

Property Tax Bills

Interim Installment due dates:

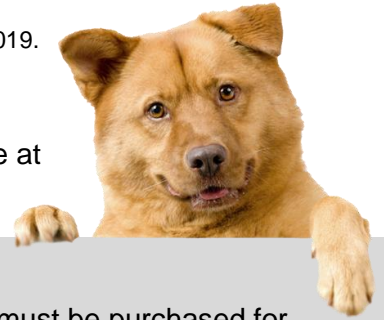
Thursday, February 28th, 2019
 Tuesday, April 30th, 2019

Final* Installment due dates:

Wednesday, July 31st, 2019
 Monday, September 30th, 2019

* Upon receipt of the County and Education tax rates, final tax rates will be approved by Council in April 2019.

Payment Options: In person by cash, cheque, debit, post-dated cheques, or by telephone/internet banking. There are also pre-authorized payment plans available. Please contact the Finance Department at 705-549-7453 or visit our website at www.penetanguishene.ca



Advisory Committees of Council

The Town relies on the expertise of volunteers in the community and appoints approximately 55 public appointments to one of the many boards and committees. The committees are currently being reviewed as part of the Service Delivery Review and there may be some changes to the names and structures of the committees. It is anticipated that any changes, if any, will be implemented in January/February 2019. All applicants will be informed of any pertinent changes if required before the appointment is made. As other vacancies arise throughout the term, these positions will be advertised accordingly.

Those who wish to apply must submit an application form to the Town Clerk, Stacey Cooper. A listing and description of all advisory committees can be found on the Town website. A copy of the application form is available online or may be picked up at Townhall. Supplementary information (i.e. resumes, cover letters) may be attached with the application. For more information: scooper@penetanguishene.ca 705-549-7453 x211

Dog Tags Now Available!

Dog owners are reminded that 2019 dog licences must be purchased for each dog. Tags can be obtained at the following locations:

- Town hall, 10 Robert St West during regular business hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday);
- Penetanguishene Public Library, 24 Simcoe Street during regular business hours (10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday to Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday);
- By contacting Huronia Animal Control at 549-2289; accepts cash only
- The Pet Shoppe, 2 Poyntz Street Unit 41; accepts cash only

\$15.00 per licence prior to February 28, 2019
\$30.00 per licence from March 1 to December 31, 2019

A Certificate that the dog(s) has been inoculated with an anti-rabies vaccine must be produced before a licence will be issued.

Please note that there is a maximum of two (2) dogs permitted per dwelling unit.

Any person who contravenes any of these requirements is guilty of an offence and subject to fines provided for in the Provincial Offences Act.

Your co-operation is appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Jillian Forbes, Municipal Law Enforcement Officer 549-7453 ext.220

Important Reminder about Main and Robert Street Intersection

Flashing Lights

FLASHING RED
 Same meaning as a stop sign. You must come to a full stop. Proceed when safe.

FLASHING YELLOW
 Slow down. Proceed with caution. Be prepared to stop.

The Town of Penetanguishene Public Works Department would like to remind residents during slippery road conditions, the Town of Penetanguishene may activate flashing traffic lights at the intersection of Main Street and Robert Street. Both drivers and pedestrians must obey the traffic signals that control an intersection.

When approaching the Main Street intersection controlled by the flashing amber light, the drivers on Main Street have the right of way. This is not a four way stop. Drivers on Main Street must enter the intersection with caution and yield the right of way to any pedestrians within the crosswalks. Pedestrians should remember that drivers are not required to come to a full stop for a flashing amber light; and before entering the roadway against amber light, a pedestrian should exercise extra care and be on guard against drivers who may not be able to stop.

When approaching the Robert Street intersection controlled by the flashing red light, the drivers on Robert Street are required to stop and may only enter the intersection when it is safe to do so (as they would for a stop sign). Pedestrians should remember that while the drivers on Robert Street are stopped there may be vehicles turning from Main Street. Pedestrians should exercise extra care and be on guard against drivers who may not be able to stop.

It is important to note that the use of the flashing lights at the Main Street and Robert Street intersection will override the audible crossing devices. Take notice that when the flashing lights are activated there will be a Disruption of Service under the Accessibility Customer Service Standard on a temporary basis during the winter season. Director of public Works, Bryan Murray at 705-549-7453 or bmurray@penetanguishene.ca





What's Up?

Town of / Ville de Penetanguishene

Main Street Art Project



Council of the Town of Penetanguishene has allocated \$20,000 from the Main Street Revitalization Grant from the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) to fund a Main Street Art Project. The Town is seeking volunteers from the community to help guide the project and make a recommendations to Council on Art in our beautiful new Downtown! Please submit your name, reasons for interest in participating on this Town Committee and any other information to: Andrea Betty at abetty@penetanguishene.ca or drop off your information to Townhall at 10 Robert Street West by **Thursday January 31, 2019** to be considered for this new Committee. If you have any questions please contact Andrea at: 705-549-7453 ext. 215 or by email to abetty@penetanguishene.ca. More information on the project can be found on the Town's website!

Zoning By-law Review Project

The Town is once again embarking on an exciting new planning project in 2019 with a review of the Town's Zoning By-law 2000-02. The objectives of the project are to: update the existing Zoning By-law to implement the new Town of Penetanguishene Official Plan (adopted June 2018 and modified November 2018), increase the clarity, intent and ease of understanding of the Zoning By-law, to update the land use zones and performance standards and to address emerging themes and trends in sustainable and resilient community planning. Please stay tuned for more information about the Zoning By-law Review Project in 2019.



Upcoming Meetings

Council & Committee of the Whole Council Chambers

January 9, 2019 – 7pm

January 23, 2019 – 7pm

February 13, 2019 – 7pm

March 13, 2019 – 7pm

March 27, 2019 – 7pm

April 12, 2019 – 7pm

April 24, 2019 – 7pm

May 8, 2019 – 7pm

*meeting times subject to change please check the website

For more information

Phone: 705-549-7453

www.penetanguishene.ca

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Penetanguishene, ON
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71st Annual Winterama February 15-17, 2019

WE NEED YOUR ENTRIES!!!

- Parade Floats
- Demolition Derby
- Cardboard Toboggan Races
- Volunteers

Full event details

www.penetanguishene.ca/en/discover/Winterama.asp

Town of / Ville de Penetanguishene
FEBRUARY FAMILY DAY WEEKEND

WINTERAMA Volunteer!

We need your help!
For volunteer opportunities, visit our website
www.winterama.ca
PHONE: 705-549-7453 x 223
EMAIL: events@penetanguishene.ca

A ritual of community spirit and pride; a celebration of our heritage, our culture and our homecoming, gathering families, friends, visitors and acquaintances!