

TSUNAMI NOTIFICATION ZONES - BRITISH COLUMBIA

Communities within Tsunami Notification Zone E

Capital Regional District
Comox Valley Regional District
Cowichan Valley Regional District
Greater Vancouver Regional District
Mount Waddington Regional District

Bowen Island
Buckley Bay
Burnaby
Campbell River
Cedar
Comox
Courtenay
Cowichan Bay
Cowichan Tribes
Cracroft
Crofton
Cumberland
Delta
Denman Island
Duncan
Echo Bay
Fanny Bay
Garden Bay
Gibsons
Halalt First Nation

Homalco (Xwemalkw) Indian Band
Hornby Island
K'ómoks (Comox) First Nation
Karlukwees
Klahoose First Nation
Kwakiak First Nations
Kwikwetlem First Nation
Ladysmith
Lake Cowichan First Nation
Lang Bay
Lantzville
Lions Bay
Lund
Lyackson First Nations
Malahat Indian Band
Mill Bay
Minstrel Island
Musqueam Indian Band
Nanaimo
Nanose Bay

Nanaimo Regional District
Powell River Regional District
Strathcona Regional District
Squamish-Lillooet Regional District
Sunshine Coast Regional District

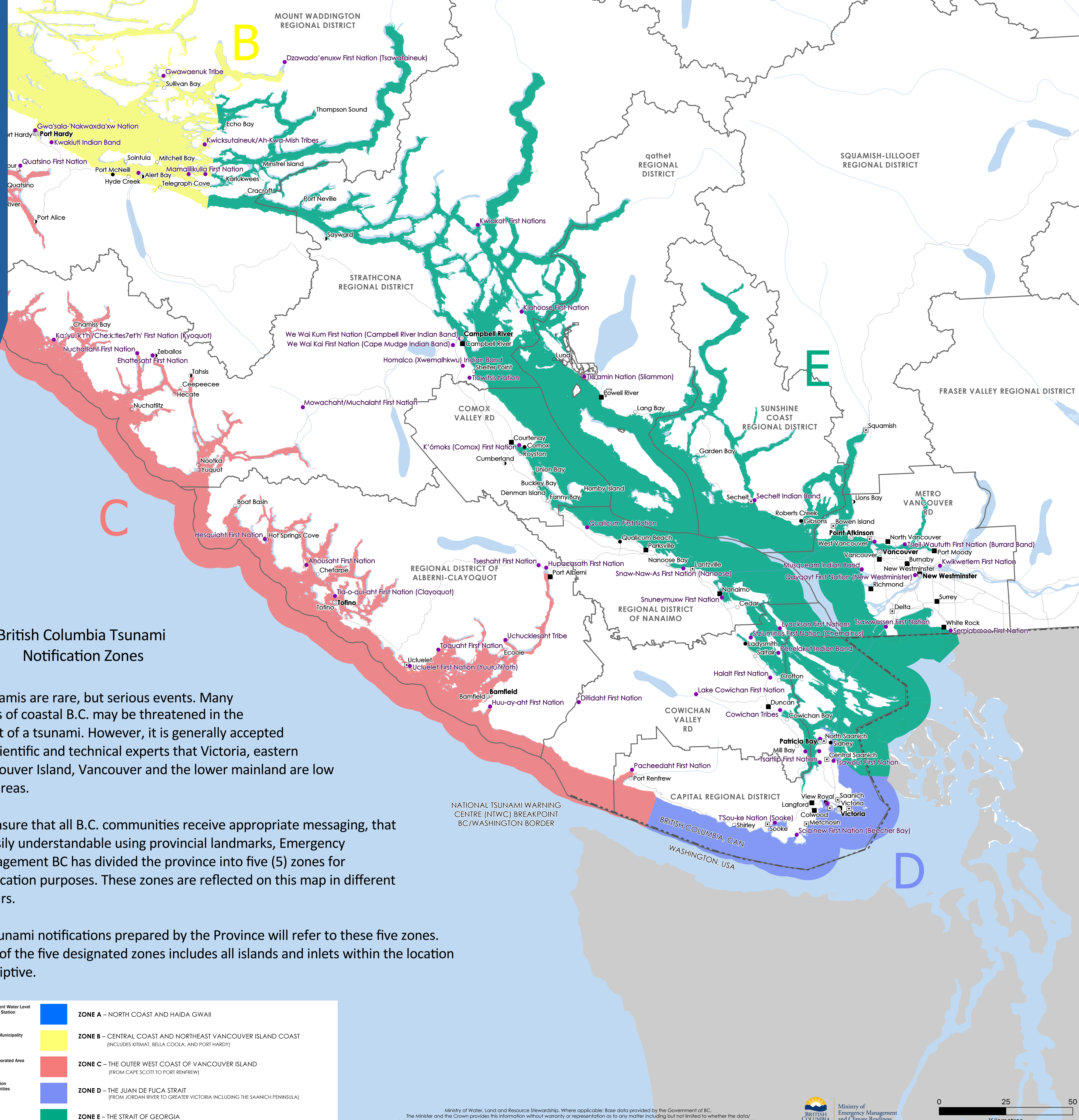
New Westminster
North Vancouver
Parksville
Pauquachin First Nation
Penelakut Indian Band
Port Moody
Port Neville
Powell River
Qayqayt First Nation (New Westminster)
Qualicum Beach
Qualicum First Nation
Richmond
Roberts Creek
Royston
Saltair
Sayward
Sechelt
Sechelt Indian Band
Semiahmoo First Nation
Shelter Point

