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Next Council Meeting

Monday, July 17, 2017

Monday, August 8, 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, July 13, 2017

Thursday, August 3, 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.

Property Taxes and Sewer & Water User Fees -

Property Tax Notices and Sewer & Water User Fee Invoices have been mailed out to all residents. If you have not received yours please contact the Village Office. The deadline for paying taxes, user fees, and signing Homeowner Grants to avoid a 10% penalty is Tuesday, July 4, 2017 at 4:30 pm. The Village can accept cash, cheque, or debit (no credit cards) as payment. Post-dated cheques to July 4, 2017 are accepted but post-marks will not be accepted. Residents who have arranged for their bank to pay their taxes are reminded that a Homeowner Grant still needs to be signed at the office, and that water and sewer user fees are not included with your property taxes and must be paid separately. Please contact the Village Office with any questions once you have received your notice in the mail.

Fireworks Display on Canada Day - Residents are advised that there will be a fireworks display during the Canada 150 Celebrations on July 1, 2017 at the James G. McMynn Park. As dogs and other animals can often be affected by the noise of fireworks please take the necessary precautions prior to the start of this event.

Canada 150 Celebration Dinner - Tickets for the Canada 150 Celebration Dinner on July 1, 2017 in Midway at the James G. McMynn are now available at the Village Office and McMynn's Family Foods grocery store. Adults 13 & up are \$5 and kids 12 & under are free. *Please note that all tickets must be purchased in advance (including the free kids tickets) and no tickets will be available at the dinner.

<u>Fire Permits</u> - Residents are reminded that burning permits are required for all burning within the Village and can be purchased for \$1 at the Village Office. This includes campfire and open burn piles. No person shall ignite or cause to be ignited any household waste, refuse, rubbish, garbage, plastic, or styrofoam, industrial or commercial

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Council Meeting News

- The Village Office will be closed Monday, July 3, 2017 in lieu of the Canada Day holiday. The office will reopen on Tuesday, July 4, 2017 at 8:30 am with regular hours. Please note that July 4, 2017 is the last day to pay Property Taxes, Sewer & Water User Fees, and to sign Homeowner Grants to avoid a 10% penalty.
- The Tuesday, July 4, 2017
 regular Council meeting has
 been cancelled due to the
 property tax deadline.
- The Public Works
 department will be
 upgrading the water
 monitoring system to make
 it more reliable and efficient.
- The Village will proceed with an application to the Legacy Fund for \$500,000.000 for capital improvements at the Midway Community Centre.

waste.

No person shall burn wet fuel (i.e. green or wet vegetation) that produces thick smoke.

No fires are to be started on cloudy or windy days.

Please note that there are new Open Burn restrictions: there will be no open burning allowed during the peak hours of 11:00 am and 6:00 pm. This new restrictions applies to all new and previously issued burn permits.

Any person who contravenes or violates any provision of this Bylaw could be liable to a minimum fine of \$500.00 and should the Midway Volunteer Fire Department/Emergency Responder be required, the Permitee shall be liable for the total cost of the fire call per Bylaw #451, Part 10, Sec. 51 (2) (3).

Calling all photographers - Professional, amateur, and everyone in between. The Village of Midway is in the process of redesigning our website and we need your photos that represent what Midway means to you and what makes this place so special. Ideally your pictures will have people in them - we want people to be able to envision themselves doing that activity - but we love a good scenic shot as well. Please contact Jenny at the Village Office for more information or send your images to midwayreception@shaw.ca for consideration.

Water Usage and Restrictions - 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. 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.

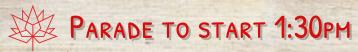
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Hosted by The Village of Midway The City of Greenwood

Saturday July 1, 2017

James G. McMynn Park Midway, BC









FAMILY DANCE



FIREWORKS





The Village of Midway would like to extend an invitation to all residents to attend our presentation of the Tree to Our Nature Canada 150 Legacy program plaque unveiling.

Date: Saturday, July 1, 2017

Presentation Time: 1:00 pm

Location: Entwined Trees Park, 500 Haynes St

and the 50th Anniversary of the Incorporation of the Village of Midway with many festivities throughout the day including a Following the presentation by Tree Canada we invite you to join us in the celebration of the 150th Anniversary of Canada parade starting at 1:30 to kick things off and ending with fireworks in the evening in the James G McMynn Park.

Le Village de Midway aimerait inviter tous les résidents à assister à notre présentation du programme Vert les arbres et la nature dans le cadre du 150e anniversaire de la Confédération du Canada et au dévoilement de la plaque.

Date: Samedi, le 1er juillet 2017

Heure de la présentation : 13H00

Lieu: au parc Entwined Trees - 500, rue Haynes

À la suite de la présentation d'Arbres Canada, vous êtes invités à nous joindre pour la célébration du 150e anniversaire de la Confédération du Canada et le 50e anniversaire de l'Incorporation du Village de Midway. Il y aura de nombreuses festivités tout au long de la journée, y compris un défilé à partir de 13H30 pour débuter, et des feux d'artifice dans la soirée au parc James G McMynn.





