

# Town of Onoway ONOWAVES

MAY, 2022

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## PRE-AUTHORIZED TAX PAYMENT PLAN

If you wish to pay your municipal taxes in monthly installments, please contact the Town Office to enroll in the PAT Plan.

## PRE-AUTHORIZED UTILITY PAYMENTS

If you wish to pay utility bills through automatic withdrawal from your bank account, please contact the office to enroll.

#### **REPORT A CRIME**

If you witness a crime or suspicious activity within the Town of Onoway, please contact law enforcement:

Emergencies – Call 911 RCMP (Non-Emergency) – Call 825-220-7267

RCMP (Office Line) – Call 825-220-2000

Peace Officer - Call 1-866-880-5722

Bylaw Officer - Call 1-866-880-5722

Office closed: Monday, May 23, 2022 in recognition of May

Long weekend (Victoria Day)

#### **MESSAGE FROM MAYOR LENARD KWASNY**

Council has been very busy in April and have had to make some very difficult decisions, but spring is here, and with spring, comes new beginnings.

As they say April showers bring MAY flowers and will provide the Town of Onoway with new opportunities to continue to bloom and grow.

I would like to Thank all of Council and Staff for their hard work and patience during this transition.

On behalf of Council, I hope all Mothers enjoyed a very "Happy Mother's Day".

Len

#### Let's Get Spiffy!

The Annual Spring Clean-up "Let's Get Spiffy" is set for Friday, May 27 (from 10 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.) & Saturday, May 28, 2022 (from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.)

This is a service provided for Town residents so they may do a major clean-up of their properties and have disposal services available. The bins will be located at the Public Works yard at 5104-41 Street for people to drop off large items that would not normally be picked up on regular waste collection days. These items are:

Metals – stoves, refrigerators, other appliances.

Wood – including long tree branches, clean construction materials, etc.

NOTE: Residents will need to take WOOD to the Town's Lagoon Site.

Waste – mattresses, chairs and other large items

Electronics – T.V., microwaves, etc.

Wire – fencing, electrical wire, etc.

Hazardous Waste – paint, oil, lightbulbs, batteries

There is no charge for this service. This event is open to Town of Onoway residents only so residents must bring proof of residence - such as your tax roll number or utility bill.



### Thank you Wildwillow Enterprises Inc.

Wendy was the Town's long serving Chief Administrative Officer since 2011. Both the Town and Wendy have recently agreed to mutually part ways. We thank Wendy for her service to the Town and wish her well in her future endeavours.

The following roads in Town will have 75% weight restrictions from March 27th to June 1<sup>st--</sup>Lac Ste Anne Trail, Industrial Avenue, 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, and 47<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

#### **ATTENTION: ONOWAY BUSINESS OWNERS**

The Town is adding a new element to our Onowaves monthly newsletter that is distributed with Town utility bills. We are planning to feature a local business or two every month, as space permits. If you are interested in having an article with the highlights of your business included, please submit a written article to: <a href="mailto:info@onoway.ca">info@onoway.ca</a> Article must be in Word format for ease of revision/sizing. Please include your contact information in the event we require clarification.

**TELMATIK** - Town of Onoway has an automated messaging service to help advise all citizens quickly and efficiently in case of emergency and/or public notification (ex. temporary interruption of the water supply, tax payment deadlines, snow removal, election dates, town events etc.). This system allows us to notify residents by landline and/or cellular and/or SMS and/or email of your choice. Please visit our website www.onoway.ca and following the link provided under the Emergency Services Tab "Alert and Notification System" to assure your contact information is Please note that the Alert and added. Notification System is secure and resident contact info. will only be used by the Town of Onoway to contact residents regarding important information.

#### **Community Events**

## MOTORCYCLE RIDE FOR MOM 2022

Rescheduled to Sat.