Snaw-Naw-As First Nation (Nanosee)
Snuneymuxw First Nation
Squamish
Squamish Nation
Stz'uminus First Nation (Chemainus)
Surrey
Thompson Sound
Tla'amin Nation (Sliammon)
Tlowitsis Nation
Tsartlip First Nation
Tsawwassen First Nation
Tseycum First Nation
Tsil'it-Waututh First Nation (Burrard Band)
Union Bay
Vancouver
We Wai First Nation (Cape Mudge Indian Band)
We Wai Kum First Nation (Campbell River Indian Band)
West Vancouver
White Rock

NOTIFICATIONS

Alert Level	Threat	Action
Warning	Inundating wave is possible	Full evacuation suggested
Advisory	Strong currents likely	Stay away from the shore
Watch	Danger level not yet known	Stay alert for more information
Information	Minor waves at most	No action suggested

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British Columbia Tsunami Notification Zones

Tsunamis are rare, but serious events. Many areas of coastal B.C. may be threatened in the event of a tsunami. However, it is generally accepted by scientific and technical experts that Victoria, eastern Vancouver Island, Vancouver and the lower mainland are low risk areas.

To ensure that all B.C. communities receive appropriate messaging, that is easily understandable using provincial landmarks, Emergency Management BC has divided the province into five (5) zones for notification purposes. These zones are reflected on this map in different colours.

All tsunami notifications prepared by the Province will refer to these five zones. Each of the five designated zones includes all islands and inlets within the location descriptive.

- Permanent Water Level Network Station
- City
- District Municipality
- Town
- Unincorporated Area
- Village
- First Nations Communities
- Ferry
- Highway
- Regional Districts

- ZONE A – NORTH COAST AND HAIDA GWAI**
- ZONE B – CENTRAL COAST AND NORTHEAST VANCOUVER ISLAND COAST**
(INCLUDES KITIMAT, BELLA COOLA, AND PORT HARDY)
- ZONE C – THE OUTER WEST COAST OF VANCOUVER ISLAND**
(FROM CAPE SCOTT TO PORT RENFREW)
- ZONE D – THE JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT**
(FROM JORDAN RIVER TO GREATER VICTORIA INCLUDING THE SAANICH PENINSULA)
- ZONE E – THE STRAIT OF GEORGIA**
(INCLUDING THE GULF ISLANDS, GREATER VANCOUVER AND JOHNSTONE STRAIT)

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