



## More Infrastructure Projects Announced

The federal and provincial governments have announced that they will each be contributing \$29 million towards 40 community projects and a further 17 “green” infrastructure projects. This brings the total value of approved projects to \$763 million.

### “Green” Projects:

**Kootenay:** Approximately \$4 million towards three water system projects.

**Lower Mainland:** \$3 million for a water treatment facility in West Vancouver.

**North Coast:** Approximately \$3 million towards four water and wastewater projects.

**Thompson-Okanagan:** \$1.9 million to upgrade a wastewater treatment facility.

**Vancouver Island/Coast:** Approximately \$12 million towards 8 water system projects.

### Community Projects:

**Caribou:** Approximately \$2.1 million for airport improvements for 100 Mile House, and a tourism center for Williams lake.

**Kootenay:** \$350,000 for a new library in Creston and a new Tennis and Badminton Club building in Kimberley.

**Lower Mainland:** Approximately \$11 million for various community centers, sporting venues and infrastructure projects in Anmore, Burnaby, Delta, North Vancouver, Pitt Meadows, Surrey, Vancouver, Mission, and Pemberton.

**Nechako:** Approximately \$1 million for street improvements in Burns Lake and Smithers and a new library in Fort St. James.

**North Coast:** Approximately \$6 million for various community facilities and street improvements in Prince Rupert, Kitimat, Terrace, and Port Clements.

**North East:** Approximately \$2.3 million for road works in Fort St. John and Tumbler Ridge and completion of a community center in Taylor.

**Thompson/Okanagan:** Approximately \$3.5 million for park improvements in Westbank, a new arena in Armstrong/Spallumcheen and storm sewer improvements in Cache Creek.

**Vancouver Island/Coast:** Approximately \$9 million for various community centers, road works, and sporting venues in Courtenay, Sidney, Cowichan, Parksville, Ladysmith, Qualicum Beach, Lasqueti Island, and Sooke.

Further details on the announced projects can be obtained at the BC Government website at: [www.news.gov.bc.ca](http://www.news.gov.bc.ca)

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