



March 31, 2021 Council Meeting Highlights

The meeting was Called to Order at 3:00 p.m. on March 31, 2021 by Mayor Nancy Schneider. Councillor Dawn McKellar was absent. The minutes from February 23, 2021 were adopted.

At 3:15 p.m. Town Council welcomed Corporal C. Bezaire to the meeting. Stats from 2019 and 2020 within St. Walburg Town Limits were discussed—collisions have decreased, traffic tickets and warnings have increased, and there were 86 check stops performed.

Town Council welcomed G. Trozduk to the meeting at 4:30 p.m. to discuss the Veteran Banner Program. The Program will recognize those who have served our Country. The banners will be displayed for a four week period. Information is available on Facebook—St. Walburg Veteran Banner Project or by contacting Gabriele Trozduk at (306) 248-7073.

An Infrastructure Capital Works Plan 2021-2024 was accepted as a living document. Councillor Stuart Gammell was unanimously nominated for the Urban 5 Director of the North Central Transportation Planning Committee.

Bylaw 2021-02 being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 2019-14 Respecting the Signing Corridor was given second and third readings with adoption. The amendment includes fee exemptions for businesses who are in good standing with the St. Walburg Chamber of Commerce for the current year.

Bylaw 2021-03 being a bylaw to establish a Local Emergency Management Organization was given first reading. The Town is required by the Emergency Planning Act to establish an organization to deal with any emergency or disaster that may occur. This bylaw will repeal Bylaw 6-76 in its entirety.

The Water Treatment Plant Loan was reviewed and an amended agreement with a reduced interest rate of 4%, is to be signed by the Mayor and CAO.

The next Regular Scheduled Council meeting is at 3:00 p.m. on April 28, 2021. Any resident who wishes to join the Council meeting is encouraged to contact the Town Office at (306) 248-3232 for more details on how to participate.

The March 31, 2021 Regular Scheduled Council Meeting was adjourned by Councillor Jean Steinacher at 5:30 p.m.



Warmest Thoughts and Wishes to You and Your Family on This Occasion.
Happy Easter

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ST. WALBURG & DISTRICT FOOD PANTRY @ THE UNITED CHURCH (117 MAIN STREET)

THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH FROM 1 PM TO 3 PM

Serving St. Walburg, Loon Lake and Paradise Hill
Contact information: Heather Oberhofer 306.392.9181

DO I CALL 911?

If you have an emergency, dial 911. Call 911 when you require a response from one or more of the following emergency services: police, medical personnel, firefighters, and rescue personnel.

Police Emergencies

Are you in danger, or is someone's life in danger? If a crime was committed, can you provide a description of the offender? Are there weapons involved?

Medical Emergencies

Is the person conscious? Breathing? What else can you tell about the person's condition? Is the person able to tell you anything about the problem he/she is experiencing? Are you able to provide emergency first aid? Is it safe to do so?

Fire Emergencies

Are you in danger? Is anyone trapped or injured? Are smoke and flames visible? What type of fire are you reporting?

Rescue Situations

How many people are trapped or injured or in need of rescue? If the situation involves vehicles, what types of vehicles are involved and how many? Are there any other hazards present? Is there a risk of fire.

- Remain calm, stay on the line and answer all questions asked by the 911 call-taker.

Spring Yard Cleanup

Do some cleaning—clean up the leaves, twigs and other debris that has gathered over the winter.

Apply fertilizer, pre-emergent and weed killer—use a combination of fertilizer, which feeds your grass, and pre-emergent, an herbicide used to prevent weeds.

Mow early, mow often—mow every five days for the first six weeks of spring, depending on the weather, to ensure a thicker, fuller lawn.

Trim the trees—clip away any dead, dying, or diseased branches.

Tend Garden beds—Start raking fallen leaves and digging up dead plants as soon as the soil has thawed.

Please note that the compost site has moved back to north-west of old lagoon lift station.

"April hath put a spirit of youth in everything."

William Shakespeare

... SO... I GUESS WE'RE ELIGIBLE FOR OUR VACCINES
...THEORETICALLY THAT COULD GIVE US ANOTHER FEW
YEARS OF WEDDED BLISS... THINK I'M GONNA PASS...
HOW 'BOUT YOU?...



SCHNEIDER 21
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Covid-19 Drive Thru Testing

Available for anyone wanting Covid-19 testing at the hospital in Turtleford. Open 7 days a week 0800-430pm. Please call ahead 306 830 6767

You do not need to be symptomatic for testing. Asymptomatic testing is a proactive approach to keeping our communities safe and our businesses open.

If you come in for asymptomatic testing you do not need to self isolate UNLESS directed by public health



Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Simply put, efficient garbage collection keeps our Town clean. Please have all garbage out before 7:00 a.m. on Tuesday mornings. This eliminates the need for our employees to make unnecessary trips back to collect garbage. Access to transfer site is available by appointment on Tuesday call the office for more information.

COMPOST SITE MOVED

Our compost site has moved from behind the Farmhouse back to northeast of old lagoon lift station. Please follow signage. Do not leave any materials that cannot compost. This site is monitored.

