



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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### **LUMBY FLOOD PREPARATION UPDATE: PROVINCIAL RESOURCES DEPLOYED TO LUMBY**

The Village of Lumby would like to advise that the Provincial sandbagging machine, which is capable of producing more than 1,000 sandbags per hour, arrived in Lumby on Friday May 4<sup>th</sup>.

The Province has also provided 20 WFMB fire fighters, who will be in Lumby on May 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>, to construct sandbags, carry out condition assessments of last years' sandbag stock, and perform site specific sandbag deployment to protect municipal infrastructure.

Lumby and area residents can pick up the filled sandbags across from the Lumby Curling Club (2230 Shields Avenue) and at the Faulkner Avenue site.

Further, Emergency Management B.C. has agreed to provide an emergency planning specialist on May 7<sup>th</sup> to evaluate the situation and provide observations and recommendations.

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