



Stratford Town Crier

April 26, 2025

Public Information, Notices and Meeting Schedule

ATTENTION STRATFORD PROPERTY OWNERS

Property Tax – 2025 Interim levy due date April 28, 2025

Property tax payments may be made at your bank in person, by telephone or on-line banking. Cash, Debit or Cheques payable to the “City of Stratford” are also accepted at City Hall Ground Floor (Clerk’s Office). Cheques may also be deposited in the mailbox Rear Entrance or mailed to P.O. Box 818, Stratford ON N5A 6W1.

CONCLUSION OF SATURDAY 4 HOUR FREE PARKING

In accordance with the City’s Traffic and Parking By-law, four (4) free hours of parking on Saturdays concludes as of April 26, 2025. Standard parking rates and maximum times will be in effect on Saturdays, starting May 3rd. Please be advised the current hours of parking enforcement are from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday (excluding holidays).

SPRING HYDRANT FLUSHING - REMINDER

The City of Stratford began its spring hydrant flushing last week.

This is something we do twice a year – typically in the spring and fall – to clean out some of the iron deposits that build up over time in the City’s watermain, and as preventative maintenance.

You may temporarily experience discoloured water as a result of this flushing process, but water quality is not affected. Discoloured water will clear, but it’s best to wait until it has cleared before doing laundry.

Please note that the hydrant flushing schedule is not fixed. It changes every day depending on a number of factors, including the weather, availability of staff and the length of time it takes to clear the hydrants in a neighbourhood.

For more information, please visit our Discoloured Water webpage, or call the City’s Water Division at 519-271-0250, ext. 5222 during business hours.

RAKING OF WINTER SAND - REMINDER

Reminder to residents from the Infrastructure Services Department that during the months of April and May, winter sand that has accumulated can be raked to the edge of the road or the street gutter. Please help street sweeping operations by spreading the sand out in the gutter area. Please do not place the sand in large piles in the gutter or along the road, as the piles can restrict water flow and be a traffic hazard.

MEETING SCHEDULE

Date	Meeting	Time	Location
Apr 28	Committee of the Whole In-camera Session	5:00 p.m.	Council Chambers
Apr 28	Regular Council and	7:00 p.m.	Council Chambers

Apr 30	Standing Committees		
	Infrastructure, Transportation and Safety Sub-committee	4:30 p.m.	Council Chambers
May 1	Planning and Heritage Sub-committee	4:30 p.m.	Council Chambers

Meetings are open to the public to attend with the exception of In-Camera sessions (please note the adjournment into the In-camera Session is open to the public to attend and observe). Agendas can be accessed from the City's website. Please check the City's website for the Sub-committee, Committee, Council and Advisory Committee Meeting Schedules as these schedules are subject to change.

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