



# Please Be Mindful / Did You Know?

**Property Taxes** – are due by December 31, 2024. We accept the following methods of payment: cash, cheque, credit card, debit, online banking, and post-dated cheques. Consider sending in your payment early to avoid any mail delays! You can also contact your bank to set up monthly payments towards your taxes.

**Water Meters** – Our Public Works staff have been changing water meters in houses as they have time. To date we have changed over 200 water meters and have approximately another 200 to change.

**Garbage & Recycle Carts** - Please remove your garbage and recycle carts from the street as soon as possible after pickup. Some people are leaving their carts on the street for days after pickup which can cause issues with traffic and it will soon hinder snow removal.

**Tree Pruning** - We'd like to remind residents that all trees, shrubs, and hedges are to be regularly pruned so they do not overhang or encroach on any sidewalks or back alleys. Any branches extending over sidewalks should be trimmed to a minimum height of 8 feet. JaT Tree Service will be coming this fall to trim Town trees.



**Street Sweeping** has been booked for this fall. Please keep any vehicles not being used off the street in preparation for the street sweepers. Watch for website and Facebook posts when we know the dates they will be here.

**Back Alleys** – Back alleys are not the place to pile your grass clippings, tree trimmings, rocks, broken down vehicles or garbage that should be hauled to the landfill. Grass clippings and garden waste can be hauled to the compost area, trees, rocks and garbage should be hauled to the landfill on a timely basis. All vehicles need to be parked on your property. Having all of this material in the back alleys attracts rodents, and makes it difficult for the Town to maintain in the summer and nearly impossible to get down to clear snow.



Winter is on its way, please remove any motorhomes, trailers, stored vehicles, etc. from streets and back alleys. This will help with more effective snow removal, and avoid snow ridges being piled around them.



## Ag Fire Safety Info Night



**Davidson Fire Department**

is hosting an information night on November 20<sup>th</sup> at the Davidson Town Hall. There will be a supper by donation following the presentation.

**Watch for More Details**

## 2024 Municipal Election

Municipal Elections take place this fall, with Election Day being Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. – 8 p.m. and an Advance Poll is scheduled for Thursday, November 7<sup>th</sup> from 4 – 8 p.m. Both polls will be in the Town Hall Auditorium.

### REMINDER:

When you come to vote, please bring with you one form of government-issued photo ID, such as your driver's license, OR two pieces of information that show the voter's name and at least one that shows the voter's address.

# Davidson Fall Friendship Night

**Wednesday, October 16**

**Davidson Town Hall**

The Town of Davidson invites you to celebrate our heritage, our citizens and our diversity!

5:00pm – Entertainment and refreshments  
 5:30 to 6:00pm – Supper including pot-luck desserts  
 6:00pm – Awards

*Community members are encouraged to bring a traditional dessert of your choosing to share.*


**Come celebrate our community with us!**



Smoke alarms should be installed on every level of the home, outside each sleeping area, and inside each bedroom. For the best protection, interconnect all the smoke alarms so when one sounds, they all sound.



Learn more at [fpw.org](http://fpw.org)

It's not too early to start thinking about your float for the **Christmas Parade**, which will be held in December - stay tuned for more details.

**Fire Prevention Week October 6-12**

Please change your smoke alarm batteries.

Watch the Town of Davidson Facebook Page for more Fire Prevention Week posts.

Our AGT Centre staff and volunteers have been diligently working to get the rink open to the public on October 18 this year. We look forward to a busy and exciting year at the rink.

Davidson Volunteer Fire Department has again graciously volunteered to help prepare the Outdoor Skating Rink on the site of the old swimming pool. We really appreciate all that the Fire Department does to help get this rink up and running for our residents to use all winter.



If you are looking to make a charitable donation, consider donating local!

The Town of Davidson accepts donations for the following:

★ Davidson Cemetery Fund	★ Davidson Fire Dept
★ Davidson Skatepark Fund	★ Fire Truck Fund
★ Davidson & District Health Foundation	★ Davidson Library
★ Davidson Seniors Trust Fund	★ Communities in Bloom
★ Davidson Recreation Fund (Pool, Rink, etc.)	

Please note that **ALL CHEQUES** are required to be made payable to:  
**TOWN OF DAVIDSON**

The Town of Davidson will be accepting Christmas gifts for the Secret Santa program again this year.

If you know of a family in need, or if your family could use a little extra help this year, please contact Dave in confidence at (306) 567-2908.