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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LIMERICK

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

March 17th, 2020 8:00 a.m.

The Township of Limerick is aware of the public concerns regarding the COVID-19 pandemic.

PHAC considers the public health risk associated with COVID-19 to be low for the general population, but there is an increased risk of more severe outcomes for Canadians who: are aged 65 and over; have compromised immune systems; have underlying medical conditions.

In order to protect the general population and preserve business continuity the following measures are being taken.

As of today, Tuesday March 17th, 2020 at 8:00 a.m., all Municipal facilities are closed until further notice. We will continue to assess the situation as it develops and are in regular contact with Public Health and Hastings County as a means of receiving the most up to date and relevant. We encourage residents to use alternative means of payment and communication with Municipal staff and officials until further notice.

Contact information for elected officials can be located at

<http://www.township.limerick.on.ca/council.php>.

We thank you for your patience and understanding and would like you to be reassured that we will continue to work to keep our staff and the public safe and healthy.

We will continue to issue press releases as new requirements become necessary. We recognize the potential severity of COVID-19 and are taking precautionary measures to help slow down the spread of the virus.

We encourage residents to practice social distancing measures and to limit activities that require interaction with other people.

GENERAL PRECAUTIONS:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water, or use hand sanitizer
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth unless you have just washed your hands
- Cover your cough and sneeze with a tissue or into your arm, not your hand. Also, make sure to wash your hands afterward



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- Do Not visit people in hospitals or long-term care centre
- PLEASE DO NOT GO TO THE HOSPITAL FOR MILD ILLNESSES.
- Do not call 911 unless it is an emergency.

If you believe you may have been in contact with an infected person or have travelled outside of the county in the last 14 days, you are being encouraged to self-quarantine. Please call Telehealth Ontario at 1-866-797-0000 or the Health Unit at 613-966-5500 if you're experiencing symptoms of the 2019 novel coronavirus.

For more information, contact Jennifer Trumble – Clerk/CAO/CEMC at

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Jennifer Trumble
Clerk-CAO
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