



# Community for Clean Water

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**Community for Clean Water** is a grassroots organization of Prince Rupert residents who value clean water for everyone, because access to drinking water is a human right. We know that public infrastructure – like the clean water system for our city – supports property values, drives economic investment, and ensures the health of everyone in the community. Let's work together to ensure that clean water is on tap for everyone.

## Values:

- Access to clean water as a human right
- Good government and civic engagement
- Transparency, accountability, and fairness

## Priorities:

- Strong public infrastructure that ensures access to clean water for everyone – even when there's a boil water notice in effect
- Preparedness that includes reaching out to everyone (especially to those who are most vulnerable or with the greatest unmet needs)
- Good governance, civility, and civic engagement for the good of the community as a whole

## What's the short term strategy and vision?

- **Clean Water for Everyone - Even During a Boil Water Notice**  
Focus the broader conversation on ensuring that the needs of everyone are met by government, especially people who can't afford to buy water or who don't have the resources to boil large quantities of water.
- **Work Together for a Solution**  
Continue to reach out to others in the community and help open up constructive and solutions-focused discussion about how to respond to the immediate boil water notice conditions.

## What's the long term strategy and vision?

- **Connect Existing Organizations that Support Clean Water for Everyone**  
Work with First Nations and other levels of government to build support for clean water for everyone. Also help support development of a network of Indigenous organizations, local businesses, unions, faith communities, and civic organizations to develop long-term commitments for clean water.