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## New online map for updates on Campbell River building and development applications

Campbell River has a new way to keep track of development around the city. The online development applications map shows where new development is proposed and what type of application is in the works – rezoning, development permit or a variance request.

The map is available on the City's website (<u>www.campbellriver.ca</u>) and shows the location and a brief summary of the proposed development. By the end of the year, an upgraded map tool will include all the details submitted as part of the application.

"The online map gives everyone a chance to see what is being proposed for different properties throughout the community," says Kevin Brooks, the City's acting development services manager. "This is another way we are trying to make access to development proposals and information more easily available for people and organizations – so they can see where and how the City is growing and changing."

One organization keen to monitor development applications is Greenways Land Trust.

"Greenways is interested in knowing where new development is happening in the city so that we can understand the potential impacts on our environment." says executive director Cynthia Bendickson. "The new development applications map makes it easy to find out where things are happening, and we appreciate access to the information even outside of regular working hours."

View the online development applications map at <u>www.campbellriver.ca/city-services/maps</u>. More mapping information – such as the real estate and Official Community Plan maps – is also available at this link.

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