



## Together We Can Build Safe, Healthy, Active Communities

### WELCOME MAY!

Let's hope those April showers will bring some May flowers, and maybe an increase in temperatures!

Thank you to those who take the time to reach out to me and my office about questions or concerns in our District. I have recently received some feedback about a houseboat on Lake Micmac off Braemar Drive. I am working with HRM and provincial staff to confirm the relevant regulations and determine any options available. We were also recently notified about surveyors in Shubie Park, who were surveying for a utility project for the Port Wallace Development, they have now withdrawn and will require permission in order to do further work. No trees are being removed at this time. For concerns about any municipal operations or services, you can call 311 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday or through [email](#).

There are lots of exciting things happening in District 6, I'm looking forward to the warmer weather and the events that bring our community together! Happy May Everyone!

### BONJOUR MAI

En espérant que les averses d'avril laissent place aux fleurs de mai, et peut-être une augmentation des températures. Merci à ceux qui prennent le temps de communiquer avec moi ou mon bureau à propos de questions ou de préoccupations dans notre district. J'ai récemment reçu des commentaires sur un bateau-maison sur le lac Micmac au large de la promenade Braemar. Je travaille avec la Municipalité régionale d'Halifax et le personnel provincial pour confirmer les règlements pertinents et déterminer les options disponibles. Nous avons aussi été informés récemment au sujet des arpenteurs dans le parc Shubie qui arpentaient dans le but d'un projet de services publics pour le développement de Port Wallace, ils se sont maintenant retirés et ils requièrent une permission afin de faire des travaux supplémentaires. Aucun arbre n'est enlevé en ce moment. Si vous avez des préoccupations à propos des opérations ou des services municipaux, vous pouvez composer le 311 de 8 h à 20 h du lundi au vendredi et de 9 h à 17 h 30 le samedi et dimanche ou par [courriel](#). Il y a beaucoup de choses intéressantes qui se produisent dans le district 6, j'attends avec impatience le temps plus chaud et les événements qui rassemblent notre communauté. Bon mois de mai à tous!



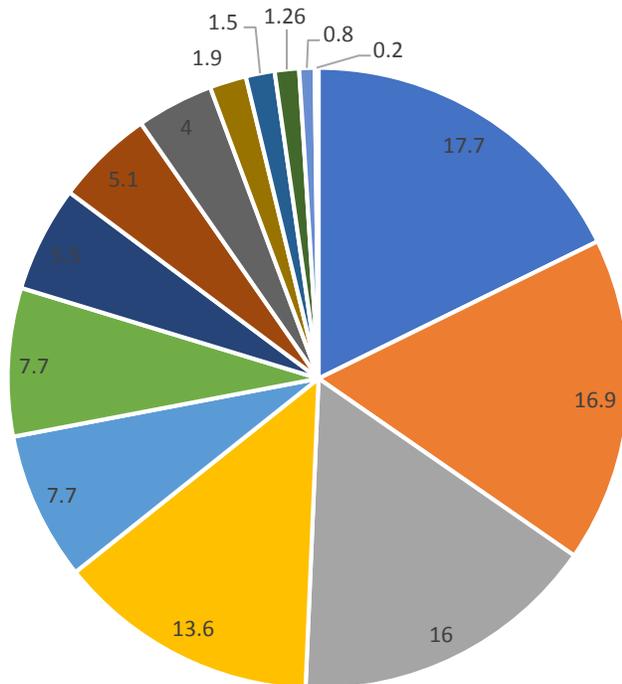
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## 2019-2020 MUNICIPAL BUDGET

