

TOWN OF STRASBOURG NEWSLETTER



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UPCOMING DATES

Yard Waste Mornings – Transfer Station
Saturday, October 2 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 3 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 9 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 16 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 23 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 30 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Thanksgiving
Monday, October 11

Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, October 13 @ 7:00 p.m.

By-Election Nomination Day
Wednesday, October 27 @ 4:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, October 27 @ 7:00 p.m.

Last Day for 2% Property Tax Discount
Sunday, October 31

Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, November 10 @ 7:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Remembrance Day
Thursday, November 11

4th Quarter Water Bills Due
Monday, November 15

By-Election Advance Poll
Monday, November 22 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, November 24 @ 7:00 p.m.

Last Day for 1% Property Tax Discount
Tuesday, November 30

By-Election Regular Poll
Wednesday, December 1 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, December 8 @ 7:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Christmas Break
December 25 to January 2, 2022

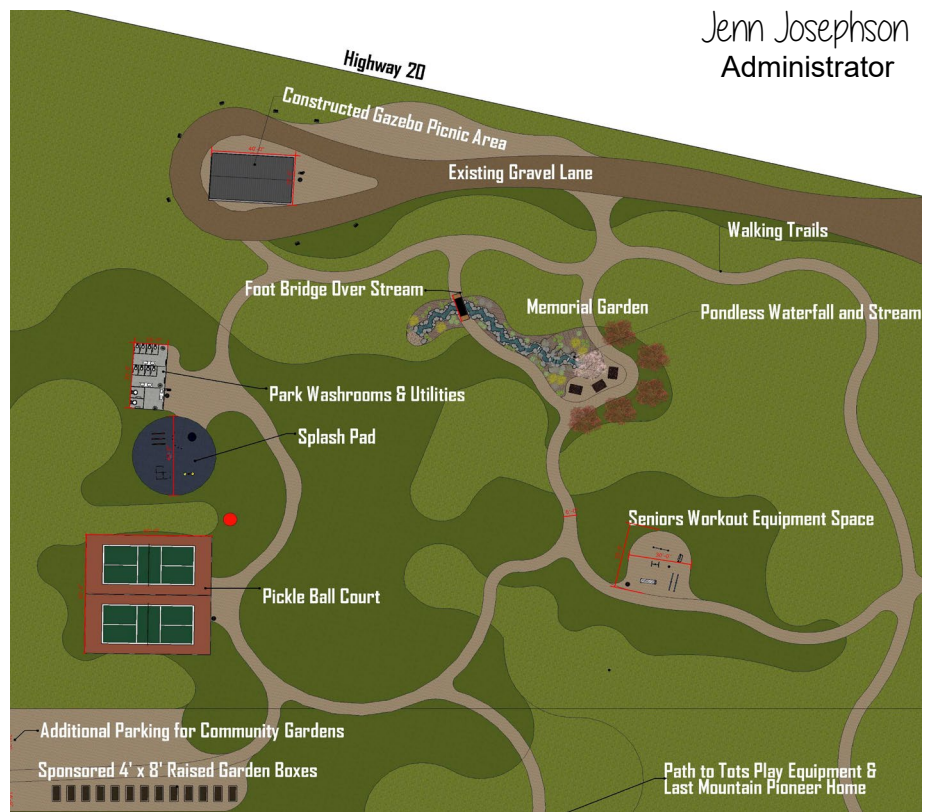
FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S DESK

An up and coming project the Town has been working on throughout the spring and summer months is a revitalization of our Lions Park. Council felt that our Park was vastly underutilized and would benefit from an enhancement. A committee was formed to draw up a revitalization plan, which was the culmination of several years of ideas. The enhancements for the Park will be funded by grants and donations as they become available, and each component of the Park will be developed independently of each other over several years (as funding permits). The current campground in the Park will either be reduced in scope, or relocated elsewhere.

The Park will feature the following:

- Over 2000 linear feet of 6 foot wide walking trails that connect to the Tot Playground and the Last Mountain Pioneer Home (LMPH) with outdoor path lighting
- A large picnic shelter and new splash pad
- An accessible washroom facility
- A pickleball court and seniors exercise equipment
- A community vegetable garden
- A memorial garden with a pondless waterfall and stream. People will have the ability to donate money (and receive a tax deductible receipt) towards planting memorial trees in someone's memory

Jenn Josephson
Administrator



REMINDER: CHRISTMAS OFFICE CLOSURE

Just a reminder that the Town Office will be closed from December 25, 2021 to January 2, 2022 inclusive. Taxes are due by December 31, 2021. If you wish to make a payment during that time, several options exist for you:

- Leave a post-dated cheque at the Office prior to us closing, drop a post-dated cheque in the lockbox outside of the Office, or mail a post-dated cheque for us to process when we are back (envelope must be postmarked by Dec 31).
- Leave us a credit card number and we will process the payment when we are back.
- Pay through online banking with your financial institution or use e-transfer.

MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION DECEMBER 1, 2021

There is still one (1) vacancy on Council for a councillor position. We have gone through two cycles for nominations, and are now entering a third. A by-election has been called for December 1st.

Qualifications of Candidates:

- ✓ 18 years of age on or before Election Day
- ✓ Canadian citizen
- ✓ Saskatchewan resident for the past six (6) months
- ✓ A resident of the Town for the past three (3) months ("Residency" defined as the place one calls "home.")

Qualifications of Voters:

- ✓ 18 years of age on or before Election Day
- ✓ Canadian citizen
- ✓ Saskatchewan resident for the past six (6) months
- ✓ A resident of the Town or owner of assessed land in Town for the past three (3) months ("**owner**" must have **Land Title in personal name**)

OCT 1 - Call for Nominations begins

OCT 27 - Nomination Day - 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

NOV 22 - Advance Poll - 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

DEC 1 - Election Day - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

ANNUAL SNOW REMOVAL REMINDERS

Below are just a few reminders for the upcoming winter regarding snow removal:

- Please refrain from blowing your property's snow onto the street, alley or neighbours property, especially after the streets have been cleaned. **As per Snow Removal Bylaw 411/20, remediation amounts could be added to taxes if improper snow removal takes place.**
- If you are concerned about your driveway being accidentally blocked with snow from the grader, **please put up visible stakes at the end of your driveway** so that the grader operator knows to lower the driveway wing and clear the snow. This is especially important for the first few snowfalls.
- Please keep your paths to your residence clear so that any emergency personnel (ambulance, fire, police, EMO volunteers) are able to reach you in your home.
- Lastly, after a snowfall, please remove vehicles from the street so that the grader can clean the area effectively. Otherwise, the vehicles will become blocked with snow, and the Town will not be held responsible for this inconvenience.



2021 TOWN TRANSFER STATION DAYS

UPDATE

Town of Strasbourg Residents Only
Town Transfer Station located 1 mile north of Golf Course

Yard Waste Days

Friday, September 3: 1-5
Saturday, October 2: 9-12 • Sunday, October 3: 9-12
Saturday, October 9: 9-12 • Saturday, October 16: 9-12
Saturday, October 23: 9-12 • Saturday, October 30: 9-12

- Only BRANCHES, LEAVES, & GRASS CLIPPINGS accepted.
- Bagged leaves and grass will have to be opened and emptied into pit, as plastic cannot be burned.