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WELCOME OCTOBER

BONJOUR OCTOBRE!



Welcome fall! It's time to harvest the last of the wonderful garden produce -

fresh fruit and vegetables – and be thankful for what we have received. October is a month to truly think about what we have to be thankful for and in District 6, we have an endless list!

This month's E-newsletter includes information on Mi'kmaq History Month, Farrell Park upgrades, tips on communicating with Council, information from Halifax Water on their Wastewater Smoke Testing Project, information on the Port Wallace development plus much more.

If you wish to discuss municipal programs and services, please contact me at Tony.Mancini@halifax.ca or by phone at 902.292.4823.



Bienvenue Automne! C'est le moment de récolter les derniers produits merveilleux du jardin – des fruits et des

légumes frais – et d'être reconnaissants pour ce que nous avons reçu. Octobre est un mois qui nous permet de réfléchir véritablement aux raisons pour lesquelles nous devons être reconnaissants, et dans le District 6, notre liste est interminable!

Le bulletin électronique de ce mois-ci inclut des renseignements sur le Mois de l'histoire des Mi'kmaq, les travaux d'amélioration du parc Farrell, des astuces sur la communication avec le conseil, des renseignements de la part de Halifax Water sur le projet de tests de fumée des eaux usées, des renseignements sur le développement de Port Wallace, et beaucoup plus.

Si vous souhaitez discuter des programmes et des services municipaux, veuillez communiquer avec moi à l'adresse Tony.Mancini@halifax.ca ou par téléphone au 902-292-4823.



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MI'KMAQ HISTORY MONTH



The goal of the month is to help Nova Scotians build awareness

of [Mi'kmaq](#) history and heritage, and to increase understanding of the province's rich Mi'kmaq culture. There are many events taking place throughout the month of October in celebration of [Mi'kmaq History Month](#) starting on [Treaty Day](#), October 1st.

The [Halifax Public Libraries](#) have many events planned for you and your families from puppet shows to literacy readings by Indigenous authors.

DARTMOUTH HANDCRAFTERS GUILD CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW

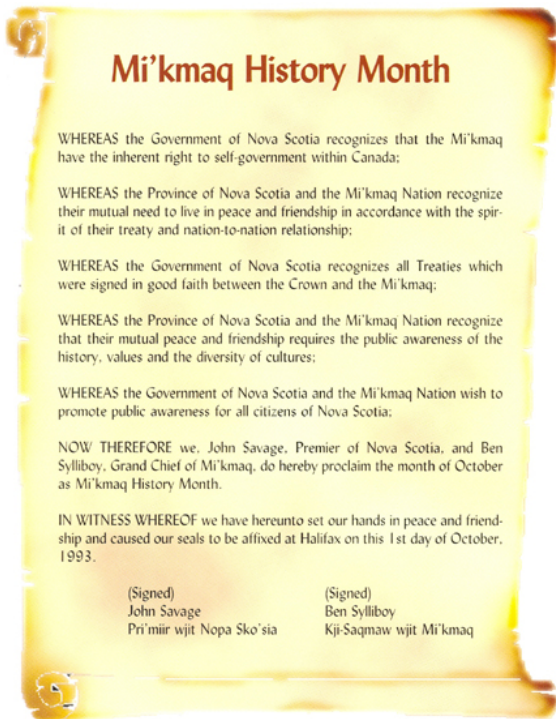


The Executive and Board of the [Dartmouth Handcrafters Guild Christmas Show](#) (DHG) are thrilled and excited to announce they will be the first major event to be held at the newly renovated Dartmouth Sportsplex. The Dartmouth Sportsplex has been home to the DHG's Christmas Craft Festival since 1974 – that's forty-four years continuous except for last year (2017) due to major renovations at the facility. You can imagine how happy they are to be back "HOME" again.

There are over 170 returning and "new" craftspeople who have exciting gifts for that especially hard-to-buy for person. The show is juried by experienced board members therefore you are assured of the highest quality of handmade crafts you will find anywhere. This is the first major craft festival of the season.

DHG, a not-for-profit, takes great pride in giving back to the community by donating a portion of the net proceeds to various local charities with just over \$208,000 donated since 2009.

Everyone is invited to attend – opens at noon on October 26th and runs to the 28th.



