

# City Currents

COMMUNITY UPDATE SEPTEMBER 2, 2016

## TIME TO APPLY FOR 2017 COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP GRANTS-IN-AID

Campbell River City Council will be accepting applications for 2016 Community Partnership grants-in-aid until **4:30 p.m. Friday, September 16, 2016.**

Applications and a copy of Council's Finance Policy are available on the City website at [www.campbellriver.ca](http://www.campbellriver.ca) by selecting Your City Hall / Advisory Committees and Commissions / Community Partnership Committee (see link at the bottom of page) or from City Hall upon request.

Applications should be submitted to the attention of Dennis Brodie, Finance Operations Supervisor, 301 St. Ann's Road, Campbell River, BC V9W 4C7

For further information or clarification on the application process contact Dennis Brodie, at 250-286-5754 or email [dennis.brodie@campbellriver.ca](mailto:dennis.brodie@campbellriver.ca).

**Community Partnership Grants-in-aid are available for community groups which meet the criteria stated in the City of Campbell River Council Finance Policy Section 2.3.**

## CAMPBELL RIVER CITIZEN SATISFACTION SURVEY SEPT. 7-21

Randomly-selected residents aged 18 or older will be invited to answer questions by telephone on a wide range of topics.

People who are not interviewed by telephone can share their opinion by completing the online survey through the link on the homepage of the City's website ([www.campbellriver.ca](http://www.campbellriver.ca)).

Survey topics include:

- quality of life and favourite things about living in Campbell River
- most important issue facing the community
- ranking the importance of Council's priorities
- most important environmental concern
- satisfaction levels with various City services and overall quality of services
- value for tax dollars and services to reduce/enhance/introduce
- customer service needs, methods and quality rating
- information needs, methods and quality rating

Questions? Contact Julie Douglas, Communications Advisor at 250-286-5744.



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## KEEP KIDS SAFE BACK TO SCHOOL TIPS FOR EVERYONE

With children heading back to school Tuesday September 6, the City, the school district and RCMP are asking drivers, cyclists and parents to watch out for kids along roadways.

### Safety tips for sharing the road with school buses:

- Driving behind a bus, allow a greater following distance than if you were driving behind a car. It will give you more time to stop once the lights start flashing.
- Never pass a bus from any direction if the lights are flashing and it is stopped to load or unload children.
- Drivers in both directions must stop and wait until the lights go off and the bus is moving before they can start driving again.

Find more information on school zone safety at <http://www.icbc.com/road-safety/teaching/Documents/teach-your-child-to-be-a-safe-pedestrian.pdf>