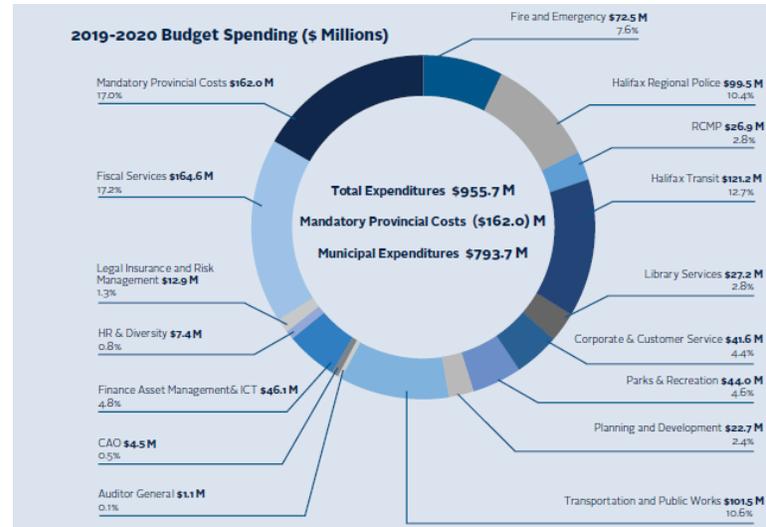
Last month, Regional Council approved our 2019-2020 budget and capital plan. Our Municipality is growing and thriving, and that growth will drive increased public service demands and a requirement to invest in infrastructure, amenities and services needed to deliver on Council's priorities. Your tax dollars are hard at work to provide important services including road repairs, fire and emergency, transit, policing and much more. You can find the full break down of the percentage of the average tax bill each business unit receives below:

Business Unit Tax Allocation



- Transportation and Public Works
- Police
- Transit
- Fire
- Customer Service
- Finance and Asset Manageremr
- Parks and Rec
- RCMP
- Libraries
- Legal Services
- Planning and Development
- HR and Diversity
- CAO Business Unit
- Auditor General

I am happy to report this budget will include upgrades to the Dartmouth North Community Centre including updating the building layout and mechanical and electrical systems to better meet the needs of our community, replacing Access-A-Bus vehicles at the end of their life, repairs to the Burnside Transit Centre roof to maintain a dry and safe working environment for transit staff, seating, washroom and changeroom upgrades at the Beazley Track and Field facility, commissioning a Halifax Explosion Interpretive Marker at the Turtle Grove Mi'kmaq Community, a study of HRM floating docks and boat ramps to aid in future planning, refurbishment and the development of new of sport courts and fields, corrosion and roof beam repairs at the Burnside Composting facility and a fire/rescue boat replacement. The 2019-20 budget will see \$763.7 million in municipal expenditures and \$164 million in capital investments. You can find a breakdown below:



The urban tax rate has decreased from 0.8175 to 0.815 percent this year, however due to growth in the average property assessment, the average tax bill will increase by 2.3% or about \$43 annually.

Average Tax Bill	Residential	
	2018 - 2019	2019 - 2020
Average Assessment	\$235,300	\$241,400
Urban Tax Rate	0.8175	0.815
Average Tax Bill	\$1,924	\$1,967
<b>Commercial</b>		
Average Assessment	\$1,404,300	\$1,406,600
Urban Tax Rate	2.9255	2.988
Average Tax Bill	\$41,083	\$42,029

**2.3%**  
Average tax bill increase due to growth in average property assessment, even as the residential tax rate is reduced

You can find the full budget overview [here](#).



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Sarge's last day as a Halifax Regional Police Officer. Thank you for your service !



### STREET CHECK UPDATE

Respectful interactions between police and citizens are essential to safe communities and effective policing. The [Wortley Report](#), an independent report on Police Street Checks, revealed that African Nova Scotian residents were six times more likely to be stopped and questioned for random street checks and showed that African Nova Scotian residents were more likely to be charged with crimes.

The Department of Justice has now declared a moratorium on street checking pedestrians and passengers in motor vehicles until further notice. For more information on the moratorium, see their [website](#).

