# TOWN OF GRAND COULEE

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# **Council Highlights**

- Council reviewed the draft Strategic Plan. Thanks to your input during the survey, Council has been able to develop priorities and direction to help guide the Town for the next 3 to 5 years. Once approved, the Strategic Plan and supporting documents will be available on our website.
- Amendments to the Nuisance Bylaw were given first reading. The amendments clarify the definition of junked vehicle. A public hearing will be held on August 17, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. at the Town Hall for anyone who wishes to ask questions or provide feedback on the changes.
- Council passed a resolution to change the start time of all regular council meetings from 7:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

#### Fire Ban Lifted

Effective July 20, 2021, due to the much needed rain fall and reduce fire risk, the Town's fire ban has been lifted.



### **Animals at Large**

A reminder to all animal owners, that the Town's Animal Control Bylaw includes provisions that owners shall not allow their animal to be at large and shall have complete control of their animal at all times. This bylaw is applicable to all dogs, cats, etc. Visit <a href="https://grandcoulee.ca/bylaws/">https://grandcoulee.ca/bylaws/</a> for a copy of the bylaw.



# **Upcoming Events**

**August 2**Civic Holiday

August 17

Council Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.

#### TOWN COUNCIL

Council is always interested in hearing your thoughts about our community.

Visit

https://grandcoulee.ca/counciland-staff/ for our contact form.

Mayor Wally Botkin – walterbotkin@grandcoulee.ca

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**OFFICE HOURS:** 

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

#### **Road Work**

The 2021 road work season continues. Thank you to everyone for respecting the roads.

To date Corbin Bay, Brayden Bay, Rider Bay, Harvest Bay, Samantha Street, Fairfax Street, Blair Street, Wilfred Street, Park Street, English Bay, Broadway Street, and a portion of Assiniboia have been completed.

Additional road work announcements and updates can be found at <a href="https://grandcoulee.ca/2021-roadwork-season/">https://grandcoulee.ca/2021-roadwork-season/</a>.

Please ensure vehicles are moved off the street during this time and try to avoid driving on them immediately following the oil application. Traffic may experience minor delays during the roadwork as we reduce some roads to one lane only and/or restrict traffic to local traffic only (no thru traffic) where applicable. Please use alternate routes through Town if at all possible.

Motorists are advised to obey all signs and to exercise extreme caution when travelling through the site and near crews and equipment.

#### **Hall Rental**

Did you know the hall is open for rent? Enjoy the comfort of air conditioning during all of your summer events. Your rental includes the use of tables/chairs and kitchen. Renters are responsible for restoring the facility to the way it was when you came in and the removal of garbage.

Rental fees are as follows:

- Damage Deposit (refundable) \$100
- Rental Fee ½ day \$40.00 up to three hours
- Rental Fee Full day \$80.00 anything over three hours in one day

If the event is a fundraiser for the community or another not-forprofit community service, there is no fee for the facility.

If you are interested in booking the hall, email arandcoulee.cap@sasktel.net.

# Taxes, Utilities & Payments

Water readings will be done in Area #3 this month (see map below). Should you prefer to have an actual reading each month, it is your responsibility to either phone or email your reading to us by the 29<sup>th</sup> of each month. If you would like to



#### **Grand Coulee Recreation Board**

The GCRB is responsible for the coordination and development of recreational and cultural activities for the Town of Grand Coulee and the surrounding area. Made up entirely of volunteers, the Board provides and supports a variety of activities and events for the entire community to enjoy including the annual Harvest Hoe Down, Babysitting courses, movie nights, and so much more!

The Rec. Board is always open to new ideas, suggestions, and initiatives. You don't need to be a member of the board to coordinate a new activity or to volunteer to help. You can submit your ideas, add your name to the list of volunteers, or ask questions by contacting the Board at <a href="mailto:grandcouleerecboard@gmail.com">grandcouleerecboard@gmail.com</a> or 306-533-5587.

In an effort to help keep the public informed, the Town has also published the Rec. Boards Facebook feed to our website. You do not need to be a social media/Facebook user to be able to see this information. Events provided or sponsored by the Recreation Board will be listed there. Watch <a href="https://grandcoulee.ca/rec-board">https://grandcoulee.ca/rec-board</a> to stay updated.

receive a monthly email reminder to send in your meter reading, email <u>grandcoulee.cap@sasktel.net</u> asking to be added to the list.

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.

