



**2009 BC Communities in Bloom Awards & Conference**

**September 18-20, 2009**

**Hosted by the Village of Harrison Hot Springs CIB**

# Living WITH OUR Land

**CONFERENCE**

**Your retreat to nature is just up the road...**

Nestled against Southwestern British Columbia's magnificent mountains and the sandy beaches of Harrison Lake, Harrison Village is a fabulous vacation destination filled with a rich history and natural wonders. Drive away from the hectic pace of life and let your body and mind indulge in a diverse range of conference activities that your hosts have planned for you.

Experience our mineral hot springs pools' therapeutic properties at the public pool or at our conference hotel: **Harrison Hot Springs Resort & Spa** (for guests only). The resort offers 8,000 sq ft of indoor and outdoor pools.

Harrison Village is conveniently located in Mighty Fraser Country, a short 90 minute drive east of Vancouver, BC  
Get away for a few days. You'll be glad you did.

**Tourism Harrison Hot Springs:**

[http://www.tourismharrison.com/index.php?page\\_id=5](http://www.tourismharrison.com/index.php?page_id=5)

**Mail Registration Form & Fee**

Village of Harrison Hot Springs

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**Registration**

**Deadline:**

**August 30, 2009**



This event is open to all participants or anyone interested in the BC CiB program!

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**REGISTRATION FEE:** \$200 (please mail form and fee to the Village office address on the other side.)  
Price includes a scenic 2-hour boat cruise of Harrison Lake on Saturday morning and all meals and snacks.

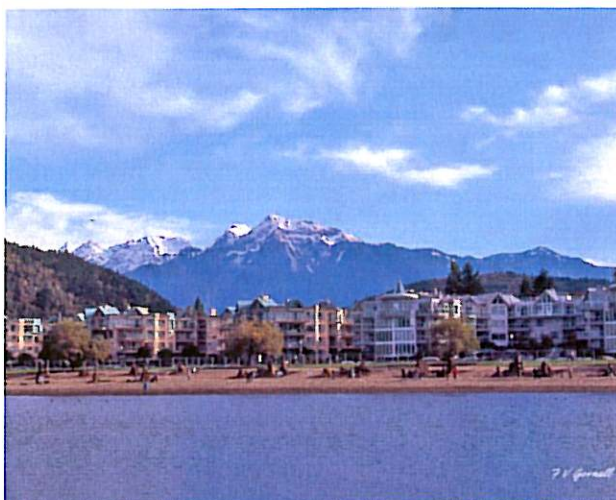
**CONFERENCE LOCATION:** Harrison Hot Springs Resort & Spa  
**Reservations:** 1 800 663-2266 and Mention **BOOKING CODE: Communities in Bloom Special Rate** or  
email: [reservations@harrisonresort.com](mailto:reservations@harrisonresort.com)

**VILLAGE INFORMATION AT:** Tourism Harrison [http://www.tourismharrison.com/index.php?page\\_id=1](http://www.tourismharrison.com/index.php?page_id=1)

**BC CiB Provincial office contact:** Catherine Kennedy [c.kennedy@telus.net](mailto:c.kennedy@telus.net)

Last Name	First Name	Telephone
Community	Position	Email
Address	City	Postal Code
Dietary Needs:  Diabetic	Vegetarian	Allergy (please specify)
Bringing a partner to Friday Reception  Yes      No	Plan to attend Saturday Dinner  Yes      No	Plan to attend Sunday Breakfast  Yes      No
Will be bringing a display  Yes      No	Need electricity for display  Yes      No	Need a table for display  Yes      No
A silent auction Fundraiser will be held to for the BC CiB organization. Each community is asked to donate an auction item representative of your community with a value of \$50 - \$100.	<b>AWARDS BANQUET ONLY</b>  <b>\$40</b>  Tickets Required # _____	Cancellations received in writing and post marked by September 7 will receive a 75% refund. No refunds will be issued after that date. Substitutions permitted.

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## 6<sup>th</sup> Annual BC COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM AWARDS & CONFERENCE WEEKEND

### AGENDA - Friday September 18

3:00pm - 6:00pm Registration, Community info  
& silent auction set-up

### Welcome Ceremony

6:00pm - 7:00pm Appetizers and Refreshments

7:00pm - 8:00pm Speakers

8:00pm - Free Time to enjoy local  
restaurants & hotel amenities

### Saturday, September 19 CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

6:30am - 8:00am	Registration and Breakfast		
	Group A		Group B
8:00am - 10:30am	Boat Tour	8:00am - 8:40am	Naturescape
		8:45am - 9:30am	Riparian Areas
		9:30am - 10:00am	Bees
	Coffee Break		Coffee Break
10:45am - 11:25am	Naturescape	10:30am - 12:30pm	Boat Tour
11:30am - 12:10am	Riparian Areas		
12:15pm - 12:45pm	Bees		
12:45pm - 1:30pm	Lunch with Guest Speaker		
1:30pm - 1:45pm	Introduction of Speakers		
1:45pm - 4:30pm	Round Table Sessions		
	3:00pm - 3:15pm - Coffee Break Service		
4:30pm - 6:00pm	Free Time		

### EVENING AWARDS BANQUET

6:00pm - 7:00pm Cocktail Hour  
7:00pm - 8:00pm Dinner  
8:00pm Silent Auction End  
8:00pm - 9:00pm Awards Presentation  
9:00pm - 9:15pm Silent Auction winners  
9:00pm - 2010 Host Announcement

### Sunday, September 20

7:30am - 8:30am Breakfast Session  
8:30am Farewell and Thank-you



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