Mi'kmaq History Month

WHEREAS the Government of Nova Scotia recognizes that the Mi'kmaq have the inherent right to self-government within Canada;

WHEREAS the Province of Nova Scotia and the Mi'kmaq Nation recognize their mutual need to live in peace and friendship in accordance with the spirit of their treaty and nation-to-nation relationship;

WHEREAS the Government of Nova Scotia recognizes all Treaties which were signed in good faith between the Crown and the Mi'kmaq;

WHEREAS the Province of Nova Scotia and the Mi'kmaq Nation recognize that their mutual peace and friendship requires the public awareness of the history, values and the diversity of cultures;

WHEREAS the Government of Nova Scotia and the Mi'kmaq Nation wish to promote public awareness for all citizens of Nova Scotia;

NOW THEREFORE we, John Savage, Premier of Nova Scotia, and Ben Sylliboy, Grand Chief of Mi'kmaq, do hereby proclaim the month of October as Mi'kmaq History Month.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands in peace and friendship and caused our seals to be affixed at Halifax on this 1st day of October, 1993.

(Signed)
John Savage
Pri'miir wjit Nopa Sko'sia

(Signed)
Ben Sylliboy
Kij-Saqmaw wjit Mi'kmaq



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TIPS ON COMMUNICATING WITH MEMBERS OF REGIONAL COUNCIL

It's always more meaningful to me when people express their concerns in their own words with an original message rather than copying an online petition. You may have something to add to the discussion that would be invaluable to us and we want to hear from YOU!



There are many ways for you to share your views with Regional Council. The following links will give you some guidance on methods to contact your elected representatives:

- [Correspondence](#)
- [Public Hearings](#)
- [Presentations](#)
- [Petitions](#)
- [Committee of the Whole on budget](#)
- [Public Participation - community councils and standing committees](#)
- [Public Record](#)
- [Contact a Councillor Directly](#)

I encourage you to contact me with your issues/concerns so that I may help you make our municipality the best it can be.



DARTMOUTH FAMILY CENTRE / DARTMOUTH NORTH COMMUNITY FOOD CENTRE – UPCOMING EVENTS

Here is a list of upcoming fall events so you can save the dates:

Tuesday, October 2, 5:30 pm to 7pm. Annual Report to Community featuring The Big Sing. Community members will lead the way on sharing highlights from the past year and then we break into spontaneous song together!

Thursday, November 8th. Alderney Premiere. 6 pm to 9 pm Devour World Premiere of Six Primrose - a documentary film about people connected to the Community Food Center. If you would like to attend this screening please let me know!

Tuesday, November 27. Good Food Matters Matching Campaign launch. We're planning a \$20k matching campaign for the last month of the year. If you're interested in getting involved helping us spread the word we'd welcome it.

HALIFAX PARTNERSHIP

DID YOU KNOW... We are now in year 3 of our 5-year [Economic Growth Plan](#). Mayor Savage capsulized Halifax as a "...city of ocean innovators, tech startups, and researchers and entrepreneurs of all kinds, competing globally as they build locally....It is an exciting time to be in Halifax, a time when the [Halifax Partnership](#), and indeed all of us, can continue to ask and answer the question we often heard from my friend Ron (Hanlon): "What's next?"





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FARRELL STREET PARK



Thank you to land-owner Nova Scotia Power (NSP) for agreeing to, and assisting with, upgrades to the area known as Farrell Park.

Nova Scotia Power granted permission for a community park and trail system on their property along Farrell Street in north Dartmouth and assisted with lighting for the park area.

HRM designed walking paths, cleared brush overgrowth and added benches. This area now takes pride of place for the neighbourhood and offers a more pleasant and safer location for residents to enjoy.



TIPS TO REDUCE SINGLE-USE PLASTICS



Christine Stortini suggests that another way to reduce single-use plastic is to get yourself some good quality drinking apparatus! Options include: insulated water bottle,

insulated coffee mug, mason jars for smoothies, soups, and cold drinks in the summer. She explains that having these items makes it easier to stay prepared and not end up buying single-use plastic items.



EAST DARTMOUTH MOBILE FOOD MARKET - PRODUCE PACKS



\$10 Produce Packs

The [Mobile Food Market](#) has two types of markets: a) standard mobile markets and, b) Produce Packs.



