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Thank you for all those that attended my last town hall meeting of my elected term.

For those that could not make it here are some quick points as we head to a fall election;

1. No tax increase for SRD services in 2026. Tax level is the same as last year for SRD services.
2. Community cash reserves heading into this fall election is up 2 million dollars when compared to what cash reserves were in 2022. For those that want the numbers there was \$2.5 million in 2022 and now there is \$4.5 million.
3. Long standing parks projects have been completed over the past three plus years.
4. Transit service enhancements such as bus shelters and new bus stops were long over due. With four bus shelters in place and 2 more coming this year that is a significant investment over this term of 4 years.
5. Glenmore Rd - Discovery Foods is still slated for considerable improvements which should be starting soon.
6. New Regional District projects are nearing completion such as
 1. New Aquatic Centre which opens in Sept 2026.
 2. Just like Home Lodge and Workforce housing which open later this year.
7. Traffic study is wrapping up and I will have a first look at the study in a few weeks and final report should be coming out in April.
8. For those connected to the Campbell River Water service all the water meters are installed and staff will be bringing the water bylaws to the board in Sept to set meter rates, and those rates should kick in in Jan 2027.

Thank you for all those that have supported me over the past 3 plus years.

It has been a pleasure to serve this community and I am very proud of what has been accomplished.

That success would not have been possible without community support and the hard work from SRD management and staff.

Yes, I will be putting my name forward as a candidate for the fall elections.

Expect a more robust statement to come in April as I prepare to start knocking on doors seeking community support for another term.