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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMERICK

A MESSAGE TO RATEPAYERS AND RESIDENTS OF LIMERICK TOWNSHIP

FROM THE COMMUNITY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT GROUP

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

March 25th, 2020

LIMERICK TOWNSHIP – The Emergency Control Group would like to take this opportunity to address and update residents and ratepayers on the response in our Municipality.

The Township of Limerick Emergency Management Group has enacted measures to address the situation, and is communicating constantly both internally and with adjacent Municipalities in an effort protect the health and safety of the community and to ensure continuity of operations. We will continue to provide the essential services required and will make every effort to support and assist our community partners.

The following measures have been in place to ensure that we follow the guidance of the Federal and Provincial governments;

1. All Municipal offices, facilities and parks and playgrounds are closed to the public.

Municipal staff may be reached by leaving a voicemail at 613-474-2863. Follow the prompts for the appropriate department.

You may also contact staff at various emails (preferred) found on the Municipal website. Departments are actively monitoring communications and will respond as soon as possible.

2. Waste site hours have been reduced as follows;

Saturday – 10 am – 1 pm

Sunday – 10 am – 1 pm

Wednesday – Closed

We will notify the public when regular hours resume.

3. There is no fire ban in place at this time, however please remember that restricted hours start on April 1st, 2020.

4. The interim March installment has been postponed. Penalty and interest has been deferred until April 30th, 2020 to assist ratepayers with this crisis.

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It is important to stress that this situation will be brought under control, but only if we all heed by the instructions of our Public Health Authorities and various levels of Government. Please, stay home if you can, use physical distancing strategies to reduce the transmission of COVID-19, and contact Public Health with COVID-19 related concerns.

For our seasonal residents who have chosen to spend this time in our area we ask you to please self-isolate appropriately for 14 days. Remember, we are a unique Municipality with a vast senior population. Give your neighbour a call if you must leave home and ask if they are experiencing challenges obtaining food or medication, or just need a chat to keep their spirits up. Limerick Township now has a Facebook page so feel free to post an update, (negative responses will be removed) if you have resources or advice that others may benefit from. We also have wonderful lake associations such as Limerick Lake Ratepayers Association, Steenburg Lake Community Association and Tri-Lakes Cottage Association that do wonderful jobs posting to their respective websites.

Let's all work together to keep this community safe. Stay home. Stay safe.

For up to date information about COVID-19 please visit:

Bancroft Community Family Health team website: <https://bcfht.org/>

Hastings Prince Edward Public Health: <https://hpepublichealth.ca/>

Public Health Ontario: <https://www.publichealthontario.ca/>

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