May 14, 2022

ONOWAY IS A STOP

## ONOWAY FARMERS MARKET

STARTS MAY 5, 2022

MARKET HELD
THURSDAYS 5 TO 8 PM

Onoway Community Hall - 4920 49 Ave

## MOTORCYCLE RIDE FOR DAD 2022

Sat. June 11, 2022

ONOWAY IS A STOP ON THE RIDE

#### ONOWAY LEGION FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

Reservations Required Please Text or Call: 780-907-6300

Become a member today, contact the Legion!

#### **Council Meetings**

May 12, 2022(CANCELLED) May 19, 2022 May 26, 2022

Meetings start at 9:30 A.M. and are held at the Town Office. Any date or time change will be posted on the website. Meetings are open to the public and zoom is available; if you want to address Council you must make an appointment through the Town Office by noon Monday, the week prior to the meeting.

## FEEL FREE TO CONTACT COUNCIL WITH ANY COMMENTS OR CONCERNS

#### **MAYOR**

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#### **ORGANICS CARTS - COLLECTION**

Standstone will be collecting Organics beginning **May 3** until the end of October.

The **ORGANICS** cart is for **YARD WASTE** only, as it will be accepted at our local Highway 43 Waste Commission for composting and ground cover. Below is a list of acceptable items to place in the Organics cart.

YES NO

Grass clippings
Leaves
Cat litter
Lake weeds
Flower garden clippings
Tree prunings & branches less

Dog feces
Cat litter
Food scraps
Meat scraps
Plastic bags

than 1.5" diameter. Compostable plastic bags Vegetable garden waste

Questions can be directed to Standstone at (780) 967-2118

#### **ONOWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Tuesday to Friday – 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday – 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Contact the Library: 780-967-2445; email: onowaylibrary@yrl.ab.ca; facebook @onowaypubliclibrary; website: www.onowaylibrary.ab.ca

Watch for the Storytime/Music Program running on alternate Fridays from 11:00 – 12:00.

Onoway Art gallery is now showcasing artist Julie Anne Ophus Litke My name is Julie Ann Ophus Litke. I was born in Grand Prairie Alberta. In 1956 at the age of 2yrs. my parents moved to their homestead which they had purchased in 1946 in Hattonford Alberta. I and my 7 siblings went to school at Niton Central School in Niton Junction Alberta. I have lived in and around Parkland county for 25yrs. Julie's art will be on display until mid May.

#### STREET SWEEPING

Street sweeping will take place in May. We kindly ask people to watch for signs and not park on the streets during this time.

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

#### **INSURANCE COVERAGE – FIRES**

The cost of fire suppression by the Fire Department for structure, grass or vehicle fires is payable by the property owner

You will also be invoiced for alarms, including false alarms. (1st false alarm call free, subsequent are charged)

Medical Assistance Responses are a free service provided by your Fire Department

Be sure to check your home insurance policy or talk to your insurance agent about what exactly your policy covers and the amount of your coverage.



Contact Lorna at (780) 905-3934

Office Hours Monday—Thursday

9:00 am-4:00 pm

**WED., MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>** ST. ALBERT - (10:30 – 3:30) St. Albert Centre/Century Casino. Open to the public – Bus \$16.00.

**WED., MAY 25<sup>TH</sup>** A DAY IN SPRUCE GROVE – Bus \$16.00 – Open to the public.

Tri Leisure, Medical Appointments, Walmart, Westland Market and Superstore

**WED., JUNE 1**<sup>ST</sup> **WEM/IKEA** - (WEM 10:30 - 3:30 IKEA 11:00 - 1:30) Open to the public – Bus \$16.00.

**TUE., JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup>** — Not only can you find high-quality pieces at discounted prices, buying pre-loved items also extends the lifecycle of usable goods to prevent them from ending up in local landfills. Cost \$16.00

**WED., JUNE 15<sup>TH</sup>** ST. ALBERT - (10:30 – 3:30) St. Albert Centre/Century Casino. Open to the public – Bus \$16.00.

**WED., JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup>** A DAY IN SPRUCE GROVE – Bus \$16.00 – Open to the public.

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