



Town of Onoway

ONOWAVES

MAY, 2025

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THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 19, 2025 TO CELEBRATE VICTORIA DAY

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR LENARD KWASNY

As we are all aware, this is wildfire season with warm dry conditions and higher than normal winds. Please watch the Fire Advisory on our website for any postings. And please be careful.

As this is the time of year for Council and administration to complete budgets, and plan this year's projects, Council approved the 2025 Operating and Capital budgets at the April 22, 2025 regular Council meeting.

Public Works has replaced an old dilapidated 2008 ½ ton truck with a newer one as the old one was requiring to many repairs and no longer viable to maintain.

Public Works continues to fill potholes as they appear. They are also street sweeping and that should be completed shortly.

Our summer students will be starting shortly, and you will be seeing them in Town grass cutting, trimming, pothole patching and other duties.

Some of the up-coming events in May are: Ride for Mom on May 10th and Mother's Day on May 11th. Happy Mother's Day to all you Moms, those who embody Motherly love, have a wonderful day.

Onoway Heritage Days Society are in their final stages of planning Heritage Days, and this year's theme is Northern Lights: A Celebration of the Canadian Spirit. Let's help make this day June 14th, 2025, great. Get your entries in for the parade - all information for this event can be found on the Heritage Days Facebook page.

And the result of the 2025 Federal Election is that our new Prime Minister is Mark Carney.

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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 1-780-785-3630

Bylaw Officer–Call 1-780-785-3630

Council Meetings

THURS. MAY 8, 2025

MON. MAY 12, 2025-2:15 PM

THURS. MAY 22, 2025

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; 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!

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Notice from Canadian Fiber Optics Regarding Remediation

We are starting the remediation and clean up phase! We appreciate your patience as we navigate through the unpredictable weather conditions. If you happen to notice any issues on your property, simply snap a photo, leave contact details, and send us an email at construction@canadianfiberoptics.ca



**ALBERTA
FireSmart™**

As the snow melts and dwindles away it is time to start thinking smart about fires... being FireSmart.

Lac Ste. Anne County is offering FREE FireSmart Property Assessments to our partner municipalities.

Click on the QR code below that will direct Town of Onoway residents can sign up for the FREE property assessments.



www.onoway.ca

Click on the QR Code or the link below for access to the Firesmart property Assessment. [Farm FireSmart | Lac Ste. Anne County](#)

COMMUNITY EVENTS

**ONOWAY ROYAL
CANADIAN LEGION
DINNERS**

**FRI. MAY 9, 2025
FRI. MAY 30, 2025**

**BRUNCH-MAY 11,
2025**

**FOR RESERVATIONS
(780) 967-5361**

**FARMERS' MARKET
SAT. MAY 10, 2025**



**ONOWAY
COMMUNITY HALL**

**MOTORCYCLE RIDE FOR
MOM 2025**

SAT. MAY 10, 2025



**ONOWAY IS A STOP ON
THE RIDE**

LET'S GET SPIFFY!

**FRI. MAY 23, 2025
AND
SAT. MAY 24, 2025**

**LARGE BIN EVENT FOR
ANNUAL SPRING
CLEAN UP**

**SEE POSTER FOR
ADDITIONAL DETAILS**



Place in Organics Cart From
Tuesday, May 6, 2025 - Tuesday, October 28, 2025
 Refer to the Calendar

Curbside ACCEPTED Organic Items:

- ✓ Grass Clippings & Leaves
- ✓ Lake Weeds
- ✓ Flower / Garden Clippings
- ✓ Tree Branches, less than 1.5"






- ✗ NO Animal Feces
- ✗ NO Cat Litter
- ✗ NO Meat or Food Scraps
- ✗ NO Plastic Bags
- ✗ NO Compostable Bags
- ✗ NO Vegetable Garden Waste
- ✗ NO Cardboard, Paper, Newsprint

Town of Onoway

ROAD BANS

Please be advised that the Town of Onoway has put 75% vehicle weight restrictions on **AND ARE NOW IN EFFECT** until June, 2025 or as otherwise advised by Public Works. This applies to Lac Ste Anne Trail north and south, 52 St. north and south, 47 Ave. and Industrial Ave.




