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UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETING

Highlights from the January 12 Council Education Workshop will be included in next week's Town Page.

Upcoming Council Meeting

Electronic Council Meeting - January 19 at 6 p.m.

The Council meeting agenda will be available at noon on January 14 at www.eastgwillimbury.ca/agendas

Get Involved with Council Meetings!

- Watch live at:
 - https://eastgwillimbury.civicweb.net/Portal/
- If you miss the meetings you can watch them at: http://youtube.com/user/TownEastGwillimbury

2021 PROPOSED WATER & WASTEWATER BUDGET

Staff are presenting the 2021 proposed water and wastewater budget to Council on January 19 at 6 p.m. The proposed budget includes a rate freeze for 2021 for fixed and variable charges.

Get Involved!

- Watch the presentation: www.youtube.com/TownEastGwillimbury
- Review the budget documents or provide feedback online: www.eastgwillimbury.ca/budget

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Town is currently hiring an Assistant Solicitor, Student Parks Labourers and Seasonal Parks Labourers. The deadline to apply for all positions is Friday, January 15. Visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/jobs for more information.

NOTICE OF VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING

Draft Fill Management Plan - 18725 McCowan Rd. Tuesday, January 19 at 6 p.m.

To watch the meeting live, visit www.youtube.com/user/TownEastGwillimbury

GHD Limited will be attending a public meeting to provide an overview of its draft fill management plan for 18725 McCowan Rd., including how they've addressed concerns and comments raised by the public. Please be advised that this meeting is for Council's consideration and approval. All are welcome to provide verbal or written feedback to Council.

To provide feedback contact the Clerks Office at clerks@eastgwillimbury.ca or by phone at 905-478-4283 ext. 3821 by 5 p.m. on January 19. The Clerks Office will provide instructions on how to make verbal presentations during the meeting. To view the proposed Fill Management Plan, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/townnotices

Stay in touch with the Town!



Receive Town news, information, and updates directly in your inbox by our eNewsletter today!

www.eastqwillimburv.ca/eNews

Virtual Program Registration is open! Programs begin January 18



Visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/guide to view virtual programs & activities for the entire family!

Visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/ireg or call Customer Service at 905-478-4282 to register.

PUBLIC NOTICES

OUTDOOR ICE RINKS TO OPEN SOON

Town staff continue to prepare two outdoor ice rinks. They are located at Mount Albert Community Centre Park (53 Main Street Street) and Ridge View Park in Holland Landing (116 Pear Blossom Way).

For your safety, please follow all signage posted and stay off the ice until it is officially opened. Staff anticipate they will open sometime this week, weather dependent. Once the rinks are open, residents are asked to be mindful of social gathering sizes. If others are waiting to use the ice, please limit your skate to 30 minutes so everyone can enjoy the ice. Watch our social media accounts on Facebook and Twitter for up to date information.

SIDEWALK PLOWING AND SOD DAMAGE

The Town plows all sidewalks throughout Town using both Town and contracted resources. Staff take care to follow sidewalk paths to avoid damage but occasionally, during these plowing operations grass and sod damage may occur. This typically happens early in the season, or after a thaw when the ground is not frozen.

You can assist pedestrians by clearing your sidewalk after snowfalls, which will also assist sidewalk plows guide their path. If you do receive sod damage, please record the location, and email photos to customerservice@ eastgwillimbury.ca. The team will create a work order to ensure your lawn is repaired in the spring.

NEW! ONLINE WATER & TAX ACCOUNTS ARE COMING!

Residents can now register to access water and tax bills online via the Town's new online portal! This new safe and secure online portal will allow residents to view account balances, account transactions, and previous bills.

To set-up your account, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/ onlineportal and use the 5-digit pin on your water or tax bills to login. If you have any questions or require assistance, please contact Customer Service at 905-478-4282 or customerservice@eastgwillimbury.ca

COMMUNITY EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

EG Food Pantry - January 23 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Holland Landing Library.

Virtual Seniors Mobility Workshop - January 23 from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Join Align Health Centre for a virtual workshop discussing fall prevention education, and exercises to keep seniors moving. To register, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/ireg using code 7316 or call 905-478-4282.

COVID-19 UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Stay safe and informed by visiting the links below for information on the Town's response to COVID-19, how to conduct Town business during COVID-19, help for local businesses, and more:

- www.eastgwillimbury.ca/COVID19
- www.eastgwillimbury.ca/covidupdates
- www.eastgwillimbury.ca/covidFAQ
- www.york.ca/covid19

COVID-19 BY THE NUMBERS

York Region 21,281 18,197 **East Gwillimbury**

420 Active Cases 66 Cases reported in last 7 days 66

How is COVID-19 spreading in EG?



In EG the highest three age groups



Overall, East Gwillimbury cases make up 2% of the cases in York Region Metrics as of lanaury 10, 2021, As reported at York,ca/COVID19data

BUSINESS RESOURCES

EG's Economic Development team is here to help businesses navigate available resources during this challenging time. Information regarding new programs, and grant funding is available at www.eastgwillimbury.ca/covidbusiness.

Available programs include:

TAKU Retail - TAKUlabs is working with Digital Main Street to offer free access to TAKU Retail for stores in York Region to help bring businesses online. Businesses will get an online store + mobile POS, service supports, pickup and delivery options, and more.

Regional Relief and Recovery Fund (RRRF) - Available through South Lake Futures, the RRRF provides loans of up to \$40,000 to a wide range of businesses in the community.

Canada Emergency Rent Subsidy (CERS) and Lockdown Support - Available to businesses, non-profits, or charities can receive rent support of up to 90 per cent. The program provides payments directly to the qualifying renter or property owner, without requiring the participation of the landlord.

For more information, visit www.eastgwillimbury.ca/ covidbusiness or email ecdev@eastgwillimbury.ca for assistance.