

UPCOMING COUNCIL WORKSHOP

Highlights from the April 7 Council meeting will be included in next week's Town Page.

Council Education Workshop - April 13 at 10 a.m.

Staff will be providing an update on growth in East Gwillimbury, including information on Master Plans, new facilities, development, modernizing Town services and more!

The agendas for the April 13 workshop will be available at noon on April 8 at www.eastgwillimbury.ca/agendas. For more information, email clerks@eastgwillimbury.ca

Get Involved with Council Meetings!

Watch live at:
<https://eastgwillimbury.civicweb.net/Portal/>

If you miss the meetings, you can watch them at:
www.youtube.com/TownEastGwillimbury

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Town is hiring a fulltime Deputy Chief Building Official, contract Manager of Development Finance and two Emergency and Community Safety Services summer students. For more information and to apply, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/jobs

VACCINE BOOKING INFORMATION

York Region residents aged 65 and older (born 1956 or earlier) can book an appointment for their COVID-19 vaccination by visiting www.york.ca/COVID19Vaccine. Residents that require assistance booking or traveling to and from an appointment can visit the Town's website at www.eastgwillimbury.ca/vaccinesupport for assistance with booking. Some of the available support methods being provided by the Town are:

- Call 905-836-6492 (Holland Landing library branch) or 905-473-2472 (Mount Albert library branch) for assistance with booking available appointments over the phone
- Drop-in and use one of the Internet Stations located at both EG Public Library branches to directly access the York Region Vaccination booking page or borrow a Chromebook or a Wi-Fi hotspot from EG's Public Library
- Book a 1:1 Tech Help at www.egpl.ca/services/one-on-one-tech-help/ to get assistance navigating the process

STAYING SAFE AFTER A VACCINE

As more and more residents receive a vaccine, York Region Public Health reminds residents that despite being vaccinated, everyone must continue to follow all public health guidelines even after receiving a vaccination. Although the vaccine is very effective at preventing infection or serious illness, there is still a chance you can contract COVID-19, and it is currently unknown if you can transmit the virus after being immunized.

As more is learned about the protection provided by the vaccines and as more people are vaccinated, public health advice may change; however, until then we must continue to follow all public health precautions in order to keep each other safe.

EG is preparing discussion papers for the Town's Official Plan Review that focus on:



Join the conversation!
 Email planning@eastgwillimbury.ca to arrange a 15 minute conversation with our Planning Team!

Visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/opreview for more information.

Chat with a Planner on EG's Official Plan Review!



PUBLIC NOTICES

WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

Residents in Sharon will receive a notice in the mail to sign up for a water meter replacement. This program will facilitate the new monthly billing program with a new digital water meter. If you have any questions, please contact the Town at 905-478-4282.

CENTRE STREET REVITALIZATION PROJECT UPDATE

The Town received funding \$2.3 million from the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program to revitalize Centre Street in Mount Albert. This project will take place over several years and include extensive work to the roads, sidewalks, and public space. In 2021, the Town is tendering the project and beginning preliminary design. Future opportunities to provide feedback will be available. To learn more about the project, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/centrestreet

PROTECT YOUR TREES

Have your trees been affected by gypsy moths? Residents may notice egg masses starting to form on trees, to help prevent future damage follow these steps:

1. Place your catchment container below the egg mass.
2. Use a scraper tool to remove the egg mass from the surface. Ensure that all eggs are scraped. Try not to leave any residual eggs in bark ridges or crevices.
3. Empty the contents of your catchment container or bag into a bucket of soapy water.
4. Leave the eggs sitting in the bucket for a day or two, then dispose of the contents in your green bin.

MONTHLY WATER BILLING HAS BEGUN

On April 1, 2021, the Town of began the process of transitioning all water customers billed on a quarterly basis, to monthly billing. Customers can expect monthly water meter reads, smaller and more consistent bill amounts, frequent consumption monitoring, and earlier potential leak detection.

For more information, including current water rates and the transition plan, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/monthlybilling

JOIN THE ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE!

Help shape your community by joining the Accessibility Advisory Committee! Give advice to Council on a wide range of municipal processes to help make public services and facilities accessible to everyone. For more information and to apply, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/appointedcommittees

WARD 3 COMMUNITY CLEAN UP

Mount Albert Community Centre Park, Main St.
 Saturday, April 17 from 9:30 a.m. to Noon



Join us to clean up our streets and parks in collecting garbage accumulated over the winter months!



Clean Up Kits will be provided on Saturday morning at Mount Albert Community Centre Park. For more information, email Councillor Scott Crone at scrone@eastgwillimbury.ca or Councillor Cathy Morton at cmorton@eastgwillimbury.ca



JOIN TEAM EG IN SUPPORTING SOUTHLAKE REGIONAL HEALTH CENTRE VIRTUALLY FROM APRIL 12 TO MAY 9, 2021



#TeamEG is entering its 11th year participating in the Nature's Emporium Run for Southlake and have raised over \$56,000 for Southlake's priority needs, and plan to keep that tradition going for 2021!

To join or pledge **#TeamEG**, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/teameg

NEW EG BUSINESS - PIZZA HUT

On March 23, Pizza Hut officially opened its doors in Sharon located in the Vince's Plaza at Leslie St. and Mount Albert Rd. Place your orders for take out and pick up now to support this tasty new EG business!



BUSINESS RECOVERY CHECK-IN

Let us know how you are doing by filling out the Business Recovery Check-In form at www.eastgwillimbury.ca/covidbusiness so the Economic Development team can help you navigate and access available funding and programs. Your feedback will help us as we plan for future programs and supports. If you have any questions, please email ecdev@eastgwillimbury.ca



At our Holland Landing branch

EGPL Seed Library

Take home seeds to plant in your personal garden! Select from dozens of plants, herbs, and vegetables.
Library card required.




