

TOWNSHIP OF MACDONALD, MEREDITH & ABERDEEN ADDITIONAL HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM COUNCIL & STAFF

FEBRUARY 2022

STEP 3 OF THE REOPENING OF ONTARIO

As of January 21, 2022 we have entered back into Step 3 of Reopening of Ontario. Our Sportsplex has reopened with 50% capacity limits. Our Community Halls and Share Shed remain closed at this time. Indoor gatherings have increased to 10 people and Outdoor gatherings are limited to 25 people. Restaurants and bars are open with 50% capacity and requires proof of vaccination. Moving forward the Provincial Government will continue to review trends in key indicators and in the absence of concerning trends further ease public health measures on February 21, 2022 and again on March 14, 2022. The gradual and incremental approach will continue to help protect people and ensure the province continues to cautiously lift public health and workplace safety measures safely.

Starting February 2, 2022 all COVID-19 clinics hosted by Algoma Public Health across the Algoma District will accept walk ins. Scheduled appointments will still be available for those who would prefer to book an appointment with a dedicated time. We ask that everyone in our community continue to be cautious, follow the rules and be patient a little while longer.

BACK UP LANDFILL CARETAKER

The Township of Macdonald, Meredith & Aberdeen Additional is seeking a person to fill the position of Back Up Landfill Caretaker. This is a Part Time Position which is responsible for the landfill operations as well as commercial recycle pickup and general labour duties and works under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Works. The landfill is open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. This position would be required when the Landfill Caretaker is not available.

Minimum Qualifications:

- General Knowledge of landfill maintenance or related experience/or training
- Organization, time management, communication and interpersonal skills
- Valid Driver's License

PART TIME ARENA CARETAKER

The Township of Macdonald, Meredith & Aberdeen Additional is seeking a person to fill the position of Part Time Arena Caretaker. This is a Part time position which will assist the Head Arena Caretaker in maintaining and cleaning the ice, provide maintenance to the building and equipment and will work under the direction of the Leisure Services Coordinator. This position will be required mostly on the weekends.

Minimum Qualifications:

- High School Diploma
- General Knowledge of arena operations or related experience/or training
- Organization, time management, communication and interpersonal skills
- Valid Driver's License

For more information on either position you can contact the municipal office at 705-248-2441.

Please submit your resume by e-mail to twpmacd@onlink.net or fax to 705-248-3091 or drop off or mail to the Municipal Office, 208 Church St. P.O. Box 10, Echo Bay, ON P0S 1C0, by Friday February 18, 2021 @ 4:30 p.m.

BUDGET MEETINGS

Meetings have been scheduled for Budget 2022 on Tuesday February 1, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday March 29, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. and April 26, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. If anyone has any items they would like to discuss with Council in regard to the 2022 Budget you can contact your Municipal Council:
Mayor Lynn Watson-705-248-2421
Councillor Lynn Orchard-705-971-1657
Councillor Shelly Bailey-705-248-2979
Councillor John Bucknell-705-971-0561
Councillor Adam Chevis-705-987-0577
You can also call the municipal office at 705-248-2441.

ELECTION 2022

2022 is a Municipal Election Year with the Municipal Election being held on Monday October 24, 2022. If you are interested in running in this year's Municipal Election you can file your Nomination Papers starting Monday May 2 up to and including Nomination Day Friday August 19, 2022. Watch for more information which will be included in each monthly Newsletter as well as on our website: echobay.ca.

INTERIM TAX BILLS

Interim Tax Bills will be mailed out the middle of February with due dates of March 15, 2022 and May 16, 2022. If for some reason you do not receive your bill by the end of February please contact the municipal office at 705-248-2441