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East Dartmouth receives the Produce Packs option where every two weeks residents can place an order for a \$10 bag of fresh, affordable fruit and vegetables. For more information or to order a Produce Pack call 902-435-6211.

MOBILE FOOD MARKET




APPIAN WAY - SPEED STUDY RESULTS

Halifax Regional Police provided the following statistics resulting from the speed study done on Appian Way this summer:

Start date Time	August 26th 15:45
End date Time	September 12th 13:05
Total study time	16 days 21 hours, 20 minutes
Total Vehicles	2732
Speed Limit	50 kph
Total Speeders	65
Percent Speeding	2.4%
85 th Percentile	38 kph
Median	28 kph



NATIONAL LACROSSE LEAGUE COMING TO HALIFAX

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SEPTEMBER 13, 2018 - The National Lacrosse League (NLL), the largest men's professional indoor lacrosse league in North America, announced today that a team is coming to Halifax under the ownership of Curt Styres. Styres is the current owner and general manager of the Rochester Knighthawks.

Styres, who was named NLL's 2017-18 General Manager of the Year, applied to relocate his team and received approval from the NLL Board of Governors.

"We had an incredible experience building the Knighthawks' franchise in Rochester for the past 10 years but it's time for a new beginning," said Styres. "We chose Halifax and Nova Scotia for a reason. It has a strong reputation for its loyal, passionate fans and the community has already started to feel like home. We look forward to growing the sport and delivering great entertainment to the fans in Halifax and beyond."

The Halifax team will begin play during the 2019-20 season at Scotiabank Centre, with many of the players on the current Knighthawks' roster. The season will include nine regular season home games, plus pre-season and playoff games.

"We are very proud to welcome the great city of Halifax, Nova Scotia, as the National Lacrosse League's 12th franchise. Known as a great events city with a passionate, loyal, and hungry fan base for major league sports, Halifax proved to be an ideal location for our league's expansion in Canada," said NLL Commissioner Nick Sakiewicz. "Curt Styres is one of our longest standing and most passionate owners and I am sure he will bring his knack for winning to this great City just as he has in Rochester. This marks yet another exciting step towards the execution of our 5-year plan."

Finishing the regular season with a 10-8 record, the 2017-18 Knighthawks were crowned East Division champions and advanced to the franchise's first NLL Finals appearance since 2014. Though falling short to the defending champion Saskatchewan Rush in Game 3, the franchise was still awarded for their stellar season. Four members of the Knighthawks took home NLL season awards.

"Our city, partners and community are ready for the unprecedented mix of sport and entertainment the NLL will bring to Halifax," said Carrie Cussons, president & CEO of Scotiabank Centre. "We're committed to providing our customers with a diverse mix of events and I can't think of a better addition than professional lacrosse. We're thrilled to welcome the NLL and Curt Styres to Halifax and can't wait for the 2019-20 season!"

The Rochester team's full roster will remain intact for 2018-19 season, continuing to play out of Blue Cross Arena in Rochester. The first game in Halifax, under a new team name, will be played at Scotiabank Centre in December 2019.

For more information, visit www.HalifaxNLL.com.

VEHICLE / PEDESTRIAN COLLISION STATS - JULY 2018

Halifax Regional Police (HRP) and Halifax District RCMP release a monthly vehicle / pedestrian collision report to provide police and citizens with more contextual information on this issue.

A total of 126 vehicle/pedestrian/bicycle collisions have been reported from January to July 2018. Of the collisions, 27 involved a bicycle. The remaining 99 incidents were vehicle/pedestrian collisions, with 106



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pedestrian victims. This represents an increase of 3 (3.03%) vehicle/pedestrian collisions over the same time period in 2017.

Eleven vehicle/pedestrian collisions were reported in July. Month over month, this represents an increase of three incidents from the eight incidents reported in May 2018. Year over year, there was no change of 11 incidents from the 11 incidents reported in July 2017.

For January 1- July 31, 2018, 62.62% (62 incidents) of vehicle/pedestrian collisions occurred in crosswalks as compared with 70.43 per cent (81 incidents) reported during this period in 2017.

Of the 106 pedestrians involved in reported collisions in 2018:

- 2 were fatally injured
- 3 experienced severe injuries
- 8 experienced moderate injuries
- 58 experienced minor injuries
- 23 experienced no injuries
- 12 did not report their injuries to police

Read the [full report](#).



