

NEWS AND PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice of Public Meeting on Zoning By-law Amendment

The Council of The Corporation of the Township of South Frontenac will hold a public meeting on June 18, 2024, at 7 pm to consider a Zoning By-law Amendment in accordance with Section 34 of the Planning Act.

The purpose of the Zoning By-law Amendment is to make changes to Zoning By-law No. 2003-75 to (1) authorize staff to make editorial revisions to the Zoning By-law, (2) add penalties for contravening the zoning by-law, (3) correct the Schedule "I" exception area for Sydenham water connections, (4) add a new section for site-specific holding symbols, and (5) place a holding symbol on 6082 Cemetery Road to address archaeology matters.

This amendment is of general application to all lands in the Township. The Council Report and draft Amendment which includes key maps showing property-specific changes can be viewed on the May 21, 2024 Council Agenda on our CivicWeb platform.

For more information, including information about appeal rights, contact Christine Woods, Senior Planner at cwoods@southfrontenac.net or by phone at 613-376