### ARMoured VEHICLE FOR HALIFAX REGIONAL POLICE



As part of the final budget deliberations on April 16<sup>th</sup>, Regional Council discussed

funding the purchase of an armoured vehicle for Regional Police. In a presentation to the Board of Police Commissioners, Police reported that the vehicle would be used for the safety of officers and citizens during high-risk operations and natural disasters.

Many Councillors, including myself, expressed concerns about the militarization of our police force and the kind of message an armoured vehicle would send to citizens, especially following the Wortley Report that discussed the issue of racial profiling of police during street checks.

I voted against including this in the budget at the April 16<sup>th</sup> Budget Committee meeting because of my concerns about how the vehicle will be used.

### NEW POLICE CHIEF



Halifax Regional Police have a new chief, Dan Kinsella will assume his new role July 1<sup>st</sup>.

Chief Designate Kinsella brings with him more

than 32 years of experience with Hamilton Police. His most recent role was Deputy Chief of Operations where he oversaw investigative services and three patrol divisions. He has acted as the command lead for multi-jurisdictional investigations and led the City of Hamilton Mayor's summit for opioids, safe injection sites, and cannabis legalization. Dan was also the president of the FBI National Academy Associates (FBINAA) for New York State and Eastern Canada and director of the Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police (OACP) Zone 4. He received the Order of Merit of the Police Forces in 2014 and the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal in 2012.

Thank you to Jean-Michel Blais for over six years of excellent service as our Chief of Police, as well as Deputy Chief Robin McNeil who has been our Acting Chief in these recent weeks.



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### ORDER OF MERIT OF THE POLICE FORCES



Last month, Sgt. Nancy Rudback celebrated 30 years as a police officer with the Halifax Regional Police (HRP) service. She was recently awarded the prestigious Order of

Merit (M.O.M) of the Police Forces and has also represented HRP on a United Nations Peace Keeping mission in 2004 and was part of a community policing project in Gambia in 2005. Sgt. Rudback has received numerous awards throughout her policing career including the International Association of Women in Policing (IAWP) Mentoring Award in 2015, the Atlantic Women in Law Enforcement (AWLE) Medal of Valour in 2017 and the St. John Ambulance Life-Saving Award in 2018. Thank you Sergeant Rudback for your amazing work in our police force.



Thank you Constable Amy Edwards for your work connecting police with the community in a positive way. You can find Amy's full story [here](#).

### NEW TRAFFIC SIGNALS

New traffic signals were activated at the Wright and Wilkinson Avenues intersection in Burnside last week. As we transition this into an active signalized intersection, the Wright Avenue direction has been flashing yellow and Wilkinson is flashing red. The signals should become fully operational this week.

### VEHICLE PEDESTRIAN COLLISION STATISTICS

Halifax Regional Police (HRP) and Halifax District RCMP release a monthly vehicle/pedestrian collision report to provide police and citizens with more contextual information on this issue. During the month of February, there were 25 vehicle/pedestrian/bicycle collisions reported in Halifax Regional Municipality. Of the total collisions, one involved a bicycle. The remaining 24 incidents were vehicle/pedestrian collisions, with 24 pedestrian victims.

Month over month, this represents an increase of five incidents from the 19 incidents reported in January and an increase of 3 incidents over the same time period in February 2018. See the full report for [details](#).

### SLOW DOWN



The Halifax Regional Police are reminding drivers that speeding reduces the amount of time drivers have to react, putting both drivers and other road users at serious risk.

Police continue to do targeted enforcement to combat speeding and aggressive driving. Slow down and drive safe!

### HEADS UP HALIFAX PROPOSAL FUNDING

The Ecology Action Centre, Saint Mary's University Entrepreneurship Centre, Nova Scotia Community College and Crosswalk Safety Society of Nova Scotia have all submitted innovative proposals that will help to educate, promote and revitalize crosswalk safety in our region, and we are proud to support their efforts.