TOWN OF ONOWAY RESIDENTS ONLY

LET'S GET SPIFFY LARGE BIN EVENT

WHERE & WHEN

PUBLIC WORKS YARD 5104 - 41 STREET
 (PUBLIC WORKS STAFF WILL DIRECT YOU WHERE TO GO)

FRIDAY, MAY 23, 2025 10:00AM-7:00PM
SATURDAY, MAY 24, 2025 9:00AM-5:00PM

SPRING CLEAN UP

TOWN OF ONOWAY RESIDENTS ONLY- FREE OF CHARGE
 SHOW ID SUCH AS A UTILITY BILL
 DROP OFF LARGE ITEMS THAT WOULD NOT NORMALLY BE PICKED UP ON REGULAR WASTE DAYS

METALS: STOVES, REFRIGERATORS, APPLIANCES.
LARGE WASTE ITEMS: MATTRESSES, CHAIRS, OTHER LARGE ITEMS,
ELECTRONICS: TELEVISION, MICROWAVES, ETC...
WIRE: FENCING, ELECTRICAL WIRE, ETC...
HAZARDOUS WASTE: PAINT, OIL, LIGHTBULBS, BATTERIES

WOOD: INCLUDING TREE BRANCHES, CLEAN CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

GO TO PUBLIC WORKS YARD & YOU WILL BE DIRECTED WHERE TO GO







Join us in Onoway Saturday May 10, 2025

In conjunction with Motorcycle Ride for Mom stopping in Onoway @ approximately 1:30PM. Join us for the other activities in Town that day!

ALL ACTIVITIES ONOWAY
COMMUNITY HALL & PARKING LOT
(4920-49 Avenue)



10AM-3PM



Farmers'
Market

PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Blues at 11 will be performing LIVE!

1:00PM-3:00PM

SPARKLE TATTOOS
BY TRUDY
FIRST COME-FIRST SERVE

8:30AM-10:00AM

BRING A CASH DONATION!
Proceeds will be supporting
the Onoway & District
Agricultural Society



Tim Hortons

WILL BE ON SITE
11:00AM

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS & VOLUNTEERS

ONOWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY Hours of operation

Tuesday to Friday-10:30 am to 4:30 pm
Saturday – 10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Contact the Library: 780-967-2445
Email: onowaylibrary@yrl.ab.ca
Facebook@onowaypubliclibrary
Website: www.onowaylibrary.ab.ca

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 may also be invoiced for alarms, including false alarms. 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.

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. 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 ensure your contact information is added.

Please note that the Alert and Notification System is secure and resident contact info. will only be used by the Town of Onoway to contact residents regarding important information.



STUDENT BURSARY 2025

ONWAY COUNCIL IS PROUD TO ADMINISTER BURSARY OPPORTUNITIES TO ONWAY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

THE BURSARY AMOUNT IS \$500.00 AND WILL BE AWARDED TO UP TO THREE STUDENTS ANNUALLY, TOWN COUNCIL WILL APPROVE THE SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS.



How do I qualify?

- Student must reside in Onway, or within Lac Ste Anne County, and provide proof of such.
- Must be currently attending Onway Junior or Senior High School.
- Must provide proof of registration & acceptance to a qualified Post Secondary in a Full or Parttime program. (if awarded)
- Must be attending First Year of Studies.
- Secondary Considerations, must demonstrate good citizenship within the community, social participation, volunteer work, etc..



How do I apply?

For full details and Application, got to www.onway.ca Click on Residents and Education and you will find the Bursary information and application.



Purpose

To provide Financial assistance to Onway High School students who are entering or enrolled in a qualified post-secondary institution.