HALIFAX WATER - SMOKE TESTING

NOTICE

WASTEWATER SYSTEM SMOKE TESTING

Halifax Water will be conducting a weather dependent smoke test survey in your area within the below timeframe.

Sept 10 – Oct 5, 2018

A "SMOKE TEST" SURVEY IS USED TO LOCATE DEFECTS IN THE WASTEWATER SYSTEM

The smoke you see coming from vent stacks on the roofs of homes and holes in the ground is NON-TOXIC, NON-STAINING, HAS NO ODOUR, WHITE TO GRAY IN COLOUR AND CREATES NO FIRE HAZARD.

For more information consult the manufacturer's website: <http://hurcotech.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/12/2015-04-16-02-04-11-docfile-2.pdf>

The smoke should not enter your building unless you have defective plumbing or unused plumbing fixtures.

**IT IS VERY IMPORTANT ALL
OCCUPANTS OF THE BUILDING BE
AWARE OF THIS TESTING**

Upon receiving this notice, occupants are advised to ensure all plumbing fixtures have water in the p-trap, including floor drains prior to our testing.

Halifax Water Employees will be investigating and recording sources of smoke on individual properties. All Halifax Water employees carry photo ID.

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Why is Halifax Water conducting smoke testing?

Stormwater (rain, surface water, groundwater and snow melt) can enter the wastewater system (flow from toilets, sinks, showers, etc.) from private and public properties by inflow and infiltration. This includes leaks through pipes, joints and manholes as well as connected catchbasins, downspouts and sump pumps.

Smoke testing is one method to help identify sources of inflow and infiltration. These sources can then be addressed to reduce the amount of stormwater entering the wastewater system.

When too much stormwater enters the wastewater system, the following problems may occur:

1. Wastewater may back up into basements or onto property creating potential health concerns, damage to property and the need for an expensive cleanup.
2. Wastewater may overflow from manholes or pumping stations and contaminate our rivers, lakes and harbour, resulting in negative impacts on the environment, risks of public exposure and violations of federal and provincial regulations.
3. Wastewater systems may require upgrades sooner than planned resulting in increased utility bills to residents.
4. Decreased wastewater treatment facility efficiency and increased operating costs.
5. Restrictions for future growth by taking up the pipe capacity.

For more information on storm reduction inflow and how you can minimize your stormwater contribution to the wastewater system, visit:

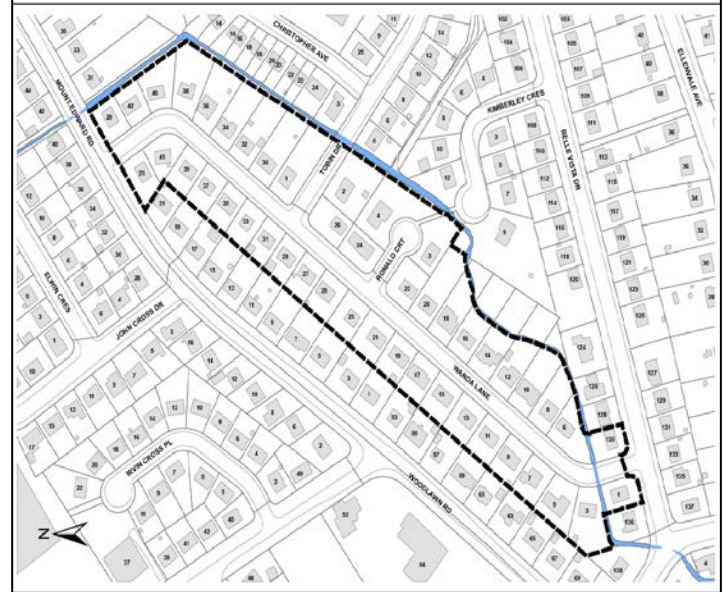
<https://www.halifax.ca/home-property/halifax-water/stormwater-services/stormwater-inflow-infiltration>

PLEASE NOTE:

If a change in weather forces a delay in smoke testing from the dates indicated on the reverse, residents will receive a new notice 3 days in advance of the new testing dates.



