Southern Community Development Cost Charges

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About DCCs

- DCCs are to offset costs directly related to new development
- Local Government Act sets out the general requirements
- A one percent assist factor has been applied

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About DCCs

- The RDN applies DCCs to pay for projects that increase capacity of our wastewater facilities
- Local municipalities are responsible for collecting DCCs
- Southern Community DCCs are reduced by 50% for Affordable Housing

Current DCC Review

- Wastewater DCC Bylaw was last updated in 2017
- 2021 AECOM consultants led DCC Review
 - Development projections updated
 - Capital project cost estimates and schedule updated
 - Calculated new DCC rate
- Reviewed updated DCC data and bylaw with District of Lantzville staff and City of Nanaimo staff

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Wastewater Capital Projects

- Departure Bay Pump Station Upgrade
 - 2022 2025 Total project budget \$34 million
 - 80% DCC funding (\$27M) related to increasing pumping capacity
 associated with growth



Wastewater Capital Projects

- Hammond Bay Road Forcemain Twinning
 - 2022 2028 Total project budget \$45 million
 - 80% DCC funding (\$37M) related to increasing flow capacity



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Proposed DCC Rates

Development Type	Existing DCC rate per unit	Proposed DCC rate per unit	Percent increase
Single Family	\$2,951.37/unit	\$4,622.37/unit	57%
Multi-Family	\$17.40/m²	\$25.74/m²	48%
Mobile Home Park	\$1,748.81/m²	\$2,587.01/con.	48%
Commercial	\$17.66/m²	\$26.12/m ²	48%
Industrial	\$4.50/m²	\$6.66/m²	48%
Campground	\$482.21/m²	\$713.33/con.	48%
Institutional	\$26.12/m²	\$52.73/m ²	48%

