

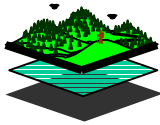
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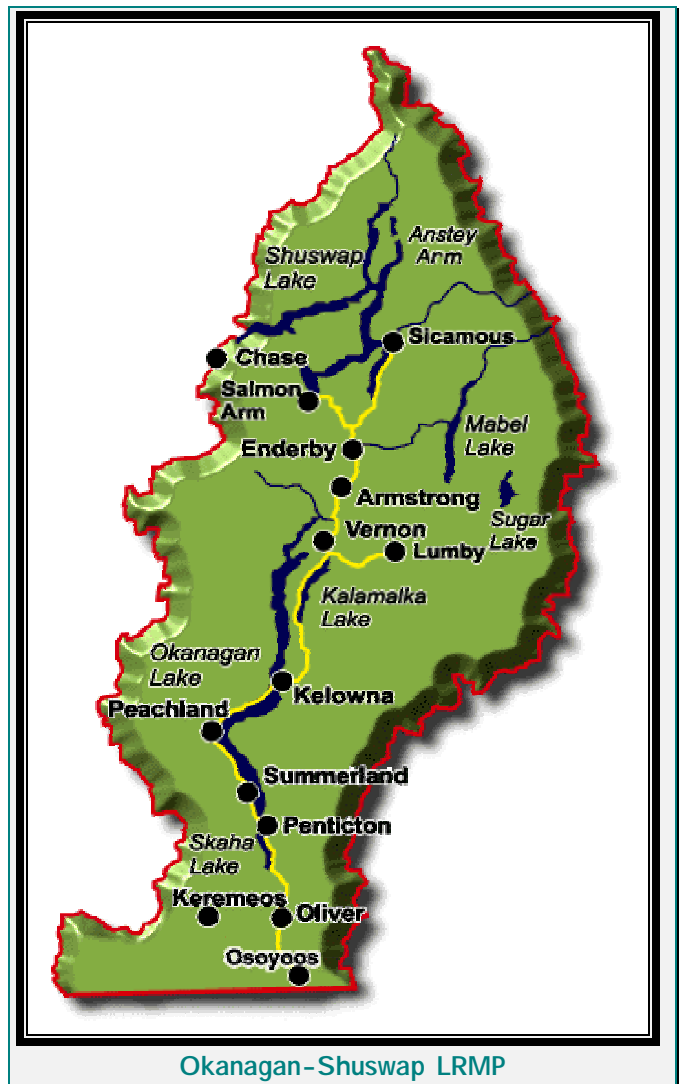


LRMP Orientation for Local Government Staff

This Fact Sheet #4 is one of a series of Implementation Fact Sheets/Bulletins prepared by the Plan Support Team (PST) to provide information on various components related to the implementation of the Okanagan-Shuswap LRMP (OSLRMP).

Cabinet approved the Okanagan-Shuswap Land and Resource Management Plan (LRMP) in January of 2001. This plan provides strategic management direction over the Crown land within the Salmon Arm, Penticton, and Vernon Forest Districts. Implementation by provincial resource agencies is now being initiated through operational plans and the establishment of new Provincial Parks.

Local government interests were represented at the planning table throughout the five years the LRMP was being developed. Local government interests are reflected in the Protected Areas component as well as within the direction to provincial agencies stipulated in Resource Management Zones. Unique to the Okanagan-Shuswap LRMP, and as an outcome of local government participation, is the Community/Crown Interface Resource Management Zone (RMZ).



Produced by the LRMP Plan Support Team to assist operational staff in both industry and Government agencies during implementation of the LRMP.
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Community/Crown Interface Resource Management Zone (RMZ)

The RMZ was proposed to address some of the issues facing communities adjacent to Crown land. Resource development proposals and Crown land alienation will undergo enhanced referral processes to accommodate local government interests associated with public recreation, public infrastructure, visual quality, risk management, foreshore and aquatic management, water quality, urban sprawl and environmental protection.

Relevance to Local Government

In addition to providing for an "enhanced referral process", the LRMP product will assist local government planning and approval processes including the development of Official Community Plans, reviewing subdivision proposals, processing Crown land referrals, planning for new infrastructure projects, and planning for growth and public recreation opportunities.

Want to learn more?

Contact Your Local Government Training Steering Committee

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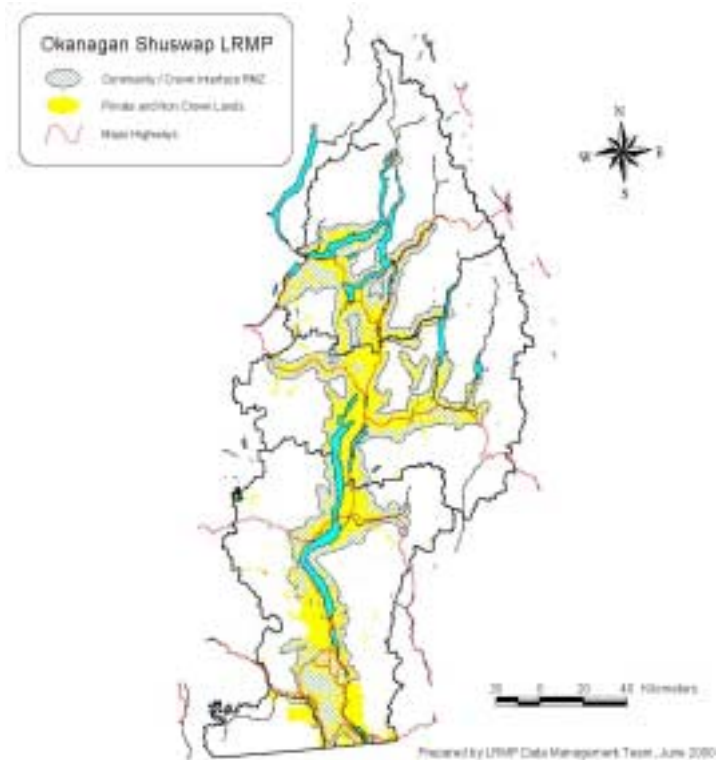
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**For further information on LRMP management direction,
view the document and maps on the LRMP Website at:**

www.lrmp.gov.bc.ca/okanagan



Orientation Session Scheduled

Local government planners will be invited to an LRMP orientation/training session scheduled for:

Thursday, October 25, 2001

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Duffers on KLO Road in Kelowna