

## TERRACE AREA INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

### Changes to Septic Tank Pumpage Disposal

#### Closure of Septage Cells at Thornhill Landfill

To facilitate earthworks at the Thornhill Transfer Station site, the Regional District will be closing two of the three existing Thornhill Landfill septage cells prior to opening of the new Forceman Ridge septic tank pumpage receiving facility. Pumper truck operators are requested to respect construction related traffic patterns when accessing the remaining Thornhill Landfill cell.

#### Municipal Septic Tank Pumpage Only

Only municipal septic tank pumpage will be received at the remaining Thornhill Landfill cell. Other materials such as industrial/commercial slurries and wastes such as sludge from floor drains and oil-water separators will not be accepted. Two companies that accept this material and frequent Terrace are:

- TerraPure (formerly NewAlta) 1-800-263-8602
- Tervita 250-765-5740

Once completed, the new septic tank pumpage receiving facility at the Forceman Ridge site will accept municipal septic tank pumpage **only**.

#### New Facility Off-Loading Process

The Forceman Ridge Waste Management Facility is scheduled to open in summer/fall 2016. Septic tank pumper truck service providers will use a cardlock system to access the septic tank pumpage receiving facility. Discharge into the receiving basin will be by hose connection to the truck.

Waste volume will be metered during the discharge process and payment will be by invoice. The final design system, process details, and septic tank pumpage tipping fee remain under development.

For further information on these changes, contact the Regional District at 250-615-6100.

For information on the Terrace Area Integrated Solid Waste Management Program please call the Regional District at 250-615-6100, visit their website at [www.rdks.bc.ca](http://www.rdks.bc.ca), or contact Linda Zurkirchen, Stantec Consulting Ltd., Terrace Office, at 250-638-2702.