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# CHISHOLM NEWSLETTER

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## COUNCIL/COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Committee of Adjustment: Tues., April 4, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.

Recreation Committee: Wed., April 5, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.

Public Meeting: Tues. April 11, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m. (council meeting to immediately follow).

Council Meetings: Tues. April 11 & 25, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.

General Gov't meeting: Wed., April 19, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.

Meetings are now opened to the public or via Zoom (as noted below).

**NOTE: The teleconference line is no longer available. The Zoom link can be found on the website under "Your Government / Meetings Agendas".**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83652386073?pwd=dJJTldodmpYYVpNQnU3ZWZqSXhvUT09>

Zoom Meeting ID: 836 5238 6073

Passcode: 123456

The Agendas and Minutes can be found on our website [www.chisholm.ca](http://www.chisholm.ca).

## FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Finance Committee Meetings for the 2023 Budget are currently scheduled as follows:

Thursday, April 13, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 27, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.



The office will be **CLOSED**  
Friday, April 7 and Monday,  
April 10, 2023 for Easter.

Happy Easter!

## TENDER REQUEST – PIONEER RD. BRIDGE

Tender RFT-2022-PW-01  
Project No. 21-07

The full details for this Tender can be found on the Township website at:

<https://chisholm.ca/en/municipal-services/tenders-procurement>

Please note there will be a **mandatory pre-tender site visit on Thursday, April 6, 2023 @ 1:00 p.m.**

**Tender Closing date:** Monday, April 17, 2023 @ 1:00 p.m.

## BY-LAWS

Council will be discussing passing an updated Procedural By-law – being a by-law to govern the calling, place and proceedings of meetings of Council and its Committees, the conduct of its members and public notice of meetings.



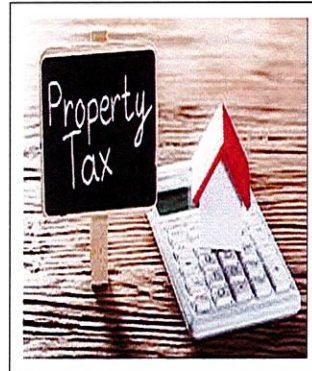
**RECYCLING DATES**  
April 6 & 20, 2023

Please have your blue box at the curb by 7:00 a.m.

## LANDFILL HOURS (spring/summer hours)

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.



## Did you know?

### Property Tax Edition

DYK that the property tax bills go out twice a year with 2 installments on each bill. The first bill is the Interim bill with due dates on March 31 and May 31. The final bill will go out in July with due dates on August 31 and October 31.

### Why have I not received a property tax bill?

The Interim bill has gone out and everyone should have received it by now. There could be a couple of reasons why you didn't receive your bill:

1. If you have a mortgage on your property and your taxes are paid through your mortgage holder, they directly receive your bill.
2. If there are multiple owners on a property, the bill will only go to the one mailing address we have on file.

If you did not receive your bill for the above reasons, you can reach out to the office and be added to a list to get a duplicate copy.

### How can I pay my property taxes?

You can pay the following ways:

1. In person by cash, cheque and now debit (no credit).
2. Through your bank by setting up the township as a payee and paying as a bill using your entire roll number as your account number.
3. Drop off a cheque with the stub(s) from your tax bill into the secure drop box next to the main door.

### How is the Interim tax bill calculated?

Because the current year budget is not passed by March 31st, the interim tax bill is calculated using 50% of the taxes paid in the prior year. If your property has a classification change, you will not see this change until the after the budget is passed and the Final bills go out.

If anyone has any other questions about property taxes, please call the office at 705-724-3526 or email [info@chisholm.ca](mailto:info@chisholm.ca).

**NOTICE – 2023 SPRING LOAD RESTRICTIONS  
IN EFFECT AS OF MARCH 18, 2023  
BY-LAW 2019-16**

The Township enforces reduced load restrictions on trucks to protect the Township's roadways during spring thaw, when road damage is most likely to occur.

Reduced load limits are in effect where and when signs are posted depending on the road and weather conditions.

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

The Recreation Committee is looking for new members so if you are interested, then please contact the office or e-mail us at [admin@chisholm.ca](mailto:admin@chisholm.ca) with your name and contact information. Thank you.

**SPRING GRADING**

The Township of Chisholm will be doing spring grading maintenance of our gravel road system and shall continue with grading when the weather and road conditions are favorable.

Please note the following:

- The Township prioritizes all maintenance by adherence to the minimum maintenance standards of Ontario (O.Reg 366/18), the severity of the required maintenance and the class of road by assessment of the annual average daily traffic and speed limit of the roadway;
- Grading shall only be performed when weather conditions and moisture content of the roadway are suitable;
- No heavy rain events can be forecasted in the next 24 hours - grading before heavy rains can result in the road condition deteriorating to a condition worse than before the grading was performed;
- Grading while conditions are wet and rainy may also contribute to silt in our waterways;
- We must allow the morning frost to come out of the top layer of the aggregate so that the equipment and operator can work efficiently.

We appreciate your patience and please use caution when travelling through the work zone of the grader.

**Message from The West Nipissing East  
Sudbury Agricultural Support Projects Inc.**

The West Nipissing East Sudbury Agricultural Support Projects Inc. is currently accepting farmer applications for a possible 2023-2024 NOHFC Tile Drainage Project (up to a maximum of \$500.00 per acre covered by grant). The Township of Chisholm is included in the area eligible for application. We intend to submit Project #11 in the near future and will be accepting applications until May 1, 2023, on a first come first served basis, until we have a total of 1,670 acres. A \$50.00 application fee is in effect.

Interested persons please contact me by email at [wnesasp@gmail.com](mailto:wnesasp@gmail.com) or by phone at 705-303-2475.

Support Projects Inc.  
Michel Champagne  
General Manager

**2023 DOG TAGS**

According to By-law 2010-06, all dog owners must purchase a dog tag for each dog they possess on or before March 31<sup>st</sup>. **Dog license fees are as follows:**

|        |         | <u>After March 31<sup>st</sup></u> |
|--------|---------|------------------------------------|
| 1 dog  | \$10.00 | \$30.00                            |
| 2 dogs | \$25.00 | \$45.00                            |
| 3 dogs | \$50.00 | \$70.00                            |

Dog tags can be purchased at the office and the form can be found at the link below:

<https://chisholm.ca/en/municipal-services/animal-control>

**Please Note:** Maximum three (3) dogs per household as per by-law 2010-06.

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E: [sunrisemeadows18@gmail.com](mailto:sunrisemeadows18@gmail.com)

**Johnson Construction**

Sand & Gravel Pit

Contact:

Equipment Rental

Cal Johnson – 705-499-6542

1524 River Road

[caljohnson06@gmail.com](mailto:caljohnson06@gmail.com)

Chisholm, Ontario

Tyler Johnson – 705-477-0623

Opening Spring

[t\\_johnson8@hotmail.com](mailto:t_johnson8@hotmail.com)

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