

The Village of

Midway
 MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

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Next Council Meeting

Monday, July 20, 2020

Tuesday, August 4, 2020

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 16, 2020

Thursday, July 30, 2020

Contact the Council

Mayor Fromme:

mfvillage@shaw.ca or
250-449-1978

ICBC & Motor Vehicles

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

Village Office - Is now open with occupancy restrictions in place for the safety of staff and the public. Only one person will be permitted in the reception area at a time. Under *special circumstances*, a second person will be permitted. Our service window will remain open to try to accommodate a second person; however, due to staffing we will only be able to serve one ICBC or Driver Services customer at a time. Driver's Licensing knowledge tests will be by appointment only and we will be limiting them to one per day at 1:30pm.

Please remember to stay home and self-isolate if you are displaying any symptoms of COVID-19 such as:

- fever
- chills
- new or worsening cough
- shortness of breath
- new muscle aches or headache
- sore throat
- As well, if you have travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days OR you are a close contact of a person who has tested positive for COVID-19.

Anyone with any of these symptoms will not be allowed to enter the office.

2020 TAXES - The deadline for paying taxes, water and sewer fees, and signing Homeowner Grants is **Thursday, July 2, 2020 at 4:30 pm**. The Village can accept cash, cheque, or debit (no credit cards) as payment. Post-dated cheques to July 2, 2020 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 and submitted to the office. Water and sewer user fees were sent out in January this year, they are not included with your property taxes and were billed separately.



Landfill Hours of Operation

- **Rock Creek** - Monday, Thursday, Saturday: 10 am - 3 pm Sunday: 10 am - 5 pm
- **Greenwood** - Tuesday, Friday, Saturday: 9 am - 4 pm

Battery Recycling

Drop off your dead household batteries in the red box at the Village Office parking lot.

New Midway Residents

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

Council Meeting Minutes

Are available on our website at: www.midwaybc.ca/minutes-newsletters/

If you do not have access to the online version, please contact the Village Office for a hard copy.

Tree Recycling Facility - Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic it has been decided that there will be no charge for the use of the tree recycling facility for the 2020 year by Midway residents. Please be advised that all rules for using the facility are still the same. Yard and garden waste only no building materials or garbage allowed. If these rules are not adhered to the facility will be closed to all users. Council and staff are also asking for all residents to observe social distancing practices while using the tree recycling facility.

Council Meetings - Due to physical distancing challenges in the Council Chambers and Municipal Office, meetings will now be held in the Midway Community Centre.

Fire Permits - Residents are reminded that burning permits are required for campfires within the Village of Midway and can be purchased for \$1 at the Village Office.

Category 2 and 3 fires are still prohibited within the boundaries of the Village of Midway until further notice.

No person shall ignite or cause to be ignited any household waste, refuse, rubbish, garbage, plastic, or styrofoam, industrial or commercial waste. The office door is still closed to the public but window service is available.

******Please note that Open Burns are not allowed.******

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 Permittee shall be liable for the total cost of the fire call per Bylaw #451, Part 10, Sec. 51 (2) (3).