

Township of North Glengarry / Canton de Glengarry nord

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Welcome Summer!

Get out and enjoy the beauty of North Glengarry!



Message from Town Hall

Keep Bears Out of Your Community

You may not even know you are doing it, but you could be attracting bears onto your property and into your community. Garbage is the main reason why bears are drawn into communities. Bird and pet food, greasy barbecues and ripe or decaying fruit, berries and vegetables are other invitations to bears to forage for food in your yard. Here are a few tips on how to minimize the risk of attracting bears:

- Eliminate odours by putting garbage in containers that have tight fitting lids and only place outside the morning of pickup.
- Put meat scraps in the freezer until garbage day.
- Frequently wash garbage cans and recycle containers and lids with a strong smelling disinfectant.
- Fill bird feeders only through the winter months.
- Do not leave pet food outside, feed your pets indoors.
- Avoid landscaping with trees, shrubs, or plants that produce food known to attract bears (i.e. crab apple trees, mountain ash, beech and oak).
- Do not put meat, fish or sweet food (fruit), in your composter.
- Remove vegetables and fallen fruit from the ground.
- Pick all ripe fruit from trees and bushes.
- Be aware that cooking odours can attract bears.
- Remove grease and food residue from barbecue grills, including the grease cup underneath, after each use.

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Le centre celtique de l'Ontario*

When are taxes due?

The property tax cycle is from January to December. Two tax bills are issued each year. The interim taxes are due on the last working day of February and April. Final taxes are due on the last working day of July and September.

Did you know you can arrange for monthly payments for your property taxes? Inquire with our Tax Department at:

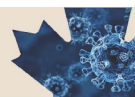
T: 613-525-1110 x 226
taxcollector@northglengarry.ca

Tax Estimator Tool

Go to: <https://www.northglengarry.ca/en/community-info/propertytaxes.aspx>

Input your assessment and the tax class, click on the calculate button and your estimated property taxes will be displayed.

Reduce the spread of COVID-19: Wash your hands infographic



STEP 1:
Wet hands with water.



STEP 2:
Apply soap.



STEP 3:
While hands are wet of water, rub hands together for at least 20 seconds (including your palms, back of each hand, between fingers, thumbs and under nails).



STEP 4:
Rinse well with water.



STEP 5:
Dry hands well with paper towel.



STEP 6:
Turn off faucet using paper towel.



If soap and water aren't available, use a hand sanitizer containing at least 60% alcohol. Rub your hands together (as shown in Step 3) until dry.

For more information: 1-833-784-4397 Canada.ca/coronavirus

Council highlights

Unveiling of Blue Plaques Highlight Historical Heritage in North Glengarry



On July 5, 2021 Members of the Arts Culture and Heritage Committee along with Members of Council and the Media will be unveiling two new Blue Plaques located at 18 and 25 Georges Street East, Alexandria.

The homes previously belonged to the owners of the Munro and McIntosh Carriage Company, Limited in Alexandria.

The Council and Committee Meeting Calendar is available online at

<https://calendar.northglengarry.ca/meetings>

Annual Mill Pond Clean-Up Begins

In order to encourage the growth of the aquatic wildlife in Mill Pond, the Public Works Department have begun the cleaning up of seaweed in the pond.

The work will take approximately three weeks to complete, with so far over 50 tonnes of seaweed having already been removed and transported to the Township compost site at the Lochiel Garage.



North Glengarry Community Improvement Plan (C.I.P.)



A C.I.P. provides a tool through which the municipality will be able to direct funds, implement policy initiatives, and stimulate private sector investment. All commercial properties are now eligible to apply for the program. Residential properties listed on the Municipal Heritage Register are also eligible;

Further information on the CIP is available at

<https://www.northglengarry.ca/en/doing-business/cip.aspx?mid=17040>

or contact tara@northglengarry.ca / T. 613-525-1313

Employee highlight

Jason McIntee – Heavy Duty Mechanic

Jason McIntee is a wonderful new addition to the team in North Glengarry, joining on May 5, 2021. He brings many years of experience to the position, working on vehicles and equipment was something he has always been passionate about.

