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THE ISLAND

CVRD allocates \$10,000 to study island housing service

The funding is for a consultant to examine what an affordable housing service for Denman and Hornby could look like.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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The Comox Valley Regional District voted on March 7 to put \$10,000 toward developing an affordable housing service for Denman and Hornby, Area Director Daniel Arbour told the Grapevine.¹ The money is to hire a consultant to research possible models and speak with stakeholders, the report said. If a workable service is designed, it could go to a referendum on tax funding.¹ Arbour said the service could collect a small amount from residents of the two islands to support affordable and secure housing. He also said the existing projects on Denman and Hornby would not meet the housing need identified in a 2018 assessment.¹

THE ISLAND

Farm regulations questionnaire gets committee endorsement

Denman’s Local Trust Committee endorsed a draft community questionnaire and approved up to \$2,000 for its distribution.

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Denman’s Local Trust Committee generally endorsed a draft Farming Regulation Community Questionnaire at its February 15 special meeting, subject to changes discussed by trustees.¹

The committee approved releasing up to \$2,000 from the project budget for advertising and mailing the questionnaire to Denman residents and property owners. It also directed staff to work with the consultant to schedule and advertise a community information meeting in the spring.¹

The minutes say the questionnaire was lengthy and complex, but trustees considered explanatory material necessary to help respondents understand jurisdictional limits. The committee also discussed organizing project documents on the Islands Trust website.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

Forecast on record for this week. Later weather is not in this box.

Thu 2022-03-17: Overcast; 9°C / 6°C; wind SE 9 kn; daylight 07:31–19:26; moon Waxing Gibbous, 98% lit; high water 6:26 AM (4.6 m), low water 12:23 PM (2.5 m), high water 5:52 PM (4.2 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2022-03-17>

	Thu 17	Fri 18	Sat 19	Sun 20	Mon 21	Tue 22	Wed 23
Sky	Overcast	Drizzle	Drizzle	Overcast	Light drizzle	Fog	Light drizzle
High	9°C	10°C	10°C	7°C	7°C	11°C	12°C
Low	6°C	4°C	3°C	2°C	6°C	6°C	5°C
Wind	SE 9 kn	ESE 12 kn	NNE 11 kn	SE 14 kn	SE 13 kn	SE 12 kn	N 12 kn
Daylight	07:31–19:26	07:29–19:28	07:27–19:29	07:25–19:31	07:23–19:32	07:21–19:34	07:18–19:35
Moon	Waxing Gibbous	Full Moon	Full Moon	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous

Open-Meteo historical forecast. Tides: Canadian Hydrographic Service.

DENMAN FIRE RESCUE

Emergencies: **911**. Denman Island Fire Rescue is a volunteer department. This space is theirs in every edition, free, and is not for sale.

Burning restrictions change through the season. Check before you light anything — including this newspaper.

Sources

Every claim in this edition is cited. Full documents, and the checks each source passed, are at denmanisland.co/news — or ask us and we will post you a copy.

CVRD allocates \$10,000 to study island housing service

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, March 17, 2022 — “\$10,000 was voted on March 7 towards the development of an affordable housing service for Hornby and Denman.”

Farm regulations questionnaire gets committee endorsement

- 1. Denman LTC Special Meeting Minutes, February 15, 2022 — “that the Denman Island Local Trust Committee generally endorses the “Denman Island Farming Regulation Community Questionnaire” dated February 2022 subject to the points discussed at the meeting.”

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