We will be awarding these groups grants of \$1,000 - \$5,000 to implement their proposals this Spring. If you have ideas about crosswalk safety, you can always reach out to [heads@halifax.ca](mailto:heads@halifax.ca)



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## ZERO-EMISSION VEHICLE INCENTIVE

The transportation sector accounts for about 25% of Canada's carbon pollution, but interest is growing in buying electric cars. The Government of Canada wants you to help you cut down on pollution and invest in a zero-emission vehicle by providing a \$5,000 incentive when you purchase a zero-emission vehicle starting May 1<sup>st</sup>. You can find more information [here](#).

## 7 SINGLE-USE SWAPS AND THE TRASH YOU CAN SAVE IN ONE YEAR

"THE PEOPLE WHO MAKE THE BIGGEST DIFFERENCE ARE THE ONES WHO DO THE LITTLE THINGS CONSISTENTLY."

- 1 bamboo tooth brush = 4 plastic tooth brushes
- 1 glass floss container = 7 plastic floss containers
- 1 reusable water bottle = 167 plastic water bottles
- 1 reusable bag = 170 plastic bags
- 1 reusable cup = 500 coffee cups
- 1 metal straw = 540 plastic straws
- 1 cloth towel = 7,300 paper towels

## COMMUNITY CLEAN UP

Join Tim Halman, MLA for Dartmouth East in a Community Clean Up!

**Saturday May 11th**  
Meet at the East Dartmouth Community Centre at 10:00am

Gloves and Bags will be provided!

\*Rain Date is June 15th at the same time and meeting location

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact Tim at [timhalmanmla@gmail.com](mailto:timhalmanmla@gmail.com)

## GARDENING WITH THE DARTMOUTH NORTH COMMUNITY FOOD CENTRE

The Dartmouth North Community Food Centre are hosting a gardening workshops and drop in farm sessions this month. Join them May 13<sup>th</sup> for a Spring Planting workshop and May 27<sup>th</sup> for proper watering. Monday and Wednesday are drop in farm sessions, and you can also get in touch about becoming a farm volunteer or being added to the waitlist. Call Rob at 902-407-4601 ext. 202 or check out their [website](#) for more details.

## SOLAR CITY PROGRAM

The municipality has financed more than \$6 million in solar energy systems in less than three years through the award-winning Solar City program. These systems are expected to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by approximately 1,800 tonnes. The SolarHomes Rebate, offered through Efficiency Nova Scotia, has been reduced as of April 1, 2019. The new rebate is valued at \$0.85 per installed watt, up to a maximum of \$8,500 or 35% of the overall system cost before taxes. This reduction is necessary to maximize the number of Nova Scotians who can access the program. For more information about the Solar City Program, see our [website](#).

### Green Tip

Save clean water by scrapping the food off your dishes instead of rinsing before putting in the dishwasher. We can each waste about 6,000 gallons of clean water a year by pre-rinsing dishes.





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### HALIFACT 2050

The Municipality are pleased to introduce HalifACT, a long-term climate change plan to reduce emissions and help our communities adapt to address climate change over the next 30 years. We are already taking steps in the right direction to mitigate our environmental impact through:

- Our award-winning [Solar City Program](#) which helps to increase access to renewable energy technologies;
- Our [SmartTrip Program](#) which offers employer discounts to encourage sustainable transit use;
- Installation of solar panels at more than 15 corporate buildings;
- Implementation of LEED standards for new municipal builds and consideration of ways to improve energy efficiency and enhance energy consumption for municipal building retrofits; and,
- Adoption of other priority plans focused on our urban forest, a connected green network and integrated mobility.

There is more work to be done to enhance, protect and promote our incredible natural assets, ecosystems and resources. Take a look at our [website](#) for more details about HalifACT and ideas on how you can ACT against climate change.

### BOMA BEST PLATINUM CERTIFICATION

Congratulations and thanks to our Municipal Facilities, Maintenance & Operations (MFMO) team members who were recently recognized by the Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) of Nova Scotia with BOMA BEST® certification for the Halifax Central Library.

