

# H-B-M HAPPENINGS



Township of Havelock-Belmont-Methuen

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## OFFICE CLOSURE:

The Township Office will be closed on Monday, July 1st, 2024 in observance of Canada Day. "We hope you have a wonderful time celebrating Canada Day with friends and family."

## COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE:

**Please note all meetings are hybrid, which means they are open to the public within Council Chamber and virtually via zoom. All regular meetings will begin at 9:30am.**

• Tuesday, July 16, 2024 – Regular Council Meeting [Adjusted Date]

• Thursday, August 15, 2024 – Regular Council Meeting

*Meeting dates are subject to change, please visit the Township Website [www.hbmtwp.ca](http://www.hbmtwp.ca) for more information.*

## ELECTORAL WARD SPECIAL MEETING(S):

Please be aware Council will receive delegations regarding the possible revision of the Electoral Ward System on the following dates:

• Tuesday July 16, 2024, Regular Council Meeting @ 9:30am

• Tuesday July 16, 2024, Special Council Meeting @ 6:00pm (Council Chamber)

Anyone interested in addressing Council regarding the electoral ward system is encouraged to register as a delegation at one of the two meetings. A Delegation Request Form is available online at: <https://forms.hbmtwp.ca/Council-Delegation> or paper copy at the Township office located at 1 Ottawa St E, Havelock.

## 2024 FINAL PROPERTY TAX DUE DATE:

Final Property Tax bills were mailed out in June, please contact the office if you have not received your bill by July 15, 2024.

**First Installment Due:** Wednesday, July 31, 2024

**Second Installment Due:** Monday, September 30, 2024

## HBM SHOP LOCAL CONTEST:

Congratulations to our Shop Local contest winners: Sue Mackenzie & Joy Brickell (May 21) and Joy Brickell (June 4).

Visit <https://www.hbmtwp.ca/doing-business/economic-development/hbm-shop-local-contest/> for full contest details and rules.

## NEW COMPLAINT SYSTEM & PROCESS:

The Township of Havelock-Belmont-Methuen has moved the complaint process for By-law Enforcement to Cloudpermit. Cloudpermit is a safe and secure software that will allow residents to submit by-law enforcement concerns and details to municipal staff. The link can be found on our website at <https://www.hbmtwp.ca/township-services/by-laws/>.

By-laws are enforced in order to maintain a safe and enjoyable environment for all residents. We are available as a resource to achieve compliance through by-laws and providing education, conducting inspections and issuing tickets/fines when necessary.

### PARKS NOT PERMITTING DOGS, Per Animal Control By-law 2024-023

No owner of a dog shall permit their dog to be within the following areas, unless the dog is a service animal:

- i. The Arena and Park area located at 39 George Street, including the playground area, the ball diamond, bleacher area, and the parking lot. The area to the north of the arena is exempt from this prohibition;
- ii. The West End Park and playground area on Concession Street;
- iii. Soccer Field on Industrial Drive.

As per Schedule D of By-law 2024-023 section 4.5 Dog in prohibited area could result in a \$100.00 fine.

## WATER RESTRICTIONS:

Pursuant to By-Law #2003-33, lawn and garden watering is only permitted between the hours of 6:00pm. and 9:00pm for the months of June, July, August and September. Persons with odd street numbers can water on odd days of the month and persons with even street numbers can water on even days of the month.

## HAVELock-BELMONT-METHUEN

# Shop Local CONTEST

- **Two x \$50 Prizes Per Month**
- **Applies to all local purchases of \$20 or greater**
- **Enter often with multiple chances to win!**
- **Email picture of receipt or paid invoice to [shoplocal@hbmtwp.ca](mailto:shoplocal@hbmtwp.ca) or drop it off at Township Office located at 1 Ottawa St E (grey drop box if after hours).**

**MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31, 2024**