

Municipality of the County of Cumberland  
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*Municipality welcomes Parrsboro staff, residents, business, and  
community organizations*

The Municipality of the County of Cumberland formally extends a warm welcome to Parrsboro staff, residents, business, and community organizations on the merger of our two municipalities.

“These are exciting and challenging times for our municipalities in Cumberland County,” said County CAO Rennie Bugley. “We look forward to managing the transition in a manner that will engage and inform staff, residents, and the community. We want the input of people as we implement this change,” he added.

The Municipality wants to assure the community that it is business as usual for residents and business. All services that are currently provided will continue.

There are a number of initiatives that will be occurring over the next several months and years for that area of Cumberland, including a Municipal Planning Strategy Review, a Tidal Power Readiness Project, and an Economic Development Strategy. The Municipality has a solid framework in place to manage these transition priorities and initiatives.

The Municipality is positive about its future. “We have added experienced and quality staff, we have added to our population base, we have added interested and engaged residents, businesses and community organizations, and we have financial capacity. We can develop plans on a regional basis,” says Bugley. “We are very positive about the future.”

For more information on the Parrsboro Dissolution, please visit the Municipality of the County of Cumberland’s website ([cumberlandcounty.ns.ca](http://cumberlandcounty.ns.ca)).

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