Office of the Mayor February 2024



We are a few months into 2024 and things are moving along at a good pace in the Township. Council and Staff are putting in a lot of effort to enhance our services, infrastructure, communication, and are laying groundwork for our future.

I am pleased with the progress over the past year and excited about things to come this year. Work continues on several plans and studies including, our Strategic Plan, Parks Master Plan, Fire Master Plan and an update to our Roads Need Study.

These projects will be completed this year and the recommendations will start to be implemented over this term of Council. The plans and studies will help us to make the best investments in our community for your tax dollars.

Over the course of this year, you will see a number of infrastructure projects begin. Works will include paving of Concession Road 3 Tosorontio between the 5th Sideroad north to County Road 5, culvert work and paving on Concession Road 7 Adjala from Keenansville Road north to County Road 1, and road microsurfacing in several of our hamlets improving the roads in our subdivisions. We will also continue with various asphalt repairs, gravel road maintenance and some ditching operations.

We have seen the development of the subdivisions in the Colgan community progress quickly and a number of new homes have been built. Occupancies are continuing over the next couple of years. The Township has provided a 'New Residents Package' for anyone who has moved to our community. The package includes valuable information on our services, Staff and Council contacts, health care and school contacts, waste management information and maps. You may pick up one of these packages at the Township office. To those new to the Township – Welcome!

Our Staff are a great resource for any of your questions or concerns regarding municipal services. You can find phone numbers and email addresses using the contact directory on the Township website. To report any operational issues and concerns please access the 'Report a Concern' function on our website so they can be addressed in a timely manner.

Members of Council also welcome your questions, concerns, and ideas. Please reach out to myself or any Member of Council for information or assistance.

Very truly yours, Scott W. Anderson, Mayor



Updates from Around the Township

February 2024

Your Property Tax Information

The 2024 interim tax amount is calculated based on 50% of your 2023 total taxes. Your final bill will be mailed out at the end of June.



Interim Tax Due Dates

- March 28, 2024
 - May 31, 2024

Payment Options









Visit www.adjtos.ca/propertytaxes or call 705-434-5055 ext. 224 for more information on payment options, and understanding your bill.

Questions about your Property Assessment?

The Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) is responsible for assessing and classifying all properties within the Township. Please consult www.mpac.ca or 1-866-296-6722 for more information.

Ask us about E-Billing!



Join Our Team!

We are actively hiring for the following positions:

- Fire Chief Planning Manager By-law Enforcement Officer Records Student
- Equipment Operator Public Works Admin Assistant Public Works Summer Student

Upcoming Recruitment Efforts:

• Director of Infrastructure & Development • Deputy Fire Chief / Training Officer • Volunteer Firefighters Visit www.adjtos.ca/employment for job postings and application instructions.

Canine Control Services

To report a lost dog, or a found stray contact our Canine Control Contractor:

Ewe Herd Me at 705-220-6890.

Impounded dogs will be cared for at the Outrun Animal Rescue and Rehabilitation Centre in accordance with the Township Canine Control By-law, while our Canine Control Officers attempt to reunite the animal with its owner.



Did You Know?

Your burn permits and dog tags can be renewed annually starting on January 1. You can visit us at www.adjtos.ca to renew and pay online using your credit card.

Please Note: For 2024 the Township will no longer issue new tags. The tag purchased in 2023 will be your dog's permanent tag. Lost tags can be replaced for a fee of \$0.50.





