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# CHISHOLM NEWSLETTER

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### COUNCIL/COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Council Meeting: Tues. Jan. 9 & 23, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

Rec. Committee – Wed., Jan. 10, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

General Gov't meeting: Wed. Jan. 17, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

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

**Agenda and Minutes and the Zoom link can be found on the website under "Your Government / Meetings Agendas".**

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).

### SNOW REMOVAL – By-Law 2019-28

Please remember that no person shall, unless authorized .... "deposit or cause to be deposited any snow or ice upon any portion of any road or bridge located within the limits of the Township.

A complete copy of this By-law can be found on our website @ [www.chisholm.ca](http://www.chisholm.ca) under the "Your Government" tab.

*Thank you!*

Council and staff would like to say thank you to the residents of the Township of Chisholm for their donations to the Food Drive.



The office will be **CLOSED** on Monday, February 19, 2024 for Family Day.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Finance Committee Meetings for the 2024 Budget are currently scheduled as follows:

Thursday, January 25, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 22, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 28, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 25, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.



### RECYCLING DATES

January 11 & 25, 2024

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

### LANDFILL HOURS (winter hours)

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

### 2024 INTERIM TAX BILLS - REMINDER

The 2024 Interim Tax Bills be will mailed out in February with two installment dates of March 31 and May 31, 2024.

Payment can be made by cash, cheque, online, or debit (**not credit**). If you pay online, your roll number would be your "account number" (most financial institutes require the full 19 digits, with no spaces, decimals etc.)

### SNOWMOBILING SAFETY TIPS!

1. Know the law regarding snowmobile use.
2. Inspect before riding.
3. Do not drink and drive.
4. Be aware of your surroundings.
5. Take lessons.
6. Dress for the weather conditions.
7. Tell people where you are going.

### ENJOY SAFE MOTORING THIS WINTER

Winter weather means tricky driving conditions. Keep your car ready for whatever Old Man Winter throws at you by:

- Getting a pre-winter checkup and installing snow tires.
- Keeping your fuel tank at least half-full to reduce moisture in the fuel system, and give yourself a little extra weight for traction.
- Stock an ice scraper, car brush, and -40 C windshield washer.
- Keep a winter car safety kit in the vehicle, including a blanket, extra warm clothing, candles, booster cables, and a shovel. Before travelling in difficult conditions, take some water and a snack along.
- Check your route before you leave at [www.Ontario.ca/511](http://www.Ontario.ca/511). Ontario 511 offers an overview of provincial highway conditions, and weather. You can use remote cameras to scout your route. "Track My Plow" shows you where snow plows are on the job.
- For more information, visit [Ontario.ca/BePrepared](http://Ontario.ca/BePrepared), and follow @OntarioWarnings on X (formerly Twitter.)

**CRIME STOPPERS MONTH**

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Chisholm proclaims the month of January, Crime Stoppers Month.

For more information on Ontario Association of Crime Stoppers please visit <https://ontariocrimestoppers.ca>

**FIRE DEPARTMENT SERVICE AWARDS**

The township would like to recognize members of the volunteer fire department for their years of service:

Garth Pigeau and Wayne Wright, each receiving the 30-year Fire Services Exemplary Service Bar from the Office of the Governor General, and the 35-year Long Service Bar from the Province of Ontario.

Ray Ford and Marcel Sauve, each receiving the 25-year Long Service Medal from the Province of Ontario.

Jeff Brubacher and Scott Wright, each receiving the 20-year Fire Services Exemplary Service Medal from the Office of the Governor General.

Tyler White, 10-year service pin from the Chisholm Township Fire Dept.

Cameron Humphrey, 5-year service pin from the Chisholm Township Fire Dept.



**REC. COMMITTEE – SUNDAY CARD GAMES ARE BACK!**

Card games will take place in Council Chambers every other Sunday from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

The first scheduled game is **Sunday, January 14, 2024**. Come out and enjoy the company while playing a hand or two! Put in your toonie per game and you could win the jackpot!

**ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH**

January is Alzheimer's Awareness Month. During this month the Society encourages individuals to learn more about this disease. For more information please visit: <https://alzheimer.ca/en>

The Townships new truck was painted blue, in support of Alzheimer's Awareness.



**USED SKATES**

The Amish community is looking for ice skates of all types and sizes, both for kids and adults. If you have any skates you would like to donate or sell, please drop them off at **1933 Memorial Park Drive** and ask for Menno.

**2024 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

The 2024 Dog Tags have been ordered **but are not available at this time**, but we will post on Facebook and in the February Newsletter once they have been received.

Once available, the dog tags will be available for purchase at the office or you can complete the attached form and mail it in along with payment made payable to the Township of Chisholm.

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

**JACK'S PLOWING**  
**CALL: 705-498-4679**

**CHISHOLM DOG TAGS 2024**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

	1 dog \$10.00 *after March 31, \$30.00*	2 dogs \$25.00 *after March 31, \$45.00*	3 dogs \$50.00 *after March 31, \$70.00*
Breed			
Colour			
Age			
Sex			
Dog's Name			
Tag #			