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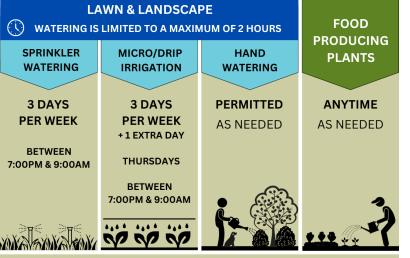
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CURRENT WATER RESTRICTIONS

STAGE 1 IN EFFECT

WATER RESTRICTIONS GUIDE



NUMBERED ADDRESS

ODD # MONDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY (DRIP) | SATURDAY
EVEN # TUESDAY | THURSDAY (DRIP) | FRIDAY | SUNDAY

PROPERTIES WITH MULTIPLE UNITS PER CIVIC ADDRESS, SUCH AS MOBILE HOME PARKS, SHOULD BASE THEIR IRRIGATION ON UNIT NUMBER WHERE POSSIBLE.

For more details and tips on conserving water visit www.oliver.ca/water-restrictions and refer to the Town of Oliver Water Restrictions Guide.

ACCESSIBILITY AND AGE FRIENDLY COMMITTEE

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Are you passionate about making Oliver a more inclusive and accessible community? We invite you to apply to join the Oliver Accessibility and Age Friendly Committee. **Make a meaningful impact in our community!** Apply today to join and help us create a town where everyone feels welcome and supported!

More information at www.oliver.ca/council-committees

Town of Oliver Contacts

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#250-485-6200 #250-485-6203 #250-485-6213 admin@oliver.ca



CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are the foundation of thriving communities, enriching lives through their dedication and shared expertise. Join your community's volunteers and help create a lasting, inspiring legacy for future generations. **Visit www.oliver.ca/volunteers** for more opportunities.



Oliver and District Recreation depends on enthusiastic volunteers to

support community events and assist with recreation programs for all ages. There are many rewarding and enjoyable ways to volunteer including special events, programs and promotions.

Emergency Support Services volunteers respond to and coordinate services for people displaced from their homes due to emergencies. ESS services can be deployed locally or virtually, anywhere within BC. Our teams assist with a wide range of needs, including lodging and food, pet care,



transportation, family reunification, crisis information, and more.



The Harvest Hut serves as a community hub during the summer and early fall where individuals can contribute their

surplus garden or farm produce. It facilitates connections between those wanting to share and those in need, embodying the spirit of "share what you have, take what you need."

FIRESMART - TAKE ACTION

The best defense against wildfires is to be prepared!

FireSmart™ actions should start at your home and work outwards. Actions taken closest to the home will have the greatest impact on increasing your home's wildfire resiliency. There are easy ways to assess your home. To learn more, scan the QR codes below or visit firesmartbc.ca



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PROJECT UPDATES



The Co-op Avenue reconstruction project is underway and will bring multifaceted benefits community including 230 meters of sidewalk to enhance pedestrian safety accessibility. Residents visitors will also see a significant increase in parking options.

A new three-way traffic stop at Co-op Avenue and Station Street further bolster traffic management, reduce congestion and potential accidents.

In addition to the road and sidewalk enhancements, crucial underground project encompasses infrastructure improvements to our sanitary sewer, storm sewer, reclaimed water, and potable water systems. The project is anticipated to be completed by September 30, 2024.

Upgrades to the Lion's Park Washroom have been completed. The enhancements include increased accessibility, an expanded building footprint, the installation

for year-round operation, upgrades to the existing washrooms, the construction of a new universal washroom, and the addition of shower rooms.



RECREATION UPDATE

Construction has started on the Oliver & District Arena Rehabilitation project. The project includes replacing the ice slab and dasher board system, installing an energy recovery system, upgrading refrigeration controls, ensuring life safety code compliance, and renovating dressing washrooms, and the kitchen for accessibility.

The Oliver and District Community Pool is now open for the summer until August 31, 2024. Find the pool schedule in our Recreation Guide or online at www.oliver.ca/communitypool

Oliver and District Recreation extends a heartfelt "Thank You!" to all volunteers and our title sponsor, the Kiwanis Club of Oliver, for dedicating their valuable time and efforts to making this year's Roots & Fruits Expo a great success.

Oliver and District Recreation Contacts

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PUBLIC NOTICE — Garbage Collection Schedule Update

Due to a scheduling error on the part of Waste Connections Canada, we are correcting the July 2024—March 2025 Collection **Schedule**. An updated paper copy is being distributed to residents with this utility billing cycle. Alternatively, an updated copy can be obtained on our website or at Town Hall.

BYLAW FOCUS – BOULEVARD MAINTENANCE

Taking pride in your property extends beyond your property lines. In Oliver, property owners are responsible for maintaining adjacent boulevards, laneways and alleys - this includes regular litter pick-up, watering grass, trees, and plants, mowing and trimming grass, and controlling weeds.

While property owners handle general upkeep, the municipality is responsible for pruning and maintaining street trees on the boulevard. Property owners should ensure these trees are adequately watered and report any health or safety concerns to the Public Works department at 250-485-6213.

By working together, we can ensure our community remains clean, safe, and beautiful for everyone.

PROPERTY TAX PRE- PAYMENT



Get a head start for 2025.

Pay 10 equal payments starting August 10, 2024 and ending May 10, 2025 for your 2025 taxes.

No payments will be withdrawn in June or July.

All outstanding 2024 amounts must be paid to be eligible for the 2025 pre-payment program.

Visit www.oliver.ca/preauthorized



JULY 8 - OCTOBER 7

MONDAYS 5:30PM - 6:30PM

KINSMEN SPRAY PARK PARKING LOT 255 FAIRVIEW ROAD, OLIVER

SHARE WHAT YOU HAVE, TAKE WHAT YOU NEED