions related to specific RLRS applications, please contact the LCRB's client support team at LCRBLiquor@gov.bc.ca.

If you have general questions about this initiative, please contact our communications team at LCRB.Outreach@gov.bc.ca.

Sincerely,

Mary Sue Maloughney
Assistant Deputy Minister and General Manager
Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch
Ministry of Attorney General



Mel Arnold, MP
North Okanagan - Shuswap



City of Salmon Arm
Box 40 500- 2nd Ave
Salmon Arm, BC
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February 16, 2021

Email: aharrison@salmonarm.ca



Dear Mayor Harrison and Council,

On December 11th, 2020, the House of Commons passed a motion introduced by Conservative MP Todd Doherty, through unanimous consent, to bring a national 3-digit (988) suicide prevention hotline line to Canada. The motion was;

That, given that the alarming rate of suicide in Canada constitutes a national health crisis, the House call on the government to take immediate action, in collaboration with our provinces, to establish a national suicide prevention hotline that consolidates all suicide crisis numbers into one easy to remember three-digit (988) hot- line that is accessible to all Canadians.

My colleagues and I asking all municipalities across Canada to consider passing a motion similar, to the one below. In order to make the 988 number a reality, we must continue to put pressure on the government and the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC).

Personally, you can support the cause by signing our electronic petition at:
<https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Details?Petition=e-2772>

The past year has been a challenging year. Lives and livelihoods have been lost. We have begun to see the devastating impacts that COVID has had, through isolation, on the mental health of Canadians. The rates of suicide continue to rise. As elected officials and as leaders, and especially during this period of difficulty as a nation, Canadians are counting on all of us to make a difference.

In support of those at risk, please consider passing this motion as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

MP Mel Arnold

North Okanagan - Shuswap

Draft motion:

Support for 988 Crisis Line

WHEREAS the Federal government has passed a motion to adopt 988, a National three-digit suicide and crisis hotline;

AND WHEREAS the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has increased the demand for suicide prevention services by 200 per cent;

AND WHEREAS existing suicide prevention hotlines require the user to remember a 10-digit number and go through directories or be placed on hold;

AND WHEREAS in 2022 the United States will have in place a national 988 crisis hotline;

AND WHEREAS _____ Town Council/Municipality/City recognizes that it is a significant and important initiative to ensure critical barriers are removed to those in a crisis and seeking help;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT _____ Town Council/Municipality/City endorses this 988 crisis line initiative;

and that Staff be directed to send a letter indicating such support to the local MP, MPP, Federal Minister of Health, the CRTC and local area municipalities to indicate our support.