

REVELSTOKE RECOVERY TASK FORCE

Response

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RECOVERY TASK FORCE UPDATES

July 10, 2020

On [May 12, 2020](#), City of Revelstoke Council supported establishment of a [Recovery Task Force](#) (RTF) in collaboration with the [CSRD](#).

The **PURPOSE** of the Recovery Task Force is to identify immediate and long-term needs, assess various initiatives, and craft a response to the economic disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic that best serve the needs of the local community.

Intended to be a non-partisan, multi-sectoral 'think-tank', the RTF is a collaborative effort led by the [City of Revelstoke - Community Economic Development \(CED\)](#) department in collaboration with the [Revelstoke Chamber of Commerce](#) and [Visitor Centre](#), [Community Futures](#), [Tourism Revelstoke](#), and select industry/social sector representatives.

EXPANDED SPACE FOR BUSINESSES AND 'PARKLET' PILOT PROJECT

City Council has made [recent approvals](#) to waive fees for businesses to expand into their frontage onto City sidewalks and parking stalls to help with physical distancing guidelines.

These options include:

Retailers & Shops: [display table/rack OR table & chairs](#) on sidewalks, and ['parklet'](#) seating areas in parking stalls

Restaurants & Bars: [patios on sidewalks or extending into parking stalls](#)

Fees for these permits have been waived until October 15, 2020.

To inquire about permit requirements and to apply, contact Development Services:

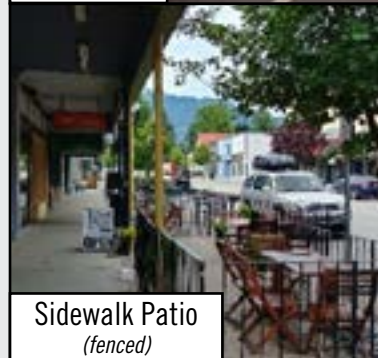
250-837-3637 development@revelstoke.ca



Parklet



Curbside Patio



Sidewalk Patio
(fenced)



Sidewalk Patio
(non-fenced)

MACKENZIE AVENUE PILOT PROJECT

Through extensive consultation with the local business community, the RTF has [recommended to Council](#) a phased approach to support Revelstoke's vibrant downtown economy including:

Phase 1

Communicating options for local business to increase capacity while maintaining physical distancing guidelines.

Phase 2

[The 'Parklet' Pilot Project](#)
Extended waiting areas for retailers!
Fees for these permits have been waived until October 15, 2020.
See details above to APPLY!

Phase 3

Assessment of Phase 1 and 2 and a further look at creation of expanded space for additional capacity including potential street closures during peak pedestrian traffic hours.

For more information, updates, and resources visit: REVELSTOKE.CA/RTF

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ART DECAL PILOT PROJECT

Sponsored by the Revelstoke Credit Union and working with local artists and Signs Ink, physical distancing Art Decals will be placed on sidewalks around the Credit Union. There will be an opportunity to expand this project to other businesses.

The decals will feature notable revelstoke scenes and landscapes by local artists.

The Art Decals enhance the experience for locals and tourists while observing physical distancing guidelines.



REVVY. MASKS

We've ordered 10,000 masks, funded by the Resort Municipality Initiative, to promote safety for visitors and locals.

In partnership with the Revelstoke Chamber of Commerce, these masks will be distributed through the Revelstoke Visitor Centre while quantities last.

We'll announce when our REVVY. masks have arrived!



REVVY. RULES

[REVVY. Rules posters](#) are available at the Revelstoke Visitor Centre for businesses to encourage both visitors and locals to follow the simple guidelines set out by the Province of BC to keep everyone safe and healthy.

Tourism Revelstoke has also created additional digital components that outline the REVVY. Rules and how to explore both responsibly and safely to keep our community and visitors safe.

[Revelstoke Tourism Blog](#)

[Amp Travel Ad](#)



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