December 2019 Newsletter

TOWN OF GRAND COULEE

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM DECEMBER 10TH COUNCIL MEETING

- The 2020 Water & Sewer budget was approved with no increases to the Water & Sewer rates for 2020.
- Council Remuneration Bylaw 07-2019 was given first reading. This new bylaw reflects changes to the how, why, and when elected officials for the Town are paid for their service.
 Second and Third reading are schedule for the January 14th Regular Council Meeting.
- Please ensure vehicles (including trailers) are not left parking on the streets for more than 24 consecutive hours. This negatively impacts snow removal and other maintenance duties as the seasons change. For more information, please review the Town's traffic bylaw available on our website.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Office Holiday Hours

The office will be closed from Monday. December 16, 2019 through Friday, December 27, 2019. Maintenance staff will be working and or on call during this time. In case of an emergency, please contact Jim at 306-536-3097.

Regular office hours will resume on Monday, December 30, 2019 at 8:30 a.m.

We wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season!



Upcoming Events

December 16th through 27th

Office closed

December 24th Recycling Pick Up

December 26thGarbage Pick Up

January 14th

Council Meeting @ 7:30pm Town Hall Council Chambers

TOWN COUNCIL

Mayor Wally Botkin – mayor@grandcoulee.ca

Councillor Courtney Tollestrup – courtney@grandcoulee.ca

Councillor Kenton Emery – <u>kenton@grandcoulee.ca</u>

Councillor Joel Bouvier – joel@grandcoulee.ca

Councillor Tim Eveleigh – tim@grandcoulee.ca

Councillor Troy Kocur – troy@grandcoulee.ca

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Skating Rink

Volunteers and Town staff have been busy flooding the rink. It should be good to go this weekend (December 14th). On warm days when the ice is slushy please stay off.

Pet Etiquette

Did you know the Town has an Animal Control Bylaw? You can find on our website. The bylaw is in place to keep people and animals safe. In it, among other things, it states that no owner shall allow their animal to be at large and that an owner shall have complete control over their animal at all times. Please be respectful, keep your dog on a leash and pick up after them while in Town limits.

Lost & Found

Over the past few months, we have had a number of items turned into the office. Below is the contents of our lost and found:

- Two sets of vehicle keys
- A mail key
- Spotting scope and miscellaneous items

If you believe these are yours, please contact the office with a full description to claim them.

Do you have Fire Fighting insurance?

If the City of Regina Fire Department responds to a fire, all costs associated with their response are charged to the homeowner. We advise everyone to make sure that you have the appropriate Fire Fighting Insurance and recommend that you have at least \$10,000.00 in firefighting coverage. The average firefighting costs can range from \$1,200.00 to upwards of \$10,000.00. Contact your local insurance broker for more information.

Utilities & Payments

Water readings will be done in Area #2 this month (see map below). Should you prefer to have an actual reading each month, it is your responsibility as a homeowner to either phone or email your reading to us by the 29th of each month.



In the Community

GRAND COULEE REC BOARD

Save the date! The Grand Coulee Recreation Board is hosting an adult only casino night on December 28th. For more info, visit their Facebook page at www.facebook.com/gcrecboard or email them at grandcouleerecboard@gmail.com.

GRAND COULEE UNITED CHURCH

Church services have resumed on **Sundays** at 11:00 AM. The church offers a wonderful Sunday School Program for all ages. Everyone is welcome!

Did you know you can receive your utility bills and tax notice via email? If you would like to sign up, send us an email at grandcoulee.cap@sasktel.net.

Any payments to the Town can be made by electronic banking (online bill payment), e-transfers, cheques or cash. Please do not put cash in the drop slot.