SAVE THE DATE SPRING CLEAN-UP

Thursday, May 13 @ 6:30 p.m. weather permitting (May 20th alternate date)

Pick up the garbage bags at Kim's service by 6:30 pm and mark your area on the map provided. Please come out and help clean-up our community. We hope to see you all there!



With the current restrictions in place we are unable to host Party in the Pasture June 4-6, 2021 as we had hoped. We will continue to monitor the updates from Sk Health Authority and are hopeful that restrictions on gatherings will change and allow us to host an event this year.

We cannot wait until the day we can all once again gather. When we can, it will definitely be the biggest Party in North-west Saskatchewan.

SNOWMAN CONTEST

Hey! Hey! The St. Walburg Knights of Columbus Snowman has fallen. The event occurred on March 20, 2021 at 10:40 p.m.

The St. Walburg Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone who supported us in this project. The winner of the \$412.89 payout was Violet Pachapis. This was a fun and crazy venture. Thank you!



2021 WATER AND SEWER RATE CHANGES

The Town would like to inform all residents of changes to our Water and Sewer rates. The new rates took effect on February 11, 2021, with Saskatchewan Municipal Board approval through Bylaw 2021-01.

2021 Water Rate Structure

4 cubic meters or less	\$33.25
Over 4 cubic meters	\$3.79
Bulk Rate per cubic meter	\$9.20

2021 Sewer Rate Structure Residential

4 cubic meters or less	\$25.00
Over 4 cubic meters	\$3.02

2021 Sewer Rate Structure Commercial

4 cubic meters or less	\$50.00
Over 4 cubic meters	\$3.02



Booking online is fast and easy.



Check your eligibility on saskatchewan.ca/covid19 AND

Have a valid Health Card AND

Have a valid email address OR

Have a cell phone number.

IMPORTANT: If you do not have a valid Health Card, cell phone and/or email address, please call 1-833-SASKVAX (1-833-727-5829) to book your appointment.

To book an appointment online:

- 1 Check your Eligibility**

The Government of Saskatchewan has developed a rollout plan for the COVID-19 vaccine and is described in detail in the [Vaccine Delivery Phases](#). Once you are [eligible](#), you can book online.
- 2 Start the booking** Book Online

Enter your health card number, date of birth and postal code. The system will guide you through a few simple questions, gathering consent, choice of clinic and booking date and time. Friends and family can also help other people book their appointment.
- 3 Confirming the booking**

Provide your information, email address and/or cell phone number and consent to send notifications. For online security, you will need to verify you're not a robot by answering a simple test question.

At this point you can verify the details for your appointment and confirm the booking. You have the option to print the confirmation. You will receive a text and/or email confirmation if you have opted into receiving notifications.



Vaccination appointments will be done according to age. **Currently booking persons age 85 and older.** Additional specific categories will be added when Phase 2 gets underway. Appointments can be made in one of two ways:

Online: saskatchewan.ca/covid19-vaccine

Telephone: 1-833-Sask-Vax (1-833-727-5829)

Online:

To book online go to saskatchewan.ca/covid19-vaccine. This site is mobile friendly.

You will need a valid Saskatchewan health card and a cell number or email address in order to receive a reminder of the appointment 24 hours beforehand. Family members or support persons may book an appointment for an eligible person. The online booking site can be accessed from outside Saskatchewan. The booking site will display a list of clinic options, dates and available appointment times. There are clinic locations across the province. Once a clinic is full it will be removed from the site. Please be patient as more clinics will become available as more vaccine is received.

Telephone:

To book by phone call **1-833-Sask-Vax (1-833-727-5829)** Open 8 am to 11 pm 7 days a week.

Please use the telephone booking option if you do not have a current Saskatchewan Health card or do not have a cell phone or email account. (The exception is Lloydminster residents with an Alberta health card).

When the time comes to add the additional categories, telephone booking must also be used by:

- Health care workers
- Individuals considered clinically extremely vulnerable

Please do not use the phone booking if you are able to book online to conserve this option for those who need it. Please be patient and be prepared to wait if there are high call volumes.

saskatchewan.ca/COVID19



ST. WALBURG CLINIC & LAB SCHEDULE FOR APRIL

Schedule is subject to change without notice.

Please call the St. Walburg Clinic to confirm at (306) 248-3434

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Council Meeting:

April 28, 2021 @ 3 pm

Office Closures:

April 2, 2021 Good Friday

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Should any resident experience a Town Emergency, please call the 24-Hour Emergency Line at (306) 248-3447. For all other life threatening emergencies, please call 911.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Dr. Forganirad NP Peterson	2 STAT HOLIDAY CLOSED
5 STAT HOLIDAY CLOSED	6 Dr. Forganirad	7 LAB	8 Dr. Seratinouri NP Peterson	9 Dr. Seratinouri LAB
12 Dr. Seratinouri NP Peterson LAB	13 Dr. Forganirad NP Peterson	14 NP Peterson LAB	15 Dr. Forghanirad NP Peterson	16 Dr. Seratinouri NP Peterson LAB
19 Dr. Seratinouri NP Peterson LAB	20 Dr. Forghanirad NP Peterson	21 Dr. Forghanirad NP Peterson LAB	22 Dr. Seratinouri NP Peterson	23 NP Peterson LAB
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