BOMA BEST® is a sustainable buildings certification which recognizes excellence in environmental performance and management. We are one of only five Nova Scotian organizations to receive a platinum level certification. MFMO employees exemplify sustainable practices at the Halifax Central Library by using a computerized building management system, environmentally friendly cleaning supplies and rainwater in the flush fixtures.

### UPCOMING WORKSHOPS AND PROGRAMS WITH THE DARTMOUTH NORTH COMMUNITY FOOD AND FAMILY CENTRES

The Dartmouth North Community Food Centre and Dartmouth Family Centre are amazing resources in our community, promoting healthy families and lifestyles. Check out some of the programs they offer below:

#### FoodFit Program

The Dartmouth North Community Food Centre are hosting a 12-week program to help residents improve cooking skills, get moving and share healthy meals. The program begins May 8<sup>th</sup> and you can find out more by [emailing](#) them or calling 902-407-4610 ext. 206

#### Labeling Our Children Workshop

The Dartmouth Family Centre will be hosting a discussion on labeling children Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Come join us in the discussion and explore ways to encourage our children to break free from labels.

#### Playground Safety Workshop

Most playground injuries can be prevented or reduced with supervision and by choosing areas that are safe and well maintained. Join Sonja Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. and put together a first aid kit for your diaper bag or backpack and share how you make playground play safe and fun

#### Healthy Relationships Workshop

Join the Dartmouth Family Centre Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. to participate in a discussion on developing positive relationships with friends, family members, partners & any other people you may encounter in your life.



Meeting with the MacPhee Centre for Creative Learning



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## A SEAT AT THE TABLE



Halifax Regional Municipality is looking for community members to serve on the following boards, committees, and commissions:

- Halifax Harbour Bridges Commission
- Halifax Regional Water Commission
- Metropolitan Regional Housing Authority Board
- Police Diversity Working Group
- Regional Watersheds Advisory Board
- Taxi & Limousine Liaison Group
- Western Common Advisory Committee

**For additional information and to apply: [halifax.ca/serve](http://halifax.ca/serve)  
Deadline for application: Monday, May 13**

Applicants are encouraged to provide additional information that may assist in the selection process, such as a cover letter or resume. All applications received will be processed in accordance with the Halifax Regional Municipality Public Appointment Policy.

Questions?

Email: [clerks@halifax.ca](mailto:clerks@halifax.ca)

Phone: 902.490.4210

# HALIFAX

## HALIFAX REGIONAL FIRE AND EMERGENCY RECOGNIZE VOLUNTEERS

Many of our Halifax Regional Fire & Emergency (HRFE)'s 51 stations throughout the municipality rely on volunteers to serve their communities after finishing their "day job" – which includes a lot of days, nights, and weekends.

HRFE's 530 brave men and women who volunteer are first responders for medical emergencies, fires, car accidents, and a myriad of other emergencies. Thank you for everything you do!

For more information about our volunteer fire fighter program, see our [recruitment page](#).

## SHANNON PARK UPDATE



Shannon Park is an 82-acre property currently owned by Canada Lands Company (CLC). The CLC purchased the area from the Department of National Defense in March 2014 and submitted a development plan to Regional Council in 2016 as part of the Centre Plan consultation process. The plan included mixed use community development and active transportation opportunities. They have completed the Canada 150 Trail that will re-open June 1<sup>st</sup> for the season. In 2018, Schooners Sports and Entertainment ("SSE") approached Canada Lands Company about potentially acquiring a section of the Shannon Park site for community stadium use. The stadium would only take a small portion of the land if approved. The CLC will require that SSE and HRM undertake further engagement with the community regarding a community stadium use, support from both HRM and the province, coordination with the Millbrook First Nation regarding their neighbouring development plans and HRM's approval of the revised concept plans in order to approve this sale. To keep in the loop about Shannon Park and upcoming public consultation check out the CLC's website [here](#).



