



Virtual Council Meetings

Council Meeting

When: Wed. Jan. 27 9 a.m.

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When: Wed. Feb. 3 9 a.m.

Council Meeting for Public Planning Only

When: Wed. Feb. 10 7 p.m.

Council meetings will be broadcast as usual through the Town's live streaming tool. Public participation by phone is available. A pre-registration form is required to be submitted to the Clerks Division by noon the day before the meeting. The form can be found at georgina.ca/CouncilMeetings.

2021 Interim tax bills

The 2021 Interim Property Tax Bills have been mailed and should be arriving early next week. The 2021 Interim Tax Billing is payable in two installments on Feb. 26 and April 26. For more information, call 905-476-4301 or visit georgina.ca/taxes.



Bag tag exemption

With more people at home due to the provincial stay-at-home order, the Town has waived the requirement for bag tags. The bag limit of five bags/items remains in place. GFL will pick up bulky items such as a mattress. Questions? Contact customer service at 905-476-4301 or GFL at 1-866-421-5625. Visit georgina.ca/WasteandRecycling for more.

Stormwater Pond Safety

Stormwater management ponds are NOT to be used for skating. They are not intended or designed for recreational use as water levels can change rapidly and create unsafe conditions. This is extremely dangerous and poses many safety risks for residents. For more, visit georgina.ca/StormwaterPond.

Town's response to latest COVID-19 measures by province

The Town of Georgina has closed the natural outdoor skating rink and the municipally maintained toboggan hill at the ROC. The closure is in response to the latest COVID-19 measures from the Province of Ontario for a minimum of 28 days. Georgina parks, trails, and playgrounds remain open for permitted activities such as tobogganing, cross country skiing, snow shoeing and walking. Residents must follow all health and safety measures as outlined by the province. Outdoor organized public gatherings and social gatherings will now be restricted to a limit of five people with limited exceptions. The Town has closed all temporary neighbourhood rinks based on the stay-at-home provincial order. The Town recognizes the commitment and efforts of volunteers who work on these, with the hope they will be able to reopen in the future after the 28-day shutdown. To learn more, visit georgina.ca/COVID-19.

Recreation

Pefferlaw Ice Pad

The Pefferlaw Ice Pad (PIP) remains open. It is an artificial outdoor ice surface and controlled environment with strict capacity limits. All participants are required to complete a health screening and pre-book skating sessions in advance. Public skating is the only permitted activity at the PIP, with hockey and shinny games not allowed (no sticks and no pucks). Physical distancing of two metres must be maintained and masks/face coverings are required to be worn at all times. The Town will continue to evaluate the PIP and make changes as required. Visit georgina.ca/skating to register and learn more.

Virtual Recreation Programs

We cannot wait to see you – virtually!

Registration is open for a new lineup of online virtual recreation programming from cake decorating to photography classes and everything in between for kids to adults. Visit georgina.ca/recreation to register.

Get involved

Waterfront Parks Master Plan

The Town of Georgina is preparing a Waterfront Parks Master Plan and we need your input. Take some time to complete an online survey and tell us what you think about the concepts, and what you think should be included or changed in our waterfront parks. To learn more and take the survey, visit georgina.ca/WaterfrontParksPlan.

Committee and board recruitment

Town of Georgina Council is inviting you to volunteer as a member the Agricultural Advisory Committee. All appointments are for the 2018-22 Term of Council. Current Town board and committee members are encouraged to apply.

Agricultural Advisory Committee

To provide information, advice and assistance to Council and staff of the Town of Georgina on farming and agricultural issues impacting the municipality. This is an agricultural advisory body that will promote the stewardship, preservation, protection and public awareness of farming and agricultural issues in the Town of Georgina. Terms of Reference for each of the committees and boards, along with application forms, can be found on the Town's website at georgina.ca/CommitteesandBoards, or from the Clerks Division at clerks@georgina.ca 905-476-4301. Application forms must be submitted by mail or email on or before 4:30 p.m. on Feb. 3 to clerks@georgina.ca.

Career Opportunities

Georgina is a progressive, growing and vibrant municipality. Take a look at what Georgina has to offer. We are currently recruiting for:

- Casual Animal Shelter Workers
- Manager, Library Community Engagement
- Asset Management Specialist

Visit georgina.ca/careers for more information about career opportunities.