TOWN OF SEDGEWICK—THE SCOOP - Nov. 2017

October 19, 2017 Council Organizational Meeting Highlights

Oaths for Office - Council swore Oaths for Office before a Commissioner of Oaths.

Appointment of Deputy Mayor - Council approved an alphabetical 12-month rotational schedule for the Deputy Mayor appointment:

October 2017 to September 2018	Councillor Imlah
October 2018 to September 2019	Councillor Levy
October 2019 to September 2020	Councillor Schmutz
October 2020 to September 2021	Councillor Sparrow

Code of Conduct—The Mayor and Councillors signed a Code of Conduct for the 2018-2022 Term of Office.

<u>Appointment to Committees</u> - Council endorsed a motion that all internal committees be disbanded with these issues addressed at regular Council meetings or by Administration when applicable and that appointments to the external committees be approved as follows with all councillors designated as alternate members of all committees:

Fire Department- G. Imlah	Regional Emergency Services Committee- G. Imlah
Recreation Board- G. Sparrow	Sedgewick-Killam Natural Gas System- P. Robinson, G. Imlah, T. Schmutz
Golf Club- G. Sparrow	FRSWMA- S. Levy
Lake Park Board- T. Schmutz	Parkland Regional Library- S. Levy
Municipal Library- S. Levy	FFCS – P. Robinson
Community Hall- T. Schmutz	BRAED – P. Robinson
Health Unit Contact- G. Imlah	Flagstaff Inter-Municipal Partnership- P. Robinson
Citizen's Advisory Committee- T. Schmutz	Flagstaff Regional Housing Group- G. Sparrow
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<u>Council Remuneration</u> -Council endorsed a motion to approve a \$100/month increase to Councillor's monthly remuneration and a \$225/month increase to the Mayor's monthly remuneration and that all Council and external scheduled meetings be paid at half-day or full-day rates other than ad-hoc meetings which will be paid at an hourly rate retroactive to October 1st, 2017.

October 19, 2017 Council Regular Meeting Highlights

Flagstaff Regional Solid Waste Management Association - Sedgewick Council approved the 2018 Regional Solid Waste Management Association Budget as presented with Sedgewick's requisition at \$123,685.04. The budget resulted in a 2.2% budget reduction from 2017 equivalent to \$2,904.55. A majority of the Flagstaff municipalities must approve this budget prior to formal endorsement being attained.

Parkland Regional Library Board - Sedgewick Council approved the 2018 Parkland Regional Library budget as presented. Sedgewick's 2018 requisition will increase by \$68.56 from \$6,890.28 in 2017 to \$6,958.64 which is equivalent to less than a 1% increase.

<u>Emergency Services Committee</u> - Sedgewick Council *endorsed* a recommendation from the Regional Emergency Services Committee to extend the Regional Fire Chief Agreement by one year from December 31, 2017 to December 31, 2018.

E-Billing

The Town of Sedgewick provides the option of e-billing for Utility Invoices. Ratepayers not interested in e-billing still have the option to receive their utility invoice by mail.

Please email the Town Office at <u>officemain@sedgewick.ca</u> with the subject of "E-billing" to let us know that you would like to receive your utility notice by e-billing and we can send you a Consent Form to fill out and send back to us.

NOTE: If you have been receiving your Utility Notice via e-mail previous to the October billing, and have not signed the new consent form, the Consent Form is required prior to November 15 to continue this service after the October billing.



"Grow With Us"

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Flagstaff Christmas Sharing Program



Once again, the Flagstaff Food Bank will be coordinating the annual Christmas Sharing Program in the Flagstaff region. This involves the collection and distribution of gifts and food hampers for those less fortunate in our community. Flagstaff Food Bank appreciates the donation of food items & cash between <u>Dec.4 and Dec.13</u>. Individuals or groups planning to donate turkeys, please advise FFCS at **780-385-3976** by <u>Nov.26</u> to assist in planning for projected needs. (Please be advised that the Food Bank cannot distribute expired food; please check the expiration dates on any food donations.)

The "Adopt a Family Program" will be running again. If interested in adopting a family, please call FFCS before Dec.1st.Please limit your gift purchases to approximately \$60 per person. Please leave all gifts unwrapped with your gift wrap included in your family's gift bundle. If you decide to give clothing, be sure to include the "Gift Receipt" in case an exchange is necessary by the recipient.

Gifts must be delivered to the Community Press Building in Sedgewick at 4919-47 Street, between 10 am-4pm from Dec.4-13th, 2017.

November 2017

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		Kerr we truvé Remembrance Day November 11	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	1 1 Sedgewick RCL Service 10:30 am @ Community Hall Coffee served after service.
12	13 Town Office/PW Staff Closed in Lieu of Remembrance Day	14	15 Flu Clinic — Community Hall 11 am—7 pm	16 m	17	18
19 Community Dance \$10 1:30—4:30 Potluck to follow	20 Seniors' Crib Tournament 1:00 PM	21 Flagstaff Business Partnership Breakfast Killam Seniors Centre	22 AHS-Heart Wise Workshop 1-4 pm	23	24	25 Lions Event
26	27	28	29	30	1	2

Fall Rec & Leisure Programs available:

• Yoga Series 2 "Stress Buster" Program with 'Sacred Arts' facilitating-Nov.7,9,14,16,21,23,28,30; Dec.5,7,12 &14 (7-8:30 pm) All ages welcome.

- Grace Barra Brazilian Jiu Jitsu with 'Legends Training Centre' Every 2nd Sunday (Nov.12 & 26, Dec.10) Various age categories.
- Heart Wise Workshop Facilitated by AHS—Sedgewick Rec Room—no cost—Wed., Nov.22 from 1—4 pm. Pre-registration required.

All programs held upstairs in the Rec Centre Recreation Room .

• Monkey Business—Sedgewick Library Program—Ages 0—4 years — no cost — in Library Nov.2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 @ 10 am.

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: Sedgewick Seniors on Nov.9 & 23

Lougheed Seniors on Nov.2, 16 & 30 ALL @7:30 pm

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 Recycling Bins (4819-48 Ave - back alley): Cardboard Bins—Blue 2 Commingle Bins — Yellow 1 Mixed Paper — Green

Sedgewick Archives Gallery & Museum

Thurs. 1:30-4:30 pm

Open June to October Museum Hours: Tues. 6-9 pm

<u>Contacts</u>:
 Email: sedgewickmuseum@gmail.com

Joan Djos: 780.384.3751

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Lorna Polege: 780.384-3780 Larry Burden: 7810.384.3017

Recycle Bins are located at Public Works behind the "The Wooden Spoon"

Please — No household waste in the recycling bins.