Having grown up locally on a dairy farm, Jason learned from the age of 13 how to care for and maintain vehicles and equipment. His first job was fixing engines on diesel tractors and his knowledge grew from there.

We all know how important it is to have a fleet of vehicles properly maintained so they can be on the road when and where they are needed. Jason is going through each vehicle, including our snow plows, to ensure reliability in our fleet.

Having a Heavy Duty Mechanic is so important because if there is an issue when the operator is on the road, they can call Jason, who will meet them wherever they are to fix the problem, getting the operators and vehicles back on the road as soon as he can.

This Summer Jason is hoping to spend as much



time as he can outdoors, he loves getting out and exploring the trails with his family and he hopes to spend some time cruising around seeing the beauty of Glengarry in his '57 Pontiac he received from his Uncle.

Upcoming Council Mtgs.

Council meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month, with the exception of the months of August and December. When holidays fall on a Monday then Council is usually scheduled for Tuesday. Special meetings are held as required. Agenda packages are prepared, ready for delivery and posted on the municipal website prior to a meeting. Due to public health requirements, the Township is currently hosting all of its meetings virtually, on Zoom. For more information on upcoming council meeting information and for a schedule of upcoming meetings, visit:

<https://www.northglengarry.ca/en/town-hall/council-meeting-information.aspx>

Upcoming Council Meetings: July 12 and July 26, 2021

Health & wellness

Sleep On It! Canadian Public Health Campaign on Sleep

The Canadian Sleep and Circadian Network, the Canadian Sleep Society, Fondation Sommeil and Wake-up Narcolepsy Canada have joined forces to communicate scientifically valid knowledge in a simple and original way.

The goal of the Sleep On It! Campaign is to create awareness for the general public, offer solutions to deal with sleep disorders and make healthy sleep a public health priority.

For more information on the campaign, sleeping disorders, support, tools and resources and much more please visit their website at: <https://sleeponitcanada.ca/>

Another way to find out more is by listening to the following podcasts; Human OS Radio with Dan Pardi and Narcolepsy 360 Podcast.



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Get outside and have fun on the Glengarry Trail Network!

Learn More at www.glengarrytrails.com

Business support

Government Programs

2021-2022 Seniors Community Grant Program

The Seniors Community Grant Program focuses on projects that align with four pillars which help improve the lives of older adults in the province; enabling aging-at-home and in communities, safety and security, remaining healthy, active and socially engaged and participating in the labour market and economy.

The deadline for applications is **July 15, 2021 at 5pm EST**. Applications can be found at <https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/1000316/ontario-launches-applications-for-2021-22-seniors-community-grant>

The Township will be pleased to assist you in connecting with the program(s) that will best support your business. Contact the Township's Economic Development Officer if you require any additional information. T. 613-363-0819 ecdev@northglengarry.ca

Regional Incentives Program and SDG Regional Tourism Grant

The United Counties has developed the Regional Incentives Program, to encourage redevelopment, promote active recreation, stimulate investment and increase tourism accommodations in our region. S

The SDG Regional Tourism Grant Program is an exciting new financial grant program designed to help existing businesses and organizations increase visitation to local tourism initiatives and attractions.

For more information please visit: <https://www.sdgcounties.ca/economic-development/grants-and-financing>

Ontario Helping Youth Explore Careers in the Skilled Trades

From September 2021 to March 2022, Support Youth Ontario will run "Tools in the Trades Boot Camps", targeting three groups of participants: Grade 12 students who have an interest in the skilled trades, people who lost their job during COVID-19 and people looking to start new careers in a growing sector or industry, with a special focus on Indigenous youth, racialized groups, women and newcomers.

Youth from more than 25 communities across Ontario, including Ottawa, London, Hamilton, Chatham and Sault Ste Marie will gain experience working with tools, writing resumes and interviewing. They will also have the opportunity to speak with businesses in the skilled trades sector. It is expected that 500 employers and industry associations and 300 education and training providers will be involved in the project.

