



## Regional District of Okanagan Similkameen

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### NOTICE – HYDRANT PERMIT USE RATE

Regional District Okanagan Similkameen (RDOS) charges for Hydrant Use at a rate of **\$50.00 per day**.

The RDOS has a limited number of Backflow Protection Assemblies, however they are not always available and in those circumstances, the applicant must provide an approved backflow protection assembly with a current test report.

The RDOS has identified specific hydrants that have the least impact on the water system when used. Information on the location of these hydrants is available by calling the office at 250.490.4135.

**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

**REGIONAL DISTRICT OKANAGAN SIMILKAMEEN (RDOS)  
FIRE HYDRANT USE PERMIT**

<b>DATE:</b>	
<b>NAME OF USER:</b>	
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	
<b>EMAIL:</b>	
<b>HYDRANT NUMBER:</b>	
<b>NAME OF WATER SYSTEM:</b>	
<b>HYDRANT ADDRESS LOCATION:</b>	
<b>REASON FOR USE:</b>	

<b>APPROVED BACKFLOW ASSEMBLY TEST CERTIFICATE NUMBER</b>	
<b>(ATTACH COPY TO YOUR APPLICATION)</b>	

**SPECIAL NOTES: RESALE AS POTABLE WATER IS PROHIBITED**

The valve shall be removed by the end of each work day, except by special permission. The applicant acknowledges that any damage to the hydrant or watermain as a result of hydrant use will be repaired at the applicant's expense. The applicant also accepts liability for all damages and occurrences related to their use of the hydrant identified herein.

**I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE REGULATIONS & INDEMNITY CLAUSE:**

<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	
<b>DATE:</b>	
<b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b>	
<b>HYDRANT NUMBER</b>	
<b>DATES OF PERMITTED USE</b>	
<b>FEE DEPOSITED (\$50 per day) or \$150/month</b>	

**FINANCE CODING:**

Naramata	→	3-1-3940-9000
Olalla	→	3-1-3960-9000
West Bench	→	3-1-3970-9000
Gallagher Lake	→	3-1-3975-9000
Willowbrook	→	3-1-3930-9000

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- A \$50.00 non-refundable fee is required for each day of use of a public hydrant.
- This permit is valid only for the dates identified.
- The permit must be in the possession of the user when operating the hydrant.
- A 2 1/2" port only shall be used.
- A 2" gate valve shall be installed on the hydrant. The operating wheel shall be removed when leaving the hydrant unattended.
- Ball valves are prohibited from use while operating a hydrant and **BALL VALVE HANDLES MUST BE REMOVED.**
- The Hydrant User shall be liable for all loss, costs, damages, and expenses whatsoever incurred or suffered by the RDOS, their elected officials, officers, employees and agents (the Indemnities) including but not limited to damage to or loss of property and loss of use thereof, and injury to or death of a person or persons resulting from or in connection with the performance, purported performance, or non-performance of this Permit, excepting only where such loss, costs, damages and expenses are as a result of the sole negligence of the Indemnities.
- The Hydrant User shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnities from all against all claims, demands, actions, proceedings, and liabilities whatsoever and all costs and expenses incurred in connection therewith and resulting from the performance, purported performance, or non-performance of this Permit, excepting only where such claim, demand, action, proceeding or liability is based on the sole negligence of the Indemnities.