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COVID-19 Impacts to Services Information Update

Tay, Ontario – In support of Provincial efforts and measures to help stop the spread of COVID-19 and in response to the Provincial Stay-at-Home order the following measures have been taken to protect the health and well-being of our community members, including residents and our dedicated staff, with the goal of keeping time-sensitive operations running and available to the public:

- The Boat Launch at 91 Albert Street will be closed to the Public as of Monday May 17, 2021 until further notice.
- The Municipal Office at 450 Park Street remains closed to the public, however staff are happy to assist by email or over the phone at **705-534-7248** or at tay.ca/contact.
- You can also visit the Online Service Request Portal at MyTay.ca and access account information, report a problem or request assistance with any municipal service.
- It is not necessary to come to the municipal office to pay any bills in person at this time. **Tax and water bill payments can be made through your bank either online or at a bank branch.** Payments can be made in the drop box located outside the municipal office.
- Late payment fees and interest on all bills issued after January 1, 2021 will be waived for all current water/wastewater and tax accounts, while our Municipal Office is closed to the public.
- 2021 Fire Permits can be purchased online at tay.ca/FirePermits
- Dog Tags will not be sold at this time. Please call the Canine Enforcement Officer at **705-534-7248 x248** to register your dog and intent to purchase a Dog Tag once the stay at home order has been lifted. The two dog per household limit remains in effect.
- Building Permit applications will still be accepted at this time. Please call the building division at **705-534-7248 x220** for advice on your particular situation.
- Building Permit inspections are still being conducted. Please contact the building division at **705-534-7248 x220 BEFORE PROCEEDING** with work to learn about your options.
- Active living recreation programs are currently on hold.
- The Tay Township Public Library is offering curbside services. For full details visit tay.ca/library
- Council and Committee Meetings will continue to be held remotely by video and telephone conference. Visit tay.ca/calendar for information on meeting dates, times and on how to participate.

For the latest information about COVID-19 impacts to municipal services, visit our website at tay.ca/COVID-19, follow us on Twitter [@TayTownship](https://twitter.com/TayTownship) or Facebook [@TayTownshipON](https://www.facebook.com/TayTownshipON)

Tay Township is committed to delivering responsive and cost-effective municipal services and infrastructure that provide for the long-term economic, social and environmental well-being of its residents and community.

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