Halifax Water Smoke Testing Limits
Wanda Lane, Dartmouth
Sept 10th to Oct 5th, 2018



HALIFAX WILL HAVE A NEW SMOKING BY-LAW IN OCTOBER

By-law amendments will be enacted on October 15th to prohibit smoking on all municipal property.

Halifax Regional Council recently voted to prohibit smoking or vaping any substance, including tobacco and cannabis, on municipal property except in designated locations. The municipality committed to enacting the by-law amendments by October 17th, when the federal government legalizes recreational cannabis.

Municipal staff is currently determining the initial locations for designated smoking/vaping areas, to be ready for October 15th. An online map will be posted to the municipal website, Halifax.ca, indicating designated smoking areas that have been approved to date. This map will be



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regularly updated as designated sites are approved.

A dedicated e-mail address will also be made available soon, via Halifax.ca, providing residents with a means to submit requests for specific locations to be designated as smoking areas.

Residents and visitors are encouraged to visit Halifax.ca for updates and more details as they become available.

TCL Transition to Events East

- Full wind up of TCL under the direction of the Province is expected in 2018-19
 - Financial transfer of Ticket Atlantic under review and discussion in consultation with both shareholders
- Scotiabank Centre remains owned by HRM with its own operating agreement
 - It has a separate approved business plan, budget and accountability report

Operations Budget Summary for year ended March 31, 2019

	Estimate 2018-19 (\$)
Revenues	11,127,100
Expenses	
Event Operations	6,573,300
Salaries and Benefits	2,953,000
General Operations	1,445,000
Rent - Corporate Offices	222,300
Total Expenses	11,193,600
Operating Income Before Building Costs	(\$66,500)
Building Operating Costs	2,973,000
Property Taxes	1,071,500
Total Building Operating Costs	4,044,500
Investment required from Shareholders	\$4,111,000

Note: Halifax Convention Centre: operations budget does not reflect the lease, which is the responsibility of the Province and HRM.



EVENTS EAST – HALIFAX CONVENTION CENTRE

Events East, formerly Trade Centre Limited, recently presented their annual report to Regional Council. Here are some highlights from their presentation.

TOTAL EVENTS

FROM JAN. 2018-MAR. 2019

160+ Events **102,000+** Attendees

OF WHICH
45 events are national/international with 29,000 delegates

HOSTED TO DATE

SINCE JANUARY 2018

85 Events **55,000+** Delegates **30,000+** Contracted Room Nights*

*Information provided by Discover Halifax

TCL Transition to Events East

- During 2017-18, TCL (Province) was responsible for financial accountability
 - Approved audited financial statements were for TCL and are published in its 2017-18 annual accountability report
- The transition to Events East was triggered by substantial completion on March 1, 2018
 - 2018-19 is first full year of financial accountability for Events East under the shared partnership
 - Operating assets of convention centre and corporate/shared services were transferred to Events East
 - No liabilities of TCL transferred to Events East



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SECONDARY SUITES (IN-LAW SUITES) PLANNING PROJECT PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

HRM’s Planning and Development Business Unit is actively pursuing efforts to engage the public on [secondary suites and backyard suites](#) (In-law Suites).

- Secondary suites are additional units, usually located in single unit dwellings, that are considered accessory to the main dwelling.
- Backyard suites are additional units that are not attached to the main dwelling and are instead incorporated into a garage or other accessory building.

While the Regional Plan supports secondary suites, the specific policies and regulations that are spread through HRM’s various community plans and land use by-laws are inconsistent and outdated and present certain barriers to developing such units.

On March 27, 2018, Regional Council initiated a planning project to consider amendments to the Halifax Regional Municipal Planning Strategy and all applicable secondary municipal planning strategies and land-use by-laws to remove barriers to the development of secondary suites and backyard suites. **This project is part of HRM’s commitment to the Housing and Homelessness Partnerships’ (HHP) shared affordable housing goals.**

Staff have recently launched a “[Shape Your City](#)” webpage about the secondary suite project to engage residents throughout the

Municipality. In addition, staff are proactively connecting with community groups throughout the Municipality to promote the secondary suite webpage and seek direct public feedback.

These public engagement activities will run from September to November.

