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City of Parksville Releases 2008 Annual Report

Parksville, **BC** – **O**n June 9, the Council of the City of Parksville received the City of Parksville's 2008 Annual Report. The 2008 Annual Report is a 60 page document that highlights the goals and accomplishments of the City. A report from the mayor and chief administrative officer is included with the report as well as financial statements and report from the auditors.

The council for the City of Parksville will formally receive the 2008 Annual Report at a special Council meeting on Monday, June 22 at 5:45 pm, at which time the public is encouraged to provide their input and comments.

In accordance with the Community Charter, municipalities are required to prepare an annual report that provides a progress report on the performance of the City relative to established objectives and measures. The annual report includes a report on the municipality's services and operations for 2008 as well as clearly defined municipal goals and objectives for 2009. Under the provisions of the *Charter* the annual report must be considered by Council at a meeting prior to June 30 and the report must be available for public inspection for 14 days before the report is considered by Council.

"This report outlines the City's many accomplishments during 2008," said Mayor Ed Mayne. "The Annual Report identifies the highlights and achievements of 2008, sets out objectives and strategies for 2009 and also provides a clear financial picture of the City of Parksville. We encourage residents to provide their comments to Council at the public meeting on June 22," said Mayor Mayne.

A copy of the 2008 Annual Report is available for viewing on the City's website at <u>www.parksville.ca</u>

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