Cole Harbour Farm Dinner and Auction



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### CENTRE PLAN – PACKAGE A

The Proposed Centre Plan Package A was presented to the Community Design Advisory Committee on April 10<sup>th</sup> and is now being reviewed by committee members, the Harbour East Marine Drive Community Council and other advisory and standing committees of Council. The package will need to be adopted by Regional Council. You can find the detailed Package A [here](#).

### BETTER TOGETHER



Better Together have a long history of providing hundreds of hours of volunteer time to the Dartmouth community. During Canada

150 they set out to do 150 acts of kindness and greatly exceeded their target, and they've continued to help numerous organizations and local initiatives in the days and months since then. Last month, MLA Tim Halman arranged a special event to recognize their great work and I was happy to attend to present a certificate to the group. Thank you for all you continue to do to make our community stronger!

### INCOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

The Municipality is making it easier to apply for the Low Income Transit Pass, Property Tax Exemption and Deferral Program and Recreation Funding Access Program.

Previously, the process required residents to apply and prove their financial need for each individual program. The new single-entry process, Affordable Access Program, is an improved model that will be launched on May 21, 2019 and streamlines the intake process to a single application. Customers will be able to apply for any or all of the programs through email, mail, or in person at one of our Customer Contact Centres or any of the HRM owned and operated Recreation Facilities. More information will be available on our website in the next few weeks.



### The Shubenacadie Canal Commission's Stakeholders Consultation Sessions



Fairbanks Centre, Dartmouth  
May 22 2019  
2:00 pm  
54 Locks Rd

East Hants Sportsplex  
May 28 2019  
6:30 pm  
1076 Hwy 2, Lantz

We invite your ideas about our new project, TRANSITIONS. How can the past inform our present and how history, culture and the natural environment combine to shape our future? The project is about research, partnerships and pilot projects related to the evolving Shubenacadie Waterway. Project findings will be represented in new exhibits and interactive displays at the Fairbanks Interpretive Centre located in Dartmouth. Both sessions are catered.

(902) 462-1826 • [info@shubenacadiecanal.ca](mailto:info@shubenacadiecanal.ca) • [www.shubenacadiecanal.ca](http://www.shubenacadiecanal.ca)

### GERIATRIC NAVIGATOR COMMUNITY HEALTH PROGRAM

The Dartmouth Geriatric Navigator provides assessments and assistance connecting health care and community supports for seniors age 65+ living in the Dartmouth area. Call 902-465-8446 for more information.



Women's Progress Lunch – congrats Cheyenne on winning the Young Woman of Distinction Award



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### LA MUNICIPALITÉ LANCE UN GUIDE FRANÇAIS EN LINGE POUR HALIFAX.CA

Le jeudi 11 avril 2019 (Halifax, N.-É.) – Aujourd’hui, la Municipalité régionale d’Halifax lance [halifax.ca/fr](http://halifax.ca/fr) – un guide français en ligne pour Halifax.ca. Ce microsite vise à améliorer l’accès aux renseignements à propos des principaux services offerts par la municipalité.

L’élaboration de [halifax.ca/fr](http://halifax.ca/fr) reflète l’engagement continu de la municipalité pour améliorer les lignes de communication entre les Acadiens et la communauté francophones et le gouvernement municipal. Cette initiative de la municipalité tire parti des efforts d’un comité mixte, établi en 2019, qui comprend le personnel municipal, des représentants du Conseil scolaire acadien provincial (CSAP), ainsi que des étudiants et des parents du CSAP. Le guide en ligne [halifax.ca/fr](http://halifax.ca/fr) comprend la traduction en français de certains des renseignements les plus populaires et les plus pertinents actuellement disponibles sur le site Web municipal ([halifax.ca](http://halifax.ca)). Les personnes qui visitent [halifax.ca/fr](http://halifax.ca/fr) auront un accès direct au contenu connexe en anglais qui est hébergé sur [halifax.ca](http://halifax.ca). Alors que la rétroaction des utilisateurs est reçue et que l’utilisation est surveillée, la municipalité déterminera le besoin possible de traduire du contenu supplémentaire en français pour le microsite [halifax.ca/fr](http://halifax.ca/fr).