If you have any questions or concerns, the contact information for the staff member leading the file is Alan Howell, Planner III, Planning & Development, 902-490-4871.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS



MLA Susan Leblanc hosted a meeting with community leaders and emergency responders to talk how we organize help after a community emergency in Dartmouth North

DISTRICT 6 CAPITAL FUND AUGUST / SEPTEMBER 2018 UPDATE

Group	Project	Amount
Senobe Aquatic Club	Boat Trailer	\$2,000
Morash Park	Plants	\$1,900
Dartmouth Curling Club	New equipment	\$2,000
Balance Remaining:		\$68,094.41



ELLENVALE RUN – 2019 PROJECT

The plan for 2019 is in the same general area as the current work on Elwin Crescent. It will run from Elwin, upstream towards John Cross Drive and will include a culvert replacement on John Cross as well (see sketch below). Next year’s work is highlighted in yellow. The red is the current work. We will be using the same general design as the current work.



We are also expecting to complete the upgrade of another portion downstream near Tobin Drive / Wanda Lane. This portion would be integrated with HRM’s planned replacement of the bridge on Tobin Drive. There is some background work still to be done on this section in terms of design, budget, cost share agreement: projects



are always dependent on final funding approval.

PET OR PEST?

Although some may enjoy these adorable creatures as pets, gnawing mammals like



mice and rats have long been an annoying pest to home owners. These rodents will eat a wide variety of foods and have adapted over the years to take advantage of living with humans.

Both mice and rats can be very destructive to property. Entrance to a building is often made by enlarging an existing hole or crack. Young rats can get through a hole the size of a quarter. Mice can pass through even smaller sized openings.

Mice and rats are smart and may be difficult to control once a population is established.

- During an average life-span of 18 months, a mouse can produce approximately twelve litters of five or six young per litter.
- Rats will reproduce on average nine times in their lifetime with a litter of 6 to 14 young being born three to four weeks after each successful mating.

Since rats and mice reproduce quickly and in large numbers, it is important to protect your home by denying them access.

- Search for potential entrances and take steps to avoid rodent infestation.
- Repair all openings with a strong material (cement, metal, etc.) which should prevent rodent entry.
- Avoid leaving hiding places and concealed runways for rodents.
- Do not pile wood on the ground - instead lay it against raised posts.



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- Remove any vegetation close to the house and keep grass short to limit hiding places.
- Do not leave food in containers or packages which rodents can chew through. Instead store food in heavy plastic or glass containers.
- Keep doors to pantries or other food storage areas closed and rodent-proof.

Look around the house for other conditions which might attract rodents.

ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE TOWN HALL MEETING



Councillors Steve Craig, Lindell Smith and I at the Accessibility Town Hall meeting hosted by Councillor Lisa Blackburn



Councillor Lisa Blackburn hosting the Accessibility Town Hall meeting



Mobi-Chair Beach Chair

2018 TAXI INDUSTRY SURVEY



Residents are invited to participate in the [2018 Taxi Survey](#).

The [survey](#) seeks feedback on taxi usage, service, gender diversity, and

safety measures. Results from this survey will provide valuable insight into what matters most to residents and will be included in a report to Regional Council in the coming months.

The survey results and overall report will help identify priorities and inform future municipal decisions related to the taxi industry.

Deadline for the survey is Thursday, October 11th.

MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN FINANCE RULES

On September 20th, the Executive Standing Committee passed a motion recommending that Regional Council approve proposed [By-Law C-1101 Respecting Campaign Financing](#).

The proposed legislation identifies three key components that govern campaign financing during municipal elections:

1. Contributions (services, money or property donated to support the political purposes of a Candidate),
2. Spending Limits,
3. Disclosure, Reporting and Surplus.

Initiated by Council in 2015 and approved by the Province in 2016, municipal staff were



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asked to develop rules to increase accountability and transparency in municipal elections. Research on the subject included an extensive public consultation process through community meetings and the SHAPE YOUR CITY website. Input received was analysed and forms the basis of the Campaign Financing By-Law.

Upon approval by Regional Council, it is expected that the new legislation will be enacted in time for the 2020 municipal election.

SKATING PROGRAM

HRM has year-round recreation programs for people of all ages and all abilities at over 50 community and [recreation centers](#).

Check out the Recreation Program Catalogues to see what's happening in your community.

Register online by visiting halifax.ca/myREC.

