



# SPRING READINESS



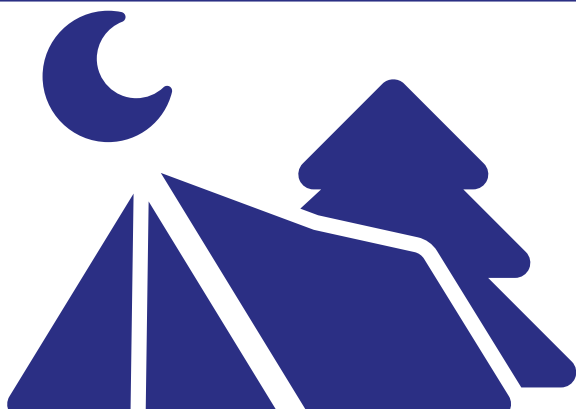
## DID YOU DROP THIS?

As we and our pets start to rediscover the ground underneath the snow, don't forget that all animal owners must clean up after their pets for any, shall we say, gifts they leave behind? (Municipal Code, section 5.5.5.3/4)



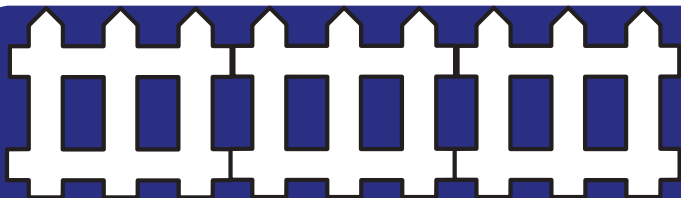
## LOCK UP YOUR BINS

If you live in Kitimat, you must make sure all of your waste is properly stored to prevent any animals from getting in. That means keep it in your garage or a fully enclosed storage bin or shed. (Municipal Code, section 7.1.2.3)



## WHERE CAN YOU CAMP IN KITIMAT?

The District of Kitimat has two wonderful campgrounds - Radley Park and Hirsch Creek. People may also camp on certain provincial Crown lands. A friendly reminder that riverbank camping is not permitted in the District of Kitimat along any parts of the Kitimat River. (Municipal Code, section 9.2.1.11/12-11)



## DO YOU HAVE A PERMIT FOR THAT?

Don't run afoul of the rules, get a building permit for these projects:

- Fences
- Demolitions
- Driveways
- Construction (e.g. garages)

## KEEP FRESH WITH A SPRING CLEAN

Keep it clean, Kitimat! Take care to not let your property become unsightly, it's against the rules. This includes keeping the property free of brush and noxious weeds, and taking care not to park any vehicles on the property if they're not licenced for the current or immediately preceding year - that is, unless they're inside an enclosed building. (Municipal Code, section 9.12.2)

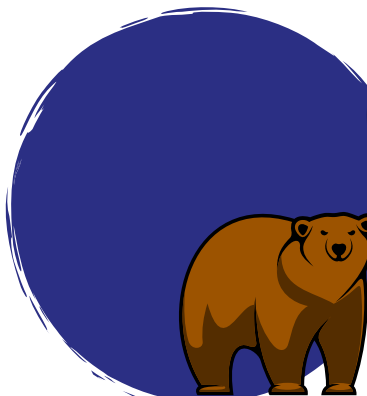


## YARD WASTE COLLECTION STARTS NOW

Curbside yard waste collection began May 2. Check your collection calendar to confirm your first collection day. More details on our website at [www.kitimat.ca/waylesswaste](http://www.kitimat.ca/waylesswaste). **PLEASE DO NOT DUMP YARD WASTE IN PUBLIC SPACES, DISPOSE OF WASTE PROPERLY**

### KEEP YOUR GRASS TRIMMED AND TIDY

It is your responsibility to keep your yard properly mowed. Did you know, it's not just about being tidy. Regular mowing can prevent the spread of noxious or invasive weeds, keep your soil healthy, and will prevent the appearance of mice and other rodents.



**I'M WAKING UP AND LOOKING FOR FOOD. PLEASE KEEP YOUR GARBAGE LOCKED AWAY. IF I SMELL ANYTHING GOOD IN YOURS I MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO CONTROL MYSELF!**