

VILLAGE OF MIDWAY

MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

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Next Council Meeting

Monday, May 15, 2017

Monday, June 5, 2017

Agendas close at noon

If you would like to appear as a delegation, or have an item added to the agenda, please contact the Village office prior to noon on the following dates for the upcoming meetings:

Thursday, May 11, 2017

Thursday, June 1, 2017

Contact the Council

Councillor Schierbeck can be contacted at gschierbeck@shaw.ca

ICBC & Motor Vehicles

The Village of Midway Office offers all of your ICBC Autoplan and Drivers Services needs.

Midway Branding Project - Tony Munday, Munday Media & Design, and members of the Midway Branding Committee presented Council with version 1.0 of Midway's Brand Book, which includes the guidelines and visual and verbal elements that represent the branded identity of the Village of Midway. Council was pleased with the design and campaign as presented and approved the brand book. The next phase is an overhaul of the current website to fit the brand, which will be done by Tony and staff.

Water Usage and Restrictions - With the arrival of the warm weather, and as the temperatures continue to rise, **residents are reminded that watering restrictions are always in effect per Bylaw No. 413 and that sprinkling (irrigating) lawns and gardens between the hours of 10:00 am and 6:00 pm is prohibited.** There is plenty of time to establish a green lawn. The Village of Midway reserves the right to disconnect offenders from the water service for violation of regulations and wasteful use of water. Any service that has been disconnected will be charged a minimum of \$50.00 before service resumes. On your own well? Remember that all Village water comes from the same aquifer and your use also contributes to the lower water levels even if you don't think it does. We appreciate your cooperation.

Trees and Ditches on Boulevards - Residents are reminded that they are not to fill in ditches, or plant and/or remove trees located on Municipal boulevards without express written consent from the Village of Midway. We thank you for your cooperation.

New Midway Residents - New residents to Midway are asked to contact the Village Office to ensure we have your correct mailing address on file. Please phone 250-449-2222.



Council Meeting News

- Budget Planning is in progress. A public meeting will be held May, 11, 2017 at 7:00 pm. Please stay tuned for more information on the location.
- The CAO met with representatives from BC Commissionaires who offer enforcement services for animal control. Costs to bring this service to Midway are being looked at.
- Parcel Taxes are now deemed authenticated for 2017 as there were no submissions received by the deadline.

Fee for service for the Midway Tree Recycling Facility

- Residents are reminded that there is an annual flat rate fee of \$10 for everyone who uses the tree recycling facility. The Village spends approximately \$6000 every few years to hire a chipping company to chip all of the branches in the landfill and this annual fee will help off-set those costs. The tree recycling facility is now open to dispose of branches and the key can be picked-up at the Village Office.

Property Taxes

- Residents whose property taxes are paid by their financial institution, and who will be claiming a homeowner grant in Midway, are asked to contact the Village Office as soon as possible to ensure we have the correct information on file. This is especially important for residents who have turned, or will turn, 65 in 2017. Please phone 250-449-2222.

An Eclectic Program of
Classical & Contemporary
Music

Calvin Dyck
&
The Abbotsford Youth Orchestra
Spring Okanagan Tour

Just Come! If you want to give a donation
ALL donations will go towards the Midway
Community Club

Friday, May 19th @ 7pm
Midway Community Hall