TOWN OF STRASBOURG NEWSLETTER (306) 725-3707 strasbourg@sasktel.net

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UPCOMING DATES

Yard Waste Mornings - Transfer Station Saturday, October 8 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Saturday, October 15 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Saturday, October 22 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Saturday, October 29 - 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Thanksgiving Monday, October 10

Town Council Meeting Wednesday, October 12 @ 7:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting Wednesday, October 26 @ 7:00 p.m.

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

Town Council Meeting Wednesday, November 9 @ 7:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Remembrance Day *Friday, November 11*

4th Quarter Water Bills Due *Tuesday, November 15*

Town Council Meeting Wednesday, November 30 @ 7:00 p.m. (moved from November 23)

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

Town Council Meeting Wednesday, December 14 @ 7:00 p.m.

Admin Office Closed – Christmas Break Saturday, December 24, 2022 to Monday, January 2, 2023 inclusive



FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S DESK

Construction continues on the Lions Park Revitalization Project and many of the features for the park have been installed. If you are able, we encourage you to follow the **Strasbourg Lions Park Revitalization Project** (@lionspark) on Facebook for progress photo updates, donation announcements, and other information related to the project.

As of October 1, 2022 we have raised **\$412,000.00** cash towards the Park project through grants and donations with many more in-kind donations being received. Fundraising efforts for the project over the winter months are in the works, so stay tuned. We look forward to being able to share this project with the community very soon!

For more information on the project or ways to donate, please contact either:

Diane Kondratiuk at (306) 725-8101 or mdkondratiuk@hotmail.com or myself at the Town Office at (306) 725-3707 or strasbourg@sasktel.net

All donations are <u>tax deductible</u> through the Town of Strasbourg. The Town accepts all forms of payment including cash, cheque, e-Transfer, debit, and credit.

Cheques can be made out to:
Town of Strasbourg
Box 369
Strasbourg, SK S0G 4V0

e-Transfers can be sent to: strasbourg@sasktel.net





Sneak peak of the pondless waterfall as part of the memorial gardens in the Lions Park!



REMINDER: CHRISTMAS OFFICE CLOSURE



Just a reminder that the Town Office will be closed from December 24, 2022 to January 2, 2023 inclusive. Taxes are due by December 31, 2022. If you wish to make a payment during that time, several options exist for you:

- Leave a post-dated cheque at the Town Office prior to us closing, drop a post-dated cheque in the lockbox outside of the Town Office, or mail a post-dated cheque for us to process when we are back (envelope must be postmarked by December 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 by December 31.

RCMP REPORTING

The Town Office receives many inquiries about how best to contact the local RCMP for a wide variety of issues. Generally, people are unsure of where to or when to report issues to the RCMP. The RCMP have a large jurisdiction to cover, so the more reports they receive in our community, the more likely they are to attend. So when in doubt, report your issue to the RCMP.

In an emergency, and you require immediate assistance, call **9-1-1.**

To report a crime, or for immediate police assistance, call either the Strasbourg Detachment at (306) 725-3520 or the Southey Detachment at (306) 726-5230.

For general inquiries to the RCMP call (306) 780-5461 and for non-emergencies call 310-RCMP (7267).

The RCMP cannot accept crime reports via e-mail.

2022 TOWN TRANSFER & STATION DAYS &

Town of Strasbourg Residents Only

Town Transfer Station located 1 mile north of Golf Course

Yard Waste Days



Saturday, October 1: 9-12 • Sunday, October 2: 9-12 Saturday, October 8: 9-12 • Saturday, October 15: 9-12 Saturday, October 22: 9-12 • Saturday, October 29: 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.

UTILITY RATES

Beginning January 2023, water rates will increase \$3.00 a quarter. Sewer and infrastructure rates will remain the same.

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.