

City of Fernan Lake

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Dear Fernan Resident:

Newsletter

SPEED LIMITS – BE CAREFUL OUT THERE!

Now that school has started and there are an increasing number of families with school age children in the city, it is imperative to obey the speed limits of Fernan Lake. There are no sidewalks in Fernan and so children play and walk to school or the bus in the street. Fernan is pedestrian friendly and so our walkers travel in the street.

The current speed limit for Fernan Lake Village is 15 mph. There have been several observations of residents exceeding the speed limit through the residential streets, which jeopardizes the safety of pedestrians. Please be aware of the speed limit. The City has contacted the Kootenai County Sheriff's Department to increase traffic patrols in the area. Ordinance 112 states that a speed limit infraction is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100.00 for each infraction. If we continue to have problems with neighborhood speeders, the City will consider additional speed bumps on side streets.

Again, we all want to ensure the health and safety of our citizens. Please take care when driving through the residential streets of Fernan Lake Village.

FERNAN SEWER SYSTEM

Just a reminder on the procedures for any sewage problems or if your alarm starts to ring.

IF THE ALARM IS ON AT THE SEWAGE PUMP CONTROL PANEL, DO NOT OPEN THE ELECTRICAL PANEL AND PLEASE CALL IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

1. BOB KUCHENSKI – Phone 683-0500 immediately.
2. If unable to contact Mr. Kuchenski, leave a message and then call BOB CHANDLER, Environmental Systems Operations at 691-3428.
3. If unable to contact Kuchenski or Chandler, leave messages and then please call R.C. WORST at phone 664-2133.

WHEN CALLING, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND A RETURN PHONE NUMBER. THIS WILL EXPEDITE YOUR SERVICE.

ELECTIONS INFORMATION

Elections: November 2, 2010
Location: Lakes Middle School Library
930 N. 15th Street

The City Clerk has voter registration forms and applications for absentee ballots and you can contact her via phone (208-640-9530) or via e-mail (cherihowell@roadrunner.com)

Walk in absentee voting will begin in the elections office on October 12th and continue through October 29th. Satellite offices will take absentee ballots at Coeur d Alene City Hall, Hayden City Hall, Post Falls City Hall and Rathdrum City Hall beginning October 18th through October 29th. You can vote absentee at any satellite polling place, you do not have to live in that city.

If you are new to the City, the 1st day to pre-register to vote for the November Election is October 8th. If you have not registered to vote by October 8th, you will need to wait until Election Day.

Any questions regarding the items on the ballot can be answered by the Office of Kootenai County Election at 446-1030. This is a County election.

THANK YOU

Thank you for choosing Fernan as your home. If you are new to our fine community, do not hesitate to contact our City Clerk for a welcome newsletter and any questions you may have about the City regulations. Please feel free to contact us if you have compliments, questions or concerns regarding our lovely City.

Jim Elder, Mayor	208-641-4958
Mary Ann Tierney	208-667-7293
Sue Myers	208-676-0602
Pete Job	509-710-1992
Dick Jurvelin	208-664-9221
Cheri Howell, City Clerk	208-640-9530

Please check out our website at www.fernenvillage.org
for upcoming meetings and additional information.