

VILLAGE OF CREMONA NEWSLETTER

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Council Highlights February 16, 2016

HIGHLAND PRIMACY CARE NETWORK (PCN)

Cory Leyte from the Highland PCN spoke to Council on a number of initiatives that the Highland PCN is working on as well as the upcoming 3rd Annual Health Challenge April 4-May 15, 2016.

DIDSBURY RCMP REPORT

Sgt. Pasloske was present to give her 3rd Quarter Report as well as ask for direction on the 2016/2017 priorities for the detachment to focus on as part of the Annual Performance Plan.

RECYCLING CENTRE AGREEMENT

Mountain View County requested the Village of Cremona keep the recycling centre open in order to serve the rural residents. The County has agreed to enter into an agreement with the Village to cover costs by the Village. Council approved for the Recycling Centre to remain open for Village of Cremona Businesses and Mountain View County Residents with operating costs being provided to the Village by Mountain View County at \$600 per month plus mileage for trips to the landfill.



SIGNING AUTHORITY ADDITION

Council appointed Timothy (Tim) Hagen; Margaret (Meg) Bigelow; Sonia Temple; Luana Smith; and Sandra Ryan to having Signing Authority for the Village of Cremona:

FCSS FUNDING AGREEMENTS

Council approved the 2016 FCSS Funding recommendations in the amount of \$6,915.00.

2016/2017 POLICING PRIORITIES

Council set the Didsbury RCMP Detachment Policing Priorities for 2016/2017 as follows:

1. Community Visibility; (*in school*)
2. Traffic Safety; (*patrols at noon hours and after school hours*); and
3. Crime Reduction (*education: substance abuse; DARE program*)

APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR FOR LIBRARY

Council appointed Lynda Hamilton to act as Annual Auditor of the Cremona Municipal Library until further notice.

AGREEMENT WITH LIONS TO RUN RV DUMPING STATION

Council directed the CAO to draw up an agreement for 3 years with the Cremona Lions Club being billed monthly for metered water consumption at the bulk water rate and a sewer fee charge at 50% of the Bulk Water Rate based on total water consumption.

REPORT A PROBLEM...

If you have a problem or question about any municipal service the Village of Cremona's website now has an on-line form to report a problem or make a request.

It is important to submit a formal request in order for the staff to provide you with efficient service. We can also use the data from these forms as statistical information to help apply for grant money to improve our infrastructure.

Action Request Forms are also available at the Village Office and FCSS Office.

www.cremona.ca/

OFFICE CLOSURE

The Village of Cremona Office and Public Works

Department will be closed on

Friday, March 25 for Good Friday and

Monday, March 28, for Easter Monday.

Public Works will continue to be on-call to take any emergency calls.

GREEN COMPOSTING BIN

The Village of Cremona will be starting the Composting Collection in April. Bins will be delivered in March to each residence.

Every home is assigned a black garbage bin, green compost bin and a blue recycling bin. These bins stay with the home.

Materials **ALLOWED** in Your Green Compost Container:

- Kitchen scraps: egg shells, fruit & vegetables, coffee grounds, tea bags, etc.
- Yard wastes: leaves, grass clippings, garden plants, flowers, etc.
- Dog fur and human hair
- Dryer lint
- Cold wood ashes only

All materials must be loose in compost recycling containers or in compostable bags which are available to purchase from KC Foods.

PLEASE DO NOT PUT COMPOST IN A PLACSTIC BAG

Materials **NOT** allowed in your green compost container:

- No diapers or baby wipes.
- No foam cups, food containers or packaging.
- No wax coated paper products such as coffee cups

*Place these items in your **black** cart.*

No plastic bags or plastic food containers.

CURBSIDE BIN PICK UP SCHEDULE FOR BLACK, BLUE & GREEN BINS.

GREEN BIN IS ON THE SAME DAY AS BLACK BIN

BLACK/GREEN

BLUE

PICK UP SCEHDULE FOR MARCH 2016

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PICK UP SCEHDULE FOR APRIL 2016

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GREEN COMPOST PICK UP WILL BE ON THE BLACK BIN DAYS BEGINNING APRIL 6

Four easy steps for using your Green Cart:

Using your cart as part of the Green Cart Composting Program is not only easy, it's important. When you use your green bin, you can cut your garbage in half, decrease your community's landfill needs and create valuable compost for farms, parks and gardens.

Step One: Put a compostable bag inside the kitchen pail and then place the pail in a convenient location in your kitchen.



Step Two: Toss all your compostable waste into the kitchen pail.



Step Three: When your kitchen pail is full, tie the handles of the compostable bag and put it into your green cart along with your yard waste.

Step Four: Place your green cart out for Collection by 7 a.m. on collection day.

