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**To:** Mayor and Council  
**From:** Paul Gipps, CAO

**Meeting Date:** March 17, 2026  
**Meeting Type:** Regular Council Meeting

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1. **Pop-Up Recycling Depot:** Stop by the Municipal Hall parking lot on March 28, from 10am-2pm to drop off depot-only recycling (such as Styrofoam, non-deposit glass, flexible plastics). Enter a draw for the monthly prize – a \$50 gift card to a local business of the winner's choice. For more information on recycling in the area, please visit [www.recyclebc.ca](http://www.recyclebc.ca).
2. The **Swalwell Park playground** is now open for use! Playground upgrades are complete and residents are invited to check it out and enjoy the new upgrades. Please respect the construction fencing as work is still taking place on the washrooms, water mechanical room, entertainment pavilion and landscaping. An accessible port-a-potty has been placed on site for use until the washroom updates are complete. Watch for news of the grand opening event when the Splash park is completed and open for use.
3. Crews have begun the **spring street and sidewalk sweeping**. If you see the street sweeping signs, please plan to park off-street to aid the crews in reaching all the road areas as needed. Work is weather-dependent, thank you for your cooperation.

Respectfully Submitted.

**Caitlin Brothen, Communications Officer**