



## Rocky Mountain School District No. 6

### Draft Long Term Facility Plan—Notice of Public Hearings

<u>KIMBERLEY ZONE</u>	<u>WINDERMERE ZONE</u>	<u>GOLDEN ZONE</u>
April 25, 2017 7:00 p.m. McKim Middle School Theatre 689 Rotary Drive Kimberley, BC	April 26, 2017 7:00 p.m. David Thompson Secondary School Theatre 1535—14th St. Invermere, BC	April 27, 2017 7:00 p.m. Golden Secondary School Drama Room 1500 9th St. South Golden, BC

#### Background Information

District Long Term Facility Plans are required by the Ministry of Education. They are needed to support Capital Plan requests, and to support the educational plans of a District over a 10 year window. The focus is to utilize our facilities efficiently while maximizing educational benefit to students. A Draft plan was prepared by Planning Works Consulting (Kelowna) with input from the Board of Education and a Steering Committee. It resulted from a study of community demographics and projected enrolments, the condition of current facilities, the current configuration of programs, transportation systems in the District and more. Information meetings were held in the Fall of 2016 and input to the Draft was received and considered by the Board. A revised Draft was made public on April 11, 2017.

#### The Hearings

The Hearings are open to all members of the public. A two minute time limit is in effect for people who wish to speak at these Hearings. A further two minutes is permitted to those wishing to speak a second time on new information, after all members of the public who are present have had an opportunity to speak once.

Please register in advance to be placed on the speaker list by calling Robin Myers, Executive Assistant at 250-342-9243 (4404). Please note, names will not be added to the list after 4:30 p.m. the day prior to the hearing. Everyone who wants to speak at the hearing will be given an opportunity, but those who have registered in advance will be allowed to speak prior to the floor being opened to all others in attendance.

Please note: the purpose of the hearings is for the purpose of the Board listening to the presentations from the public and not for debate or question and answer.

If you are unable to attend, and wish to submit your comments in written form, you may do so by sending your written submission to the School District. Written submissions should be received by 4:30 p.m. the day prior to the hearing, as follows:

By email: [robin.myers@sd6.bc.ca](mailto:robin.myers@sd6.bc.ca)

By Standard Mail: P.O. Box 430, Invermere BC V0A 1K0

By Fax: 250-342-6966

#### Finalizing the Draft

The Board encourages your input, and intends to finalize the Long Term Facility Plan at their Regular Meeting, 7:00 p.m. May 9, 2017 at Eileen Madson Primary School, Invermere BC.

#### How can I review the Draft Plan?

You can access the plan at the School District Website. Go to [www.sd6.bc.ca](http://www.sd6.bc.ca) and click on “Board of Education” and then “Board News” .