Students and adults interested in attending a boot camp can apply on the Safe Ontario Youth website at <https://www.supportontarioyouth.ca/>

Community support

Community Support Services

These organizations are available to help residents in North Glengarry:

Maison Interlude - La Maison Interlude House est un organisme francophone qui offre une multitude de services en français et en anglais. Sa raison d'être est de sensibiliser la communauté aux enjeux de la violence faite aux femmes et de soutenir et outiller les femmes et leurs personnes à charge victimes de violence, dans toute leur diversité. T. 1-800-461-1842 <https://www.minterludeh.ca/>

Maison Baldwin House - Offers services to anglophone users of Cornwall, Stormont and surrounding areas. Maison Baldwin house is a place where women who have experienced any type of abuse can come for support, information, and a safe place to stay. It is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week – women can call and/or come in at any time, day or night. The services are completely free and confidential. T. 613-938-2958 https://baldwinhouse.ca/?page_id=1389&lang=en

Naomi's Family Resource Centre - Offers services to anglophone users of Dundas and surroundings areas. This Centre provides confidential, safe and secure emergency shelter for women with or without children who have been physically, emotionally, sexually or financially threatened or harassed in the Stormont, Glengarry and Dundas Counties of Ontario Canada. The Centre also offers informal counselling and 24-hour crisis line for Eastern Ontario. T. 613-774-2838 <https://naomiscentre.ca/>

Ontario 211 | Community and Social Services Help Line - Ontario 211 is a free helpline that connects you to community and social services in your area 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, in over 150 languages. T. 1-877-330-3213 <https://211ontario.ca/>

Employment Resources

The economy in North Glengarry is diverse and job opportunities are equally varied. Below are links to sites that post job opportunities in North Glengarry and surrounding Communities.

Glengarry Inter-Agency Group (GIAG) is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping area residents or potential residents to secure new employment in Glengarry county <https://www.giag.ca/employment-services/>

Service Canada Job Bank lists jobs in Cornwall and neighbouring communities, including North Glengarry <https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/findajob>

Osprey Media/Cornwall Standard Freeholder job classifieds page http://www.ospreycareers.com/results.asp?city=Cornwall&search_type=quick&kw=&submit=Search

The Eastern Ontario Training Board (EOTB) was established to play a leading role in labour force development. It is led by a volunteer Board of Directors comprised of representatives from business, labour, racial minorities, women, francophone, trainers/educators and persons with disabilities <https://eotb-cfeo.on.ca/>

Stronger together

Tick Season Is Here! Tips on How to Spot a Tick:

- Check Clothing
- Examine Gear and Pets
- Shower Soon After Being Outdoors
- Check Your Body for Ticks After Being Outdoors
 - Under Arms
 - In and Around the Ears
 - Inside Belly Button
 - Back of Knees
 - In and Around the Hair
 - Between the Legs
 - Around the Waist



Reminder:
Don't forget to register your dog
If you are a property owner, your dog tags are included on your tax bill and will automatically renew each year. If you have recently acquired a dog, or no longer have one, please contact the By-law Enforcement Officer. For tenants, please register your dog(s) prior to January 31st or fines may apply. For information contact
613-525-1110 or email todd@northglengarry.ca

Emergency Preparedness

in the Workplace

Common types of emergencies



An emergency poses an immediate risk of significant harm to health, life, property or the environment. Preparing for emergencies is an important part of your workplace health and safety program and is a legal requirement throughout Canada.

4 elements of an emergency management program

- Prevention**
Policies and procedures to minimize the occurrence of emergencies
- Preparation**
Activities and procedures to make sure your organization is ready to effectively respond
- Response**
The action to be taken when an emergency occurs
- Recovery**
Practices to resume to normal business operations

What's in a written emergency response plan?

