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SAN PAREIL FIRE PROTECTION UPGRADES UPDATE

Stage 1

Stage 1 of the San Pareil Fire Protection Upgrades project (provision of fire protection to all the Shorewood/San Pareil properties) is essentially complete. The purpose of this two-staged project is to upgrade the system to provide water quantity and pressure required for firefighting.

In this first phase of the project work included upgrading distribution lines, adding more fire hydrants, and replacing older, undersized water mains along portions of Terrien Way, Sabine Road, Shorewood Drive and all of San Malo Crescent. The upgraded watermain and fire hydrant installations ensure that all properties will have full fire protection once Stage 2 of the project is complete.

Stage 2

Design of the new reservoir, pump station and emergency power supply is well underway with construction planned to commence in the Spring of 2013. Once this second and final stage is completed in the Fall of 2013, the area will have full fire protection as required by the Fire Underwriters Association.

The Fire Underwriters Association will review and certify the system once the project is complete and will notify the insurance companies that their standards have been met.

For more information about the project, please call the RDN's Regional and Community Utilities Department at 250-390-6560 (Nanaimo area) or 1-877-607-4111 or email us at rcu@rdn.bc.ca.

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San Pareil Watermain Replacement Stage 1, Summer 2012

 Watermain



Reservoir Twinning,
Pumphouse Replacement
Stage 2, 2013

Questions?

If you have any questions please contact Water & Utility Services at 1-877-607-4111. rcu@rdn.bc.ca or visit the 'WaterSmart' website at www.rdn.bc.ca