Timing

Application deadline is June 1, 2025 by 11.59 PM of the current year without exception. Awards will be dispersed by August 31 annually.



How is the Bursary awarded?

The Bursaries will be awarded by Council resolution. The Identity of the applicants will be concealed to support a fair and accountable process.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2025

ARE YOU PASSIONATE ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY, AND WANT TO BE A PART OF THE FUTURE OF ONWAY.

THE 2025 MUNICIPAL ELECTION IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER,

NOMINATION PERIOD OPENS
JANUARY 1, 2025.

IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING RUNNING FOR COUNCIL, YOU CAN START EXPLORING WHAT IS INVOLVED IN BECOMING AN ELECTED OFFICIAL.

MUST BE A RESIDENT WITHIN THE TOWN OF ONWAY

..... www.onway.ca



IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, OR WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION. PLEASE BOOK AN APPOINTMENT WITH RETURNING OFFICER, REANNE SPRINGER.

APPOINTMENTS WOULD BE HELD AT THE TOWN ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
4812-51 STREET (9AM-4PM MONDAY-FRIDAY)



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*-Serving east end of Lac Ste. Anne County-
Cherhill, Darwell, Alberta Beach & Onoway*

Wednesday, May 21st

Destination: St. Albert Centre / Century Casino / Landmark Cinema / Enjoy Centre
Time: 10:30 AM – 3:30 PM – Enjoy Center (to be determined)
Cost: \$20.00

Wednesday, May 28th

Destination: A Day in Spruce Grove
Time: 10:15 AM – 2:30 PM
Cost: \$20.00

Activities Include:

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

Wednesday, June 4th

Destination: West Edmonton Mall / Ikea
Time: 10:45 AM – 3:30 PM – Ikea 11:15 am – 2:30 pm
Cost: Bus \$20.00 per person

Wednesday, June 18th

Destination: St. Albert Centre / Century Casino / Landmark Cinema
Time: 10:30 AM – 3:30 PM
Cost: \$20.00

Thursday, June 19th

- **Edmonton Thrift Day Adventure!**
- Location: More Than a Fad, Blenderz Thrift Store, Edmonton MCC Thrift Shop & Finders Keepers Thrift Shop, lunch at the Italian Centre Southside
- Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
- Pickup Location: TBA
- Cost: \$30.00 (transportation, lunch your cost)
- Booking: Opens on Tuesday, May 13th, 2025 (booking policy below)

Highlights:

Join us for a fun-filled day of treasure hunting as we hit the road for a **Thrift Day Adventure!** Whether you're a seasoned thrifter or just love the thrill of finding unique gems, this is the perfect outing to explore local thrift stores, discover hidden treasures, and enjoy some great company along the way.

Expect laughter, unexpected finds, and maybe even that perfect vintage piece you didn't know you needed. 🍷 🍷 🍷

Bring your shopping spirit, comfy shoes, and a sense of adventure — you never know what you'll find!

Wednesday, June 25th

Destination: A Day in Spruce Grove
Time: 10:15 AM – 2:30 PM
Cost: \$20.00

Activities Include:

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

Contact Information:

Lorna: (780) 905-3934

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

IMPORTANT NOTICE
EEB now accepts
e-transfers for payments

Stay Updated:

To receive the EEB monthly schedule, email your request to: eastendbus@gmail.com
Schedules are also available online at: www.lsac.ca & www.onoway.ca

Booking Policy: * Book by Phone Only * Maximum of 2 Seats per Booking

Booking Times:

- **9:00 AM – 10:00 AM:** Priority for first-time participants of the advertised excursion and residents within the service area.
- **10:00 AM:** Open to all seniors aged 50+ in the service area.

Eligibility:

Excursions are intended for EEB service area residents aged 50+ (e.g., dinner theatres, overnight trips).

Non-Residents:

If you do not live in the service area, you may add your name to the waiting list on or after the booking day.