

Thousands of District residents are asking that the Town of Westbank, BC V4T be recognized in our District's OCP.

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1/3 of the residents living within our community (IR9 and IR10) were not allowed to give their opinion on the Naming Opinion Vote. The District of West Kelowna is now inviting everyone's participation including all residents now living on First Nation Lands. Your public input towards this final draft of the Official Community Plan is welcome.

Even though our council has allowed Westbank as a valid alternate for the V4T area, the gradual shift and migration to using the West Kelowna address, as the change comes about, will only create confusion. Changing resident's personal, business, legal documents, and signs will involve a gigantic expense. Not to mention the costs to BC taxpayers for replacing highway signs. Our town is being erased from official maps, and Westbank is often referred to as West Kelowna by local media and business advertising. This is not the case in Winfield or Oyama. These towns have both maintained their place, as small towns, in the District of Lake Country. We ask nothing less for Westbank, BC V4T.

If you want Westbank, BC V4T to be preserved within the District of West Kelowna – Your public input is important.

Come out and help support the future of Westbank!
Thursday, Dec. 10, 2009 ~ 6:30 PM
Mount Boucherie Secondary ~ Main Entrance

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WESTBANK RESIDENTS ASK THEIR COUNCIL FOR A PUBLIC MEETING

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The following suggestions for Westbank, BC V4T have been submitted to our District Mayor, Council and Planning Department as input to the Official Community Plan.

1. Westbank be recognized as a town within the District of West Kelowna, such as Winfield and Oyama are recognized within the District of Lake Country.
2. Westbank's boundaries be defined as the long-standing V4T Postal Area.
3. Westbank's Post Code & Address designation be maintained, legally, through Canada Post.
4. Westbank be acknowledged as the foundation of the V4T area, not overshadowing, but supporting the growth of surrounding neighborhoods.
5. The Town of Westbank name be kept on existing and future District Maps and Tourism signage.
6. That decisions which have broad effects on residents of this District - be put to a public vote, not an opinion poll. Westbank citizens do recognize that our Government's name has been changed to District of West Kelowna. However, Westbank citizens do not recognize the opinion poll as legally changing the name of the V4T area, known by local residents as the Town of Westbank, BC.

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