La création d’un microsite français a été terminée avec un budget total d’environ 100 000 dollars, et est financé [en partie] par le gouvernement du Canada. Les utilisateurs peuvent envoyer une rétroaction sur le microsite en français à [french\\_francais@halifax.ca](mailto:french_francais@halifax.ca)

### AKERLEY BLVD CONSTRUCTION

The HRM will be doing paving and spot repairs to curbs and gutters on Akerley Blvd from Joseph Zatzman to Burnside Drive. Sidewalk will also be installed on both sides of Akerley from Joseph Zatzman up to the bus stops near 75 Akerley. Work will take place overnight and on weekends to alleviate traffic concerns and is expected to begin late June.



Congratulations to the Dartmouth Little League for their success at the Canadian/American Little League Games in Massachusetts

### TICK CHECKS

As we begin to spend more time enjoying the outdoors with our families and furry friends – make sure to be safe when it comes to ticks. Some ticks can carry and transmit Lyme disease. There are several ways to reduce contact with ticks, avoid tick bites, risk of infection and Lyme disease, including:

- wear light coloured, long sleeved shirts and pants to increase visibility
- wear light coloured socks and enclosed shoes while working or playing outside or hiking
- pull socks up over pant legs and tucking in shirts
- spray clothing and exposed skin with an insect repellent containing DEET or icaridin and always make sure to follow directions on the label
- check clothing and body carefully for ticks after working or playing outside, especially in the bushes or long grass. Pay special attention to armpits, the back of the knees and the groin or pelvic region
- put clean outdoor clothes in a dryer on high heat for 10 minutes to kill any remaining ticks
- remove any ticks attached to the skin promptly and safely
- clean the bite area with soap and water or alcohol based sanitizer
- keep grass cut and remove leaf litter to minimize a suitable habitat for ticks on properties

For more information, including how to remove and dispose of ticks safely, visit the province’s [website](#).



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### VOLUNTEER AWARD WINNERS

I was so pleased to be able to honour five incredible volunteers from District 6 at the 2019 HRM Volunteer Awards. Thank you to Norm Collins, Kristen Coveyduc, Sarah White and my neighbour and friend Lee Buckley and Provincial Award honourees Kayley Dixon and Graham Greene.

I'd also like to recognize Halifax Regional Police' Victim Services Volunteer Association for their great work and well deserved Community Group Award.

For more information on the awards see our [website](#).



Graham Greene



Victim Services Volunteer Association



Sarah White



Kristen Coveyduc



Kayley Dixon



Lee Buckley

### NS POWER DISCONNECTION NOTICE

Nova Scotia Power works throughout the year to assist customers who are having difficulty paying their electric bills, and views disconnection of service for non-payment as the last resort. They will work with customers through options such as payment arrangements, working with low-income advocates and promoting a variety of programs such as Nova Scotia Power's HomeWarming program to those that qualify.

Unfortunately, with the warm weather of spring approaching, they will begin to disconnect service for customers who all other options have been exhausted.

Anyone having trouble paying their bill should call their toll-free number 1-800-428-6230 to discuss their situation with a member of the customer care team.



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Visiting the Lake City Wood Workers

### FREE PUBLIC WIFI

After the implementation of free public wi-fi at Grand Parade and the Dartmouth and Halifax waterfronts in 2017, Regional Council has now requested the installation of routers at the Alderney Ferry Terminal, the Halifax Ferry Terminal, the Lacewood Bus Terminal, the Bridge Bus Terminal, the Halifax Public Gardens (Horticultural Hall and Horticultural Plaza area) and the Emera Oval pavilion.

