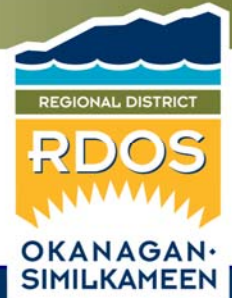


# Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen Naramata Water System Rehabilitation Project



July 2017

Keeping the Community Informed

## Clean Water and Wastewater Grant Fund

Construction has begun on the Naramata Water System Rehabilitation Project. In order to help minimize the effect of the work on Residents, Businesses and Tourists within the Naramata Community a detour has been put in place along the construction route on Naramata Road. The detour will be in effect from 7am to 7pm, Monday to Saturday until the end of November and is as follows:



**NORTHBOUND PASSENGER VEHICLES** take the Detour:

- ↗ Right at Gawne Road
- ← Left on Gammon Road
- ← Left on Arawana Road
- ↔ Either direction on Naramata Road

Please watch for local residents within the area and for on coming traffic.

**Please Obey Flagpersons**

**ALL SOUTHBOUND TRAFFIC** take Naramata Road.

**NORTHBOUND COMMERCIAL VEHICLES** must take Naramata Road.

**Please Obey Flagpersons**

Maximum 10 minute delays.

The traffic control personnel will assist pedestrian and cyclists safely through the active work area in either direction.

This is an active construction site. We ask that you exercise care and consideration of other vehicles, bicycles, pedestrians and workers when entering, passing through or exiting the work area and utilizing the detour route in order to ensure the safety of everyone within the construction zone.

**Businesses within the construction area are OPEN and can be accessed from the north end of the project**



## Communications Plan

### How will Residents and Businesses be updated regarding the Naramata Watermain Construction:

In order to ensure that Residents and Businesses are informed of the Naramata Water System Rehabilitation Project construction works the RDOS, Ecora and the project specific contractors will be following the communications plan detailed below:

- All general project newsletters will be sent to the Community of Naramata as needed by way of unaddressed mail. Additionally they will be sent through email to those who have provided their email addresses:
  - If you would like to be included in the updates sent by email please provide the following information to [cpilling@rdos.bc.ca](mailto:cpilling@rdos.bc.ca):
    - Name, Address, Email address, Phone number;
    - And to please be sure to mark emails from the RDOS as safe in your spam filter to ensure you receive the email newsletters;
- Newsletters for area specific Residents and Businesses will be sent as needed to their mailing address that is on file with BC Assessment;
- Information Releases will be distributed as needed;
- A Naramata Water System Rehabilitation Project webpage has been created on the RDOS website:
  - All communications will be saved to this page including any project updates and changes to the construction schedules;
  - When there is an update to the webpage a posting will be placed on the RDOS Facebook page;
  - Please follow the RDOS Facebook page to be informed of project updates and visit the RDOS website at [www.rdos.bc.ca](http://www.rdos.bc.ca) to view any updates;
- All Residents and Businesses will be notified by the Contractor:
  - 7 days in advance of work beginning in their specific area;
  - 48 hours in advance of any planned service disruptions or obstruction to accessing your property;
  - Service interruptions will be kept to a maximum of 6 hours in one day.

**The RDOS would like to encourage everyone within the Naramata Community to register their contact information with the RDOS, as detailed above, and to follow the RDOS on Facebook.**

**Thank You for your cooperation, patience and understanding during the much needed upgrades to your water system.**

