

Town Crier, May 25, 2019

Stratford Town Crier

Public Information, Notices and Meeting Schedules

NOTICE - RAKING OF WINTER SAND

Reminder to residents from Infrastructure & Development Services 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.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS - DESTROY NOXIOUS WEEDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all property owners in accordance with the WEED CONTROL ACT OF ONTARIO, that unless noxious weeds growing on their lands within the Municipality of Stratford are destroyed by June 1, 2019 and throughout the season, the Municipality may enter upon said lands and cause the noxious weed or weed seeds to be destroyed, charging the costs against the land in taxes as set out in the Act.

In the interest of public health, the noxious weeds requiring eradication include Giant Hogweed, Ragweed and Poison Ivy. Other noxious weeds requiring eradication include European Buckthorn, Thistles, Jointed Goatgrass, and others as designated under the above Act.

Enquiries and complaints should be directed to the Infrastructure & Development Services at 519-271-0250 ext. 345.

Weed Inspector
City of Stratford

NOTICE OF NOISE BY-LAW EXEMPTION

Exemptions from Noise Control By-law 113-79 have been approved for the following:

- The Stratford Blues & Ribfest Committee for the 2019 Stratford Blues and Ribfest on Veteran's Drive and the York Street Parking Lot on Friday, June 21 and Saturday, June 22 until 10:30 p.m. and Sunday, June 23 from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., including set-up on June 20, 2019 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and take down on June 23, 2019 to 8:00 p.m.
- The Stratford Kinsmen Club for the 2019 Stratford Kinsmen Car Show on Lakeside Drive from Front Street to Lakeside Drive North on Sunday, June 23, 2019 from 6:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.
- Property owners of 253 Hibernia Street for a private function on their property scheduled for Saturday, July 6, 2019 from 5:30 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, July 7, 2019.
- Property owners of 70 Grant Street for a private function on their property scheduled for Saturday, July 13, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m.

If you require this document in an alternate format, contact City Hall at 519-271-0250 ext. 237 or TTY at 519-271-5241 or email clerks@stratford.ca.

PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS

The City of Stratford Council recently approved the creation of the Ad-Hoc Transit Committee. The Ad-Hoc Transit Committee will provide a forum for input and exchange of ideas on conventional and mobility transit related issues. The Committee will meet every two-months or at the call of the Chair.

Public appointments are open to Stratford residents and eligible electors who are at least 18 years of age. You can make a difference by serving on a City committee or board. Persons interested in being appointed to the Ad-hoc Committee are asked to complete and return an application no later than June 14, 2019. Applications are available on the City's website: www.stratfordcanada.ca/en/insidecityhall/advisorycommittees.asp or from the Clerk's Office, ground floor City Hall, 1 Wellington Street during business hours.

There are positions available at this time for four (4) citizens at large to represent conventional transit and one (1) citizen at large to represent parallel transit.

Personal information collected through the appointment process will be used by City Council for the purpose of making appointments to boards and committees. Questions regarding this collection should be directed to the City Clerk, 1 Wellington Street, P.O. Box 818, Stratford, ON N5A 6W1, telephone 519-271-0250, Ext. 235 during business hours.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT HEARING

The Stratford Committee of Adjustment will consider the following application at a hearing to be held on Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. in the Avon Room, City Hall Annex, 82 Erie Street, Stratford:

MINOR VARIANCE APPLICATIONS

A07-19 – 530 Wright Blvd - Planner: Jeff Bannon

City Key Map



Purpose: The purpose of this application under Section 44 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 is to allow a minor variance to reduce the minimum interior side yard setback for HVAC equipment. The minor variance is required in order to provide necessary equipment to properly ventilate the building.

Variations requested:

To reduce the minimum interior side yard setback from the lesser of 5.0m or one half of the building height to 1.14m for mechanical HVAC units.

A08-19 – 18 Glendon Road – Planner: Rachel Tucker

City Key Map



Purpose: The purpose of this application under Section 44 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990 is to allow a detached garage within the exterior side yard and to reduce the exterior side yard setback for a detached garage. The minor variance is required to allow for the construction of the proposed garage.

Variance requested:

To allow a detached garage in an exterior side yard.

To reduce the exterior side yard setback from 7.5m to 6.4m along the northwest portion of the garage and to 1.83m to the southwest portion of the garage.

Additional information regarding the application may be obtained by contacting the Infrastructure and Development Department, Development Division, at 519-271-0250 Ext 345 during normal business hours.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the City of Stratford Committee of Adjustment in respect of the proposed consent does not make written submissions to the City of Stratford Committee of Adjustment before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal may dismiss the appeal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the City of Stratford Committee of Adjustment in respect of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the Secretary-Treasurer, Stratford Committee of Adjustment, 82 Erie Street, 2nd Floor Stratford, ON N5A 2M4. This will also entitle you to be advised of a possible Local Planning Appeal Tribunal hearing. Even if you are the successful party, you should request a copy of the decision since the Stratford Committee of Adjustment decision may be appealed to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal by the applicant or another member of the public.

Personal information collected as part of this Notice is pursuant to the Municipal Act, 2001 and the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Personal information collected as a result of this Notice will be used to assist Council in making a decision on this application. Names, addresses, opinions and comments will be made available for public disclosure. Questions regarding this collection should be forwarded to the City Clerk, 1 Wellington Street, P.O. Box 818, Stratford ON, N5A 6W1 or by emailing: jthomson@stratford.ca or by telephone at 519-271-0250 Ext 237.

EVENING HOT MEAL PROGRAMS IN STRATFORD—OPEN TO ALL—DROP IN

May 26	Avondale United Church, 194 Avondale Avenue	5:15pm
May 27	The Local Community Food Centre, 612 Erie Street	5:15pm
May 31	Zion Lutheran Church, 202 Erie Street	5:00pm

Additional Weekly Meals at The Local Community Food Centre, 612 Erie Street. Breakfast is served every Thursday morning at 8:30am. Seniors' Lunch, 60 years and older, is served every Wednesday at 11:30am.

MEETING SCHEDULE

May 28	Committee of the Whole In-camera	5:00pm	Council Chamber
May 28	Regular Council and Standing committees	7:00pm	Council Chamber
May 29	Infrastructure, Transportation & Safety Sub-committee	4:30pm	Council Chamber
May 30	Planning and Heritage Sub-committee	4:30pm	Council Chamber

Meetings are open to the public to attend with the exception of In-Camera sessions. Agendas can be accessed from the City's website or may be picked up from the City Clerk's Office the Friday before the scheduled meeting. Also, check the City's website for the most up to date schedule of Sub-committee, Standing Committee, Council Meetings and Advisory Committees as the agendas and schedules are subject to change. The Town Crier is available on the City's website.

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