

## 2018

### Funding and Open House announcement for Supportive Housing project

1. **March 9**, 2018 Parksville Qualicum Beach News: <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/6-9-announced-for-up-to-50-supportive-housing-units-in-parksville/>
2. Parksville Qualicum Beach News **March 19, 2018**: <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/open-house-set-for-parksville-supportive-housing-project/>
3. Nanaimo News Now **March 9**, 2018: <http://nanaimonewsnow.com/article/571175/50-unit-supportive-housing-project-coming-parksville>
4. Times Colonist **March 10**: <http://www.timescolonist.com/news/local/parksville-modular-housing-project-to-help-homeless-planned-1.23197649>
5. The Lounge 99.9FM **March 12, 2018**: <http://www.thelounge999.com/2018/03/12/50-unit-supportive-housing-project-coming-to-parksville/>
6. BC Housing **March 9, 2018**: <https://www.bchousing.org/news?newsId=1479150901119>
7. BC Housing: <https://www.bchousing.org/partner-services/public-engagement/projects/parksville-oceanside-region>
8. BC Government News Release **March 9**:  
[https://archive.news.gov.bc.ca/releases/news\\_releases\\_2017-2021/2018MAH0020-000373.htm](https://archive.news.gov.bc.ca/releases/news_releases_2017-2021/2018MAH0020-000373.htm)
9. BC Gov News **March 9, 2018**: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2018MAH0020-000373>
10. <http://www.vitadaily.ca/fashion/parksville-modular-housing-project-to-help-homeless-planned-1.23197649>
11. Vancouver Courier **March 10, 2018**: <http://www.vancourier.com/2.2065/parksville-modular-housing-project-to-help-homeless-planned-1.23197649>
12. Nanaimo News Bulletin **March 9, 2018**: <https://www.nanaimobulletin.com/news/6-9-announced-for-up-to-50-supportive-housing-units-in-parksville/>

## 2017

- 1) Parksville Qualicum Beach News March 27, 2017 <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/location-funding-kick-start-parksville-housing-and-shelter-project/>
- 2) Nanaimo New Now - **On Monday, March 27, 2017**, the Regional District of Nanaimo provided a \$700,000 grant for the City of Parksville to buy land on Corfield St. for new housing. It followed a \$30,000 development grant from the province given to the City to support the project.
- 3) **March 15, 2017**: <https://www.sosd69.com/blog/item/homeless-in-oceanside-a-community-forum>
- 4) Regional District of Lantzville **March 2017** news release: City Purchases Land for Supportive Housing <http://www.rdn.bc.ca/news-release-march-27-2017>
- 5) BC Housing: **March 23, 2017** <https://www.bchousing.org/news?newsId=1479148850796>
- 6) The Beach 88.5FM, **March 29, 2017** 09:14 am: Land purchased for supportive housing in Parksville - <http://www.885thebeach.com/2017/03/29/land-purchased-for-supportive-housing-in-parksville/>
- 7) Wed, **March 29, 2017**: Parksville Council Agenda: <https://parksville.civicweb.net/document/26940>
- 8) **March 31, 2017** My Coast Now: People are living in the Woods <https://www.mycoastnow.com/29737/people-living-woods/>
- 9) Parksville-Qualicum Beach News – **April 3, 2017** <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/video-a-huge-increase-in-visible-homeless-in-parksville-qualicum-beach/>
- 10) **Oct. 20, 2016** Parksville - Qualicum Beach News: More homeless, fewer services in Parksville Qualicum Beach: <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/thursday-spotlight-more-homeless-fewer-services-in-parksville-qualicum-beach/>
- 11) **CBC: Feb. 21, 2017**: <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/homeless-parks-bc-parksville-abbotsford-maple-ridge-tent-city-1.3989376>
- 12) **Nov. 20, 2017**: <https://www.bchousing.org/news?newsId=1479150285034>

## 2016

### Oceanside Task Force receive government grant to a comprehensive proposal to determine what purpose-built housing project would best suit the needs of the local homeless

1. PQB News: **April 21, 2016** <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/homeless-task-force-gets-funding-from-the-province-to-develop-a-shelterhousing-plan-for-parksville-qualicum-beach/>
2. PQB News: **Aug. 2, 2016** <https://www.pqbnews.com/news/homeless-task-forces-proposal-to-b-c-housing-not-up-to-standard-says-cabinet-minister/>
3. **Thursday, March 30, 2016** Oceanside Task Force on Homelessness hosted a Community Forum from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Parksville Community and Conference Centre.
4. MLA Newsletter 2016 <http://michellestilwellmla.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/42/2016/07/July-2016.pdf>
5. **May 2, 2016** Homeless Camping in Parksville City Parks <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EycaQdEd6Ko>

## 2014

1. **April 1, 2014:** Number of homeless increasing in Parksville Qualicum Beach <https://www.bclocalnews.com/news/number-of-homeless-increasing-in-parksville-qualicum-beach/>
2. **2014 Oceanside Homelessness Needs Assessment :** <https://www.qualicumbeach.com/cms/wpattachments/wpID664atID3079.pdf>
3. **MARCH 25, 2014:** RDN MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING Oceanside Task Force on Homelessness Funding Request – Capacity Building to End Homelessness Reserve Fund. 14-253  
MOVED Director Anderson, SECONDED Director Houle, that the Regional District of Nanaimo Board allocate \$58,000 from the Reserve Fund to the Oceanside Task Force on Homelessness (under the auspices of the Society of Organized Services) to support the work of a Homelessness Coordinator for School District 69 for another year.  
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4. **Mar 7, 2014** Homelessness in Oceanside - Shaw TV <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UD9OG48UsGg>

## **2013**

1. The Task Force was approved for a federal grant that enabled it to hire a homeless co-ordinator, Sarah Poole.

## **2010**

1. Parksville Homeless count mentioned on Page 15.  
Hales, Jennifer, 2010, "Learning about Homelessness in British Columbia: A Guide for Senior High-School Teachers," Burnaby, BC, Canada: Department of Economics, Simon Fraser University, 166 pages.  
<http://www.sfu.ca/~pendakur/teaching/homelessness/Learning.About.Homelessness.pdf>