

TOWN OF SEDGEWICK—THE SCOOP - Nov. 2017

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November 16th, 2017 Council Meeting Highlights

Flagstaff Family and Community Services – 2018 Budget

Council approved the 2018 FCSS budget with a requisition of \$8.70 per capita.

Bylaw 535/17 – Procedural Bylaw

Council gave first reading to Bylaw 535/17, the Procedural Bylaw.

Levels of Service Document 2017/18

Council reviewed and accepted as information a “Levels of Service” document which outlined the current service levels of the Town of Sedgewick. Council will use the document for planning purposes in their Strategic Priorities meeting in December.

Policy 17/01 – Health and Wellness Program Policy

Council approved Policy 17/01 which provides for a maximum annual allowance of \$750 to permanent staff members to put towards fitness or recreation activities or equipment to increase the well-being of staff. The budget for the program in 2018 is \$3300. The policy replaces the previous health and wellness program which in 2017 had a budgeted amount of \$7680.

Staff Christmas Bonus

Council approved a \$500 Christmas bonus for full-time staff and a prorated percentage of \$500 for part-time staff based off of hours of work relative to a 35 hour/week position. The total cost of Christmas bonuses in 2017 will be \$2360.

Sedgewick Killam Natural Gas System – 2018 Budget

Council approved the 2018 SKNGS budget (Draft #2) estimating a net profit of \$17,450, as presented. Council also approved using the Gas Alberta Refund of \$15,855.38 to pay any overages towards the Trans Canada integrity check completed in the summer of 2017 and place the remainder into capital reserves.

Attention All Residential and Commercial Fire Alarm System Users:

Strathcona County Emergency Communications Centre is transitioning to a new phone number that alarm monitoring companies must use when reporting fire alarm notifications.

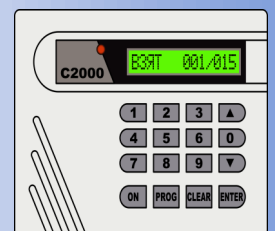
The new number effective immediately is 780 449-9701.

Please notify your alarm monitoring service of this change.

The old number will no longer work after **Dec. 31, 2017**.

THIS IS FOR ALARM SYSTEMS ONLY. DIALING 9-1-1 FROM YOUR PHONE IS STILL THE APPROPRIATE NUMBER.

For any questions, please call: Kim Cannady, Regional Emergency Services Coordinator, at 780-384-4100.



BEWARE OF FALSE FIRE ALARMS

False alarms have begun to increase in frequency in the Town of Sedgewick and are becoming a problem for our Fire Department. False alarms cost the municipality money and put additional stress on our volunteer firefighting crew.

Please note that the Town of Sedgewick has the authority to charge residents and businesses in the event of a false alarm. Town Council will be reviewing the amount charged at their December Regular Council Meeting when they will approve the Fees and Charges Bylaw for 2018. Residents and business owners should expect to be charged in the new year in the event of a call-out being a false alarm.

Town Office Christmas Hours: Closed Dec. 25, 26 & Jan 1
Merry Christmas From Council & Staff



Town Office hours: Mon—Fri 8:30—4:30 (Closed from Noon-1:00 pm)

“Grow With Us”

Sedgewick Rec Center is offering Tween Bowling
(Ages 8-13) at 1 p.m.



For all interested students.

The student can bowl three games for the cost of \$10,
shoe rental included.

Please contact the Rec Center at 780-384-3751
to register your Tween or for more information.



December 2017

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5 Lake AGM 7:00pm Fire Hall	6 Seniors Meeting 1:00pm	7  Seniors Whist 7:30 pm Lougheed	8	9
10	11	12	13 Seniors Open Christmas Party 12pm	14  Seniors Whist 7:30 pm	15	16
17	18 Seniors Crib Tournament	19	20	21 	22	23
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31 New Years Potluck 6:00 pm Seniors 						

Senior's Corner - Come join in—Everyone Welcome!

Mondays—Rummy @ 6:30 PM

Tuesdays & Thursdays Floor Curling @ 1:30 PM—Come learn the game & have coffee.

Fridays—Bridge @ 1:00 PM.

WHIST: Lougheed Seniors on Dec 7

Sedgewick Seniors on Dec 14 **ALL @7:30 pm**

Sedgewick Archives Gallery & Museum

Open June to October

Open upon request

Museum Hours: Tues. 6-9 pm
Thurs. 1:30-4:30 pm

Contacts:

Email: sedgewickmuseum@gmail.com

Joan Djos: 780.384.3751

Lorna Polege: 780.384-3780

Larry Burden: 7810.384.3017

Library (upstairs Rec Centre)
Phone 780-384-3003

Tues/Thurs 12:00-5:30 pm

Mon/Wed 5:30-8:30 pm

Sat 10:00-1:00pm

*Drop off boxes at Co-op entrance &
Rec Centre (downstairs)*

Recreation Centre 780-384-3751

Flagstaff County 780-384-4100

Alta First Call 1-800-242-3447

Public Works 24 Hrs 780-384-3911

Natural Gas 24 Hrs 780-385-2116

East-Link 1-888-345-1111

CCI Communication 1-888-240-2224



Good As New Shop 5017—50 Ave.
1 PM—4 PM Tues, Wed, Fri and Sat

Killam Bottle Depot 780-385-3047
4926-50 Street, Killam (back alley)

Flagstaff Regional Landfill Hours:

Mon–Fri: 8:30 AM - 4 PM

Saturdays: 1 - 4:30 PM

Landfill Office: 780-384-3950

Closed Dec 25 & 26

Recycling Bins (4819-48 Ave - back alley):

Cardboard Bins—**Blue**

2 Commingle Bins — **Yellow**

1 Mixed Paper — **Green**

**Recycle Bins are located at Public Works
behind the “The Wooden Spoon”**

Please — No household waste in the
recycling bins.