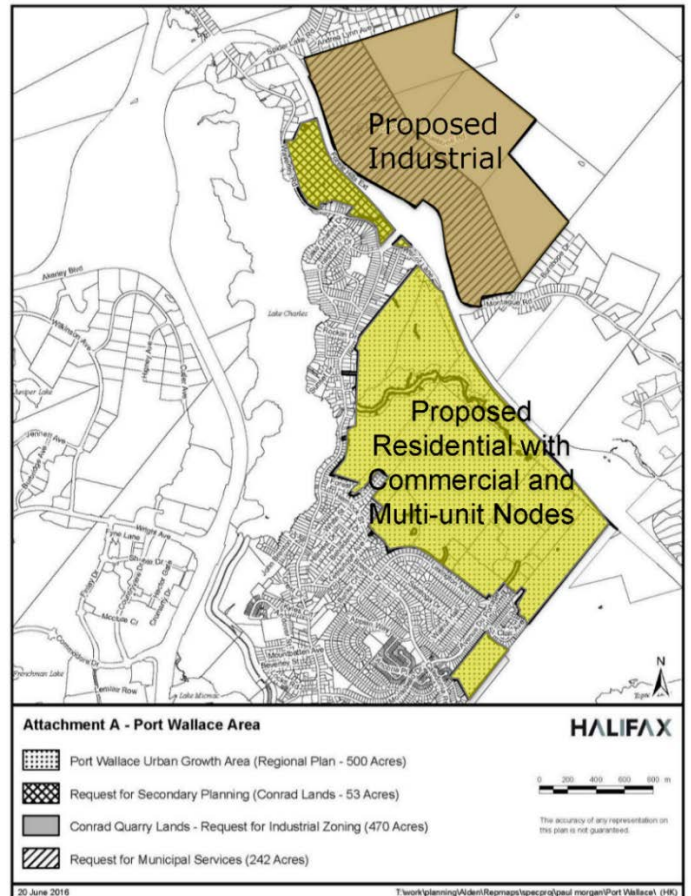
Skating Programs

Spaces still available

- Cole Harbour Place (Arena)
- Eastern Shore Community Centre
- Spryfield Lions Rink
- Halifax Forum
- Halifax Civic Arena
- Dartmouth 4Pad



PORT WALLACE SECONDARY PLANNING STRATEGY



This is a working concept subject to change - check the Port Wallace Public Participation Committee's website for updates

The Port Wallace project is an active project. Work is currently underway to complete background research; and, includes working with the [Port Wallace Public Participation Committee](#) to develop draft policies and continued work on the costing of infrastructure and the development of a Capital Cost Charge program. Once the draft policy is complete, further public consultation will take place. Anyone wishing to provide comments may do so by contacting Andrew Bone, Planner III by [email](#) or by phone at 902.490.6743.



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MONTEBELLO - PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT CASE 20756

Application by Michael Napier Architecture, on behalf of G2J Residential Holdings, to amend the Dartmouth Municipal Planning Strategy to re-designate 246 Waverley Road, and 2 and 4 Montebello Drive to the Waverley Road Mixed-Use Sub-designation, to allow for consideration of a multiple unit dwelling by development agreement. The applicant has proposed a building that is 5 storeys in height, with 56 residential units and 58 underground parking spaces.

This proposal cannot be considered under existing planning policy; therefore, the Applicant has requested amendments to the Municipal Planning Strategy for Dartmouth (MPS).

The request is being reviewed in detail by planning staff. Once a report is ready, the next step will be for the proposal to be considered by Council.



Corner of Waverley Road and Montebello

WE NEED YOU!! VOLUNTEERS TO SERVE ON HRM BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

CONNECT WITH COMMUNITY

Volunteer to sit on a municipal board, committee or commission.
Apply by Sunday, Oct. 21, 2018

Questions?
clerks@halifax.ca 902.490.4210
To view the list of opportunities visit:
halifax.ca/city-hall/boards-committees-commissions

The Municipal Clerk's Office is recruiting for volunteers to serve on boards/committees. The deadline for [applications](#) is October 21. There are 63 positions for 17 boards/committees as follows:

- [Active Transportation Advisory Committee](#)
- [Accessibility Advisory Committee](#)
- [Audit Committee](#)
- [Design Review Committee](#)
- [Grants Committee](#)
- [Halifax Regional Library Board](#)
- [Halifax Regional Water Commission Board](#)
- [Halifax Transit's Accessible Transit Liaison Group](#)
- [Halifax Peninsula Planning Advisory Committee](#)
- [Heritage Advisory Committee](#)
- [Investment Policy Advisory Committee](#)
- [North West Planning Advisory Committee](#)
- [Point Pleasant Park Advisory Committee](#)
- [Regional Watersheds Advisory Board](#)
- [Shubenacadie Canal Commission](#)
- [Special Events Advisory Committee](#)
- [Western Common Advisory Committee](#)



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HAPPY THANKSGIVING!



