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**FROM: SUMMER VILLAGE OF JARVIS BAY COUNCIL**

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To get information out in a variety of ways, Council is trying something new and will be posting these memos on the Community Notice Boards from time to time. To ensure you have the most up to date information please visit the website and sign up for the Friday email blasts, details below!

- **MPC and SDAB** – Calling all residents! Members-at-large are required to sit on the Municipal Planning Commission (MPC) or the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board (SDAB). Appointments typically occur at the organizational meeting in July, however, members can be appointed by Council at any regular meeting. Please note the SDAB has a three-day training course that is required for certification prior to being able to sit for a SDAB hearing. If you are interested in being involved in your community, please reach out via email to sign up:

[info@sylvansummervillages.ca](mailto:info@sylvansummervillages.ca)

- **Radon Awareness** – Did you know radon exposure is linked to lung cancer? Tests have shown that the Sylvan Lake area may have elevated levels of radon. Recently a few residents tested their property and found elevated levels of radon that required mitigation. If you are a card holder of the Sylvan Lake Municipal Library, you can request an assessment device to sign out. Please keep your family safe and check out this link for more information and education:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/health-risks-safety/radiation/radon.html>

- **Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS)** – All prohibited AIS must be reported within 14 days in compliance with Fisheries (Ministerial) Regulation Section 6.2. Even if you are unsure if a species is native or invasive, please report anyways, they can help with identification. Ways to report include:

**AIS Hotline:** 1-855-336-2628 (BOAT) / **Email:** [epa.ais@gov.ab.ca](mailto:epa.ais@gov.ab.ca) / **EDDMapS** (app or website)

- **Upcoming Meetings** – Council will be held on Tuesday May 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am. The gallery of Council Chambers is open to anyone wishing to attend in person or the meeting can be attended online. For Zoom links to the meeting and agenda packages check out this link:

<http://www.sylvansummervillages.ca/jarvis-bay.html>

- **Sign Up for Email Notifications** – Signing up for weekly email notifications will keep you up to date on pertinent information within your municipality. Please sign up at the following link:

<http://www.sylvansummervillages.ca/jarvis-bay.html>

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