

## ***Kamsack & COVID-19***

### ***Update from The Town of Kamsack***

During these concerning and uncertain times, it is important to remember that Kamsack is a strong community.

Your municipality is following public health recommendations and communicating with the Emergency Measures Organization Coordinator and Fire Chief, Ken Thompson, as well as the Saskatchewan Health Authority.

By following provincial requirements and public health recommendations, everyone plays a direct role in limiting the impact of COVID-19 on ourselves, our neighbours and our community as a whole.

To support these efforts, Town Office, the Public Works Shop and the Water Treatment Plant are closed to the public, but remain in operation. The Broda Sportsplex and OCC Hall are closed until further notice. The Crowstand Centre is closed until further notice; but, as of the date of this article, the Vet Clinic continues to operate as normal.

We understand that you probably have questions for the town. We hope to address most of these through the following. However, if your specific interest is not addressed, please visit our website at [www.kamsack.ca](http://www.kamsack.ca), contact Town Office at **(306) 542-2155** or email [town.of.kamsack@sasktel.net](mailto:town.of.kamsack@sasktel.net).

#### **Bill Payments:**

- Online on our website and through TD, Credit Unions & Scotiabank
- E-Transfer
- Traditional Mail Service
- A secure drop box has been installed at Town Office, along 3rd Avenue. Signage posted.

#### **Assessment & Property Tax Notices:**

Assessment Notices will be mailed to the applicable properties shortly.

Property Tax Notices will be mailed out in April or early May. The 5% discount on property

taxes has been extended until April 30<sup>th</sup> and may be extended further; as determined on a month to month basis.

Tax Enforcement of 2019 Property Tax Arrears will continue as planned. Please contact Town Office to arrange payment(s).

#### **Water & Utility Services:**

Water Bills will be issued as normal. Please contact Town Office if you need to make payment arrangements.

Water Meter Connections and Disconnections will continue; however, we ask that landlords leave water connected between tenants.

The Applications for Water Meter Connections and Disconnections can be found on our website. Please send the completed form to Town Office via fax at **(306) 542-2975** or email at [utilities.kamsack@sasktel.net](mailto:utilities.kamsack@sasktel.net).

#### **Landfill:**

The landfill continues to operate as normal. Landfill tickets have been waived for the time being. This will be re-evaluated on a month to month basis.

#### **Town Staff:**

In order to protect Town Staff, they will not enter any residences or buildings, except in an extreme emergency. Please contact Town Office for further clarification.

Other public and private buildings have also adjusted their normal operations for the time being. A number of local groups, organizations and businesses remain in operation and are prepared to meet your needs. If you have questions about their operations, please contact the specific group or business.

We strongly recommend following the Government of Canada and the Government of Saskatchewan plans, requirements and recommendations. Take care and do not panic. We will get through this together.

***The Garden of Saskatchewan  
will continue to grow.***