Enjoy the Monday, October 8th holiday – a great opportunity to take the family on a hike to one of our many [trails](#) or enjoy a [local park](#).

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!



October 31st is the traditional “trick-or-treat” night and many young, costumed people will be out seeking treats and having fun.

A reminder to all

drivers to please watch for the trick-or-treaters and use caution during on all residential streets.

Here are some tips for trick-or-treaters to ensure you are safe while out having fun:

- Place strips of reflective tape on the back and front of costumes, so that drivers can better see you.
- Costumes should fit properly to prevent trips and falls. Avoid items such as oversized shoes, high heels, long dresses / long capes.

- Dress for the weather. Add layers if needed. Make sure you are in a group of at least 3 people.
- Take a flashlight with you. A cell phone is also an excellent idea if you have one.
- Discuss in advance the route you should follow. Call your parents if you plan to go on a street that isn't on the route.
- Set a curfew.
- DO NOT eat anything until you get home and sort your treats with your parents or adult.
- DO NOT visit houses that are not well lit. Never go inside a stranger's house.
- Use the sidewalk whenever possible. If there's no sidewalk, walk on the side of the road facing traffic.
- DO NOT crisscross back and forth across the street. Work your way up one side of the street, and then start on the other.
- If you have any allergies, tell the person who is giving out the treats.





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DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4th

When local daylight time is about to reach Sunday, November 4, 2018, **2:00:00 am** clocks are turned **backward** 1 hour to Sunday, November 4, 2018, **1:00:00 am** local standard time instead.

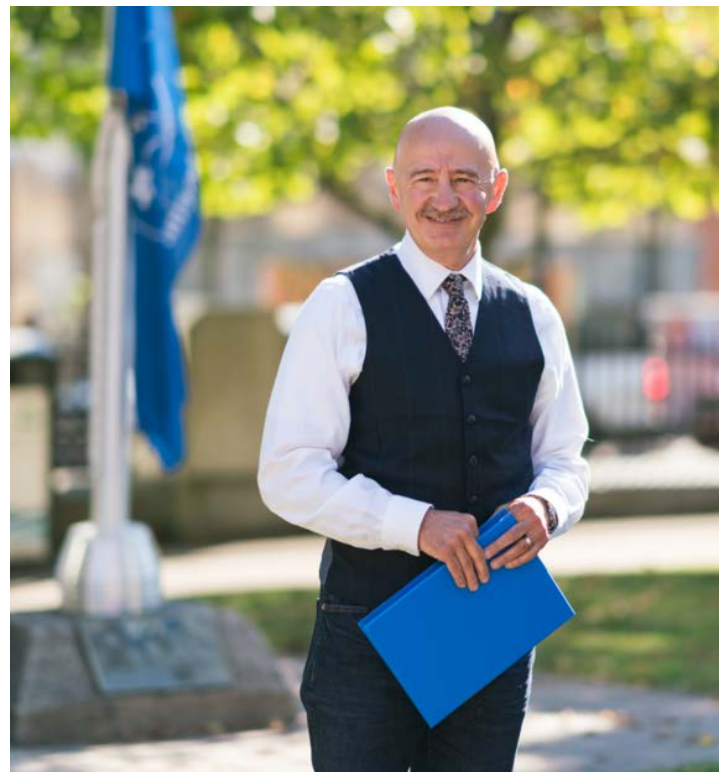
Sunrise and sunset will be about 1 hour earlier on Nov 4, 2018 than the day before. There will be **more light in the morning**. Also called **Fall Back** and **Winter Time**.



WORLD ALZHEIMER'S DAY FLAG RAISING AT GRAND PARADE



I was honoured to read the World Alzheimer's Day proclamation during the flag raising event at Grand Parade on September 21st





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