



# City of Revelstoke Public Notice

May 18, 2018

## Development Services Update #18-02

This notice is intended to keep the public informed about processing timelines and staffing capacity in the Development Services Department and will be updated regularly. The building and development permit issue is a priority and staff are very aware and focused on this issue.

- ⇒ The Development Services Department has secured a contract with Outwest Building Inspection Consultants, a company which will provide inspections and plan reviews on behalf of the City.
- ⇒ This service will begin on Tuesday, May 22.
- ⇒ Normal building inspection services will be provided 4 days per week, May 22 - May 25, and then Monday to Thursday on following weeks.

### **What are the next steps:**

- ⇒ With contracted building inspection services, permits submitted and waiting for review for new home construction will be prioritized.
- ⇒ The recruitment/hiring process for qualified in-house building inspectors is ongoing. The City has budgeted for and the goal is to hire two building inspectors.

### **What builders & contractors can do:**

- ⇒ Please contact Development Services to book your required inspections.
- ⇒ Do not cover any construction work. All Part 9 Buildings **must** be inspected by a designated City official. e.g. do not backfill footings, or cover vapour barrier with drywall etc. — please call and book an inspection.

***We thank the building community for their continued support and patience. We anticipate positive movement with building inspection assistance in the coming week.***