

NOVEMBER COUNCIL CORNER NEWSLETTER



It's been an interesting November 2021 with an early dump of snow just to catch everyone's attention. Thank you to the quick actions of the Public Works staff to get snow moved.

Updates from Departments:

Public Works:

- **SNOW REMOVAL** is an important topic for reminders.



- Please be respectful to the Works Department workers as they are out cleaning snow. They are working hard to keep our Town roads safe and passable. Please give them lots of room when the equipment is working and please slow down as you encounter them.
- When the Town gets a large downfall as we recently did, it takes time to have all the roads cleared and staff work diligently to clean everything as quickly as possible, so please be patient.

- When driving downtown please be extra careful of the slippery conditions and slow down to ensure the safety of pedestrians.

Parks & Recreation & Tourism & Economic Development:



- Join us at the Town Square for the annual Tree Lighting on December 2nd.
- I'm told there will be sleigh rides, hot chocolate and Santa will be stopping by.
- Fun for the entire family

Land Planning:

- The new Twin Lakes District Official Community Plan will be brought to Council for 2nd and 3rd readings at the December 13th meeting of Council. Anyone wishing to comment on the District Official Community Plan (DOCP) may do so in writing or at the meeting. Council will hear all representations. The District Official Community Plan may be viewed on the Town of Nipawin website under the heading "latest news".

The Town of Nipawin is currently seeking proposals for residential development at the location of the former water treatment plan (6th St. E.). The site is 0.84 acres and is well suited for several types of residential development. Interested parties may visit the SaskTenders website at <https://sasktenders.ca> to register and view a copy of the advertisement, and to make application. For further information contact Land Planner, Jeff Hrynkiw, at (306) 862 9866.

Bylaw:

REMINDER: To ensure the safety of residents, visitors, and pets, the public is encouraged to contact the Town Office when an aggressive dog is observed running loose or involved in an incident where there were acts of aggression. Dogs may often bark at persons or other animals coming onto their territory. It is a contravention of the Town of Nipawin Animal Control Bylaw for a dog to attack or bite a person, whether on public property or the private property of the dog owner. To report an aggressive or dangerous animal incident, contact the Town Office:

1. Bylaw Officer – (306) 862 9866 or by email at bylaw@nipawin.com
2. RCMP - in the event of dog bites
3. Animal Control Officer at (306) 862 6853 (who will ensure report to the bylaw officer)

For more information on the Animal Control Bylaw, please visit the Town of Nipawin website at www.nipawin.com.

REMINDERS:

- In accordance with recently restated Provincial Public Health Order, masking is mandatory at **all** indoor facilities until at least January 31, 2022.
- Staff Sargent Terry Posnikoff, has asked that citizens be reminded to LOCK your vehicles and remember to remove the KEYS and other VALUABLE ITEMS.

If you have an *idea, concern, or good news story*, please don't hesitate to arrange an opportunity for a conversation. Call (306) 862 9866 to arrange an appointment or by email to mayorharper@nipawin.com. (NOTE: Anonymous concerns, written or by phone, will not receive response so please sign your concern and provide contact information.)

On behalf of the Mayor, Council and Management of the Town of Nipawin I will take this opportunity to wish the residents of the Town of Nipawin, and your families, a safe and happy Holiday and Christmas season.

Happy Holidays everyone!



HOLIDAY HOURS

TOWN OFFICE: December 24, 2021– Closed at 12:00 noon
December 27, 2021—Closed
December 28, 2021—Closed
January 3, 2022—Closed

EVERGREEN CENTRE OFFICE: December 24, 2021– Closed at 12:00 noon
December 27, 2021—Closed
December 28, 2021—Closed
January 3, 2022—Closed

TOURISM CENTRE: December 24, 2021– Closed at 12:00 noon
December 27, 2021—Closed
December 28, 2021—Closed
January 3, 2022—Closed

ARENA: December 24, 2021—Closed at 12:00 Noon
December 25, 2021—Closed
December 26, 2021—Closed

DISPOSAL SITE: December 24, 2021—Closed at 12:00 Noon
December 25, 2021—Closed
January 1, 2022—Closed

WASTE COLLECTION:	<u>Affected Pickup Day</u>	<u>Rescheduled Pickup Day</u>
	Monday, December 27, 2021	Tuesday, December 28, 2021
	Monday, January 3, 2022	Tuesday, January 4, 2022