



Town of Deep River

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TOWN OF DEEP RIVER COUNCIL MEETINGS DURING COVID-19

Residents can view a live stream of Council meetings as they occur, or meetings may be viewed later on the "Corporation of the Town of Deep River" YouTube channel. A link to archived Council Meeting videos is also available on the Town of Deep River website on the Council page in the subpage drop down menu under Council Meeting Videos. To review Council Meeting Agendas and Minutes please visit the Town of Deep River website at www.deepriver.ca and click on the Agendas and Minutes icon located on the main page.

NOTICE:

In response to the third state of emergency The Town of Deep River Municipal Office will be closed until further notice. Essential appointment will be accommodated by appointment only. Indoor recreational facilities are closed until further notice.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

WATER BILL

Due to COVID-19 lockdown, the first water bill of the year will be due June 30, 2021. For questions about water and sewer billing, call 613-584-2000.

LANDFILL

COVID – 19: CHANGES TO BAGGS ROAD LANDFILL

Effective Tuesday April 19th, 2021 Laurentian Hills and Deep River residents will not have access the re-use section at the Baggs Road Landfill.

The Landfill Operating Hours are Tuesday: 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM and Wednesday to Saturday: 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Cash payments will be accepted on site by the attendants.

DEEP RIVER FIRE DEPARTMENT

RECREATIONAL BURNING

The information provided below is for Recreational Burning in the Town of Deep River.

1. Prior to having a Recreational Fire in the Town of Deep River you must possess a Recreational Burn Permit issued by the Town of Deep River.
2. Failure to comply with the Burn By-Law 25-2020 can result in fees and charges associated with the cost of the Fire Department response and / or provincial offence notices to the property owner.

DO

- ✓ Do burn clean dry wood
- ✓ Do keep the recreational fire 3m from any combustibles (fences, trees, overhead wires and buildings)
- ✓ Do keep a means to extinguish the fire on hand
- ✓ Do remember to renew your Recreational Fire Permit annually

DO NOT

- ✗ Do Not burn rubbish, leaves, plastics, rubber, shingles, construction materials, tires, recyclables
- ✗ Do Not have a fire larger than 30" x 30" and 24" in height
- ✗ Do Not have a fire that will inconvenience neighbours
- ✗ Do Not leave the fire unattended
- ✗ Do Not cause smoke to decrease visibility on roadway
- ✗ Do Not burn during a declared fire ban or a smog alert

A copy of the Burn By-law No. 25-2020 can be found on the Town of Deep River website at www.deepriver.ca

Please email bmcMahon@deepriver.ca or call 613-584-2000 ext. 124 for a Recreational Burn Permit Application Form.

WATERING RESTRICTIONS

APPLY FROM MAY 1 UNTIL SEPTEMBER 30 (INCLUSIVE).

Addresses ending in 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8 may water their lawns on "even numbered calendar dates", i.e.: May 2nd, June 30th, July 18th, and August 6th.

Addresses ending in 1, 3, 5, 7 or 9 may water their lawns on "odd numbered calendar dates", i.e., June 3rd, July 15th, August 21st, and September 7th.

The Permitted watering hours are: 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. only.

HYDRANT FLUSHING NOTICE

Please be advised that hydrant flushing will commence in the West end of Town beginning on Monday April 19th, 2021 and beginning in the East end of Town on Monday May 3rd, 2021.

Flushing is part of a routine maintenance program that is necessary to maintain the integrity of the water system, remove sediment from water mains, verify the proper operation of hydrants and valves, and maintain firefighting capability.

Residents throughout Town may experience a drop in water pressure and water may be rusty or cloudy due to flushing of the distribution system. If you have rust-coloured water please run your COLD WATER TAPS ONLY (suggested taps: outside hose, bathtub or laundry tub) until the water is clear.

Please DO NOT use your hot water until you have clean running water again.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have any questions, please contact the Public Works Department at 613.584.2000, ext. 107

SPRING CLEAN UP

The annual spring clean-up will commence on the following dates:

- Monday May 3rd— WEST END
- Monday May 10th—EAST END

- YARD WASTE
 - Branches and Brush in biodegradable bags or bundled and tied (less than 4-inches in diameter)
 - Leaf and Yard Waste in biodegradable bags
- METAL
 - Pipes, Ductwork, etc.
 - Propane Tanks (VALVE OPEN)
 - Metal Appliances
- ELECTRONIC WASTE
 - Items must be placed at the curb by 7:00 AM on the scheduled collection start date (listed above for each end of Town).
 - Items may be set out as early as one week in advance of the scheduled collection start date.
 - Please place material on the shoulder of the road or back lane next to your driveway.
 - Only one (1) pass will be made for each street, please ensure your items are out ahead of the scheduled start date.

ITEMS THAT WILL NOT BE PICKED UP INCLUDE: Household garbage, recyclable materials, cardboard, construction and demolition material of any kind, furniture, mattresses and box springs, carpets, large tree limbs/trunks/stumps, plastic toys, tires or household hazardous waste (HHHW) such as motor oil, gasoline, paint cans, batteries, antifreeze, etc., and any other items not listed in the accepted items list.



DEEP RIVER POLICE DEPARTMENT

COVID-19 UPDATE

The main concern of the Deep River Police Service is public safety. We want to ensure that members of the community are not putting others in danger. If a police officer or other provincial offences officer has reason to suspect that you are participating in an organized public event or social gathering, they may require you to provide information to ensure you are complying with restrictions. The Deep River Police Service will not be conducting random stops of pedestrians or drivers to enforce the stay-at-home order. The DRPS will continue to focus on the 4 E's in response to the pandemic regulations – engaging, explaining, educating, and enforcing.

Should you have any concerns regarding the latest updates from the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA) or the Reopening of Ontario Act (ROE) please query the following links.

<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/zones-and-restrictions>

<https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/61192/ontario-strengthens-enforcement-of-stay-at-home-order>

Dean Duchrow – Chief of Police



LIBRARY

Library Services during Stay-At-Home Order

While our doors are closed to the public, we are here to provide: contactless curbside pick-up, home delivery of materials and computer/WIFI and photocopying sessions by appointment.

Our hours of service:
Tues – Sat, 11am – 3pm and Thurs, 6-8pm

April is National Poetry Month!

The theme for 2021 is Resilience. Due to the current lockdown, we've devised a new way to share poems of resilience, positivity, and community and keep everyone safe. Be on the lookout for pockets of poems sprinkled around town. Share what you find by tagging us on Instagram or Facebook @deepriverlibrary

Keep your eyes up, now.
There are treasures to be had.
Share the joy you find.

Community Craft Challenges: The front entrance looks empty without our snowflakes. Let's fill it up... with paper flowers! Need supplies? Contact us for a kit. Also, let's collaborate and make a flock of sheep for the library display cabinet to welcome spring! Sheep are iconic for anyone who works in wool, but you are not limited to these materials. Drop off your flowers and sheep before May 1st by ringing the doorbell during business hours. Please include your name if you would like them returned.

Book Chat with the Seniors Friendship Club and Laurentian Hills Library: first Tuesday of the month at 1pm. Contact uovsfc55@gmail.com or 613-401-3452 for the Zoom link. All welcome to share what you're reading!
New to our collection: Board Games. Families, don't forget our fun Play and STEAM kits!

Contact us at 613-584-4244 or info@deepriverlibrary.ca to arrange for materials, book your computer session, or with questions.

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