- ✓ Scope and outline potential emergencies
- ✓ Alarms and other methods of initiating a response
- ✓ Site-specific response procedures
- ✓ Command structure, roles and responsibilities
- ✓ Shutting down of power
- ✓ Evacuation and assembly procedures
- ✓ Communication systems and protocols
- ✓ Emergency contact lists
- ✓ Resource lists

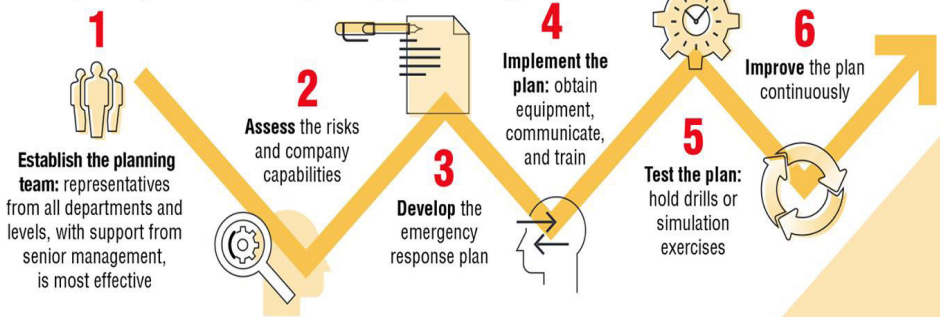
Keep employees and responders free from harm
Manage life-threatening situations
Minimize damage to the environment, equipment, machinery, tools, etc.
Minimize downtime

Why prepare for emergencies?

As a worker, it is important that you know how to

- Identify common types of emergencies
- Respond if you encounter a situation
- Respond when an emergency alarm is activated
- Ask your employer for more information and training

6 key steps to emergency planning



Legend / Légende
Fibres week / Semaine fibres
Containers week / semaine conteneurs
Garbage is picked up weekly / Les ordures sont ramassées chaque semaine

www.northglengarry.ca/community-info/garbagerecycling

For inquiries please contact:

613-525-5112

rare@northglengarry.ca

2021 Garbage & Recycling Schedule L'horaire de la collecte d'ordures et de recyclage 2021

January / Janvier						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

February / Février						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28						

March / Mars						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

April / Avril						
Dim	Lun	Mar	Mer	Jeu	Ven	Sam
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25	26	27	28	29	30	

May / Mai						
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June / Juin						
Dim	Lun	Mar	Mer	Jeu	Ven	Sam
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CHANGES TO YOUR GARBAGE & RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Garbage and recycling normally picked up on Friday Jan 1st, will be picked up Thursday Dec 31st.
 Garbage and recycling normally picked up on Monday Feb 15th, will be picked up Tuesday Feb 16th.
 Garbage and recycling normally picked up on Friday April 2nd, will be picked up Thursday April 1st.
 Garbage and recycling normally picked up on Monday May 24th, will be picked up Tuesday May 25th.

CHANGEMENTS À L'HORAIRE

La collecte de déchets et du recyclage qui aurait normalement lieu vendredi le 1er janvier sera déplacé au jeudi 31 décembre.
 La collecte de déchets et du recyclage qui aurait normalement lieu lundi 15 février sera déplacé au mardi 16 février.
 La collecte de déchets et du recyclage qui aurait normalement lieu vendredi 2 avril sera déplacé au jeudi 1er avril.
 La collecte de déchets et du recyclage qui aurait normalement lieu lundi 24 mai sera déplacé au mardi 25 mai.

NOTICE: Changes will not affect other pick-up days. **AVIS:** Les changements n'affecteraient pas les autres cueillette.

LANDFILL INFORMATION

All residents from North Glengarry are permitted to bring two loads, roughly 2 cubic metres free of charge to the local landfill.
PROOF OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED.

LOCATION: 3485 County Rd 23, Glen Robertson.

SUMMER HOURS (Apr 1-Nov 30): Tuesday, Friday & Saturday 8:00 am until 4:00 pm.

WINTER HOURS (Dec 1 - Mar 31): Wednesday & Saturday 8:00 am until 4:00 pm.

ACCEPTING RESIDENTIAL DRY WASTE ONLY. CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL OR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Special events / Événements spéciaux



Leaf & yard waste pick up (Collecte de feuilles et déchets de jardin) : Monday May 10, 2021 (lundi le 10 mai, 2021)



Household hazardous waste day (Journée des déchets dangereux) : Saturday April 24, 2021 (samedi le 24 avril, 2021)



Earth day & Pitch-In Week (Journée de la terre et semaine "Pitch-In") : Week of April 18, 2021 (semaine du 18 avril, 2021)