We will also be starting a pilot program with the Halifax Public Libraries for wi-fi hotspots on up to 20 transit buses to gauge rider interest and usage.



The Shubie Park Palm Tree survived the Winter! Hardy palm trees were selected because they were grown in Canada. They require little care other than some winter covering. Our Parks team worked with our Urban Forestry team to select these palms and they've become a real highlight in our parks!

### PLAYBOX OPENING

This spring, Aberdeen Court Park is getting a playbox - a permanent box filled with games to enjoy with your friends and family.

Please join us Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. to unveil the community playbox. For more information, contact [Devon Bundy](#).

## MOBILE FOOD MARKET

EAST DARTMOUTH

### \$10 PRODUCE PACKS

(SUBSIDIES MAY BE AVAILABLE)

Get staple fruits & vegetables every second Wednesday



Order & Pay 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.	Pick Up 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
May 8	May 22
May 22	June 5
June 5	June 19
June 19	July 3
July 3	July 17
July 17	July 31
July 31	Aug 14
Aug 14	Aug 28
Aug 28	Sept 11
Sept 11	Sept 25
Sept 25	Oct 9
Oct 9	Oct 23



For more information, contact your nearest pick up location:

East Dartmouth Community Centre – 50 Caledonia Road  
902-435-6211, cindy.smith@bgcgh.ca

Port Wallis United Church – 263 Waverley Road, 782-234-1272

Dartmouth Seniors Centre – 45 Ochterloney Street, 782-234-1272

Funded by:



Hosted by: East Dartmouth Community Centre, Port Wallis United Church, Dartmouth Seniors Centre, Woodlawn Public Library, Councillor Tony Mancini and MLA Tim Halman.

### STREET CLOSURE MAP

The Municipality will be launching a street and sidewalk closure map where you can search current and upcoming planned street and sidewalk closure projects to find out details about road closures in your area.

You can find the map at [halifax.ca/roadworks](http://halifax.ca/roadworks) when it is published this week.



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### SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAMS

Check out the [Summer Recreation Programs](#) happening in Dartmouth. Programs begin in July and registration is now open [here](#).

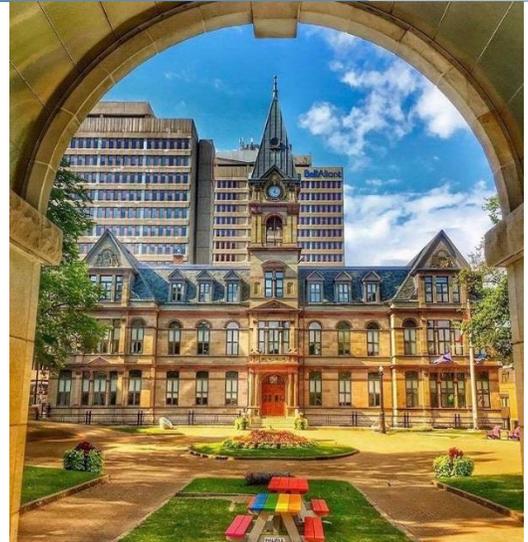
### MEN'S U19 WORLD FLOORBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

The Men's U19 World Floorball Championships will be held at the Zatzman Sportsplex May 8<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup>. You can find out more about the event and get tickets [here](#).

### BATTLE OF THE ATLANTIC CEREMONIES



Laying the wreath on behalf of the Municipality



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#### Currently serving on:

Harbour East Marine Drive Community Council

Board of Police Commissioners

Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee

Executive Standing Committee

Special Events Advisory Committee

Shubenacadie Canal Commission

Liaison to the HRM Acadian Francophone Community

SAC for Prince Andrew High School

NS Solid Waste Resource Management



Halifax service



Dartmouth service