

VILLAGE OF CREMONA NEWSLETTER

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Council Meeting Highlights — April 17, 2018

2017 AUDIT - COLLINS BARROW LLP

Mr. Grant Stange, Auditor with Collins Barrow LLP presented the 2017 Audited Financial Statements for the Village of Cremona.

BYLAW 482-18 TAX RATE BYLAW

The 2018 Village of Cremona Tax Rate Bylaw was presented for Council's review and approval. Only the first and second readings were approved; therefore a meeting was set for Tuesday, April 24, 2018 at 6:30 pm to give the third and final reading.

RETURN TO SERVICE PROTOCOL The Village had the annual inspection by Alberta Environment and Parks on March 22, 2018. The inspector required the Village to develop 2 policies to be in compliance with the Water and Waste water Code of Practice Regulations. Policy #1503-01 and Policy #1504 were approved by Council.

PERSONNEL POLICY #1701-02

The Alberta Employment Standards and Code were changed with new legislation in place January 1, 2018. The Village of Cremona Personnel Policy has been amended to include these new changes.

BUILDING PERMIT EXTENSION

Building Permit VCM B 0003 15 MU expired and a request had been made for an extension by the applicant. Council approved to extend Building Permit VCM B 003 15 MU to March 30, 2019.

SUBDIVISION UPDATE

The proposed subdivision for the lots designated DC on the south side of Railway Avenue was sent out to all adjacent landowners as well as bodies that would have an interest in the development such as FORTIS, ATCO and Alberta Transportation. Council was given an update on the status of the subdivision.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SALARY GRID

When the Salary Grid was approved in 2017 a classification of a position was inadvertently omitted. Council approved the 2018 Salary Grid with the addition of Public Works Equipment Operator position.

2018 OPERATING BUDGET

A public budget meeting was held on April 10th to review and discuss the 2018 operating budget. At the April 17, 2018 Council meeting, Council approved the operating budget revenue of \$896,889; and expense of \$886,827. Council also approved the transfer of \$10,062 surplus to the Operating Contingency Reserve.

CAMA CONFERENCE TRAVEL REQUEST

The CAO has been awarded a scholarship to attend the 2017 Canadian Association of Municipal Administrators (CAMA) Conference in Fredericton NB from May 28 to 30th. The CAO is using Marriott points to cover the hotel room; and is asking Council if they would approve to cover the cost of the flight only. Council approved up to \$ 700.00 to go towards airfare for the CAO to attend the 2018 CAMA Conference in Fredericton NB May 28 to 30th.



**The Village of Cremona Offices
will be CLOSED
May 21, 2018 for the
Victoria Day Holiday**

THE 2018 TAX ASSESSMENT

NOTICES WERE MAILED ON MARCH 13, 2018

TAX NOTICES WERE MAILED ON MAY 7, 2018

TAXES ARE DUE JUNE 30, 2018

BUT WILL BE RECEIVED WITHOUT PENALTY UNTIL JULY 3RD.

Unpaid taxes after July 3rd will be subject to an 8% penalty.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Regular Council Meeting for the Village of Cremona Council will take place at 7:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, May 15, 2018** at Council Chambers located at 106 1st Avenue East.

Please join Council for a half hour coffee time from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.



Pharmacy Services in Cremona

Carstairs Family Pharmasave will be working with Dr. Leroux's medical clinic to provide pharmacy services to Cremona. Prescription deliveries will happen after his clinics on Fridays to the Village Office between 1:00-1:30 p.m. Times may change depending on how busy the clinics become.

CREMONA MEDICAL CLINIC

OPEN

Dr. J. Le Roux will be providing medical doctor services to Cremona . Clinics will be open on an as needed basis at this time.

**To book an appointment please call
403-560-1606.**

STUDENT JOB POSTING!!

Cremona FCSS is looking for
Students to run Summer Fun 2018

Summer Coordinator position:

Salary: \$17 per hour

Past experience planning Summer Fun is an asset,
Approximately 14 hours per week.

Summer Assistants positions:

Salary: Minimum wage

Duties: assisting the coordinator in programing.
Approximately 8 hours per week

The Summer Fun positions will involve working with children from 6 to 12 years of age, planning craft projects, outdoor activities, and providing care.

Please apply by dropping off resume and cover letter to the Cremona FCSS office or the Cremona Village office.
Resumes must be received by May 17, 2018

If you have any question please call Jen at (403) 510-4521.

Village of Cremona 2018 Spring Clean Up!

Waste Containers will be dropped off at the Cremona Recycling Centre for Friday, May 11 and will remain there until Monday, May 21.

Residents are encouraged to use this opportunity to clean up their homes, yards, etc.

*No Appliances or Toxic
Waste Allowed*

Employment Opportunity

Cremona Library is Hiring 3 positions for the 2018 Summer Reading Program

- * Program Coordinator
\$15/hour (mature student or adult)
- * Two Assistants
\$13.60/hour - 6 hours a week (students 14 +)

These positions involve working with children between the of ages 5 to 12. These positions require the development and facilitation of a variety of actives and programs such as crafts, outdoor activities, etc.

Please send resume with cover letter to the attention of Tracy Westerson to:

cremonalibrary@prl.ab.ca ; or

by mail Cremona Library:

General Delivery Cremona AB. TOM 0R0; or
drop off in person at the Cremona Library -
105 1st Street East.

Only successful candidates will be contacted.

We thank everyone for applying.

Closing date is May 18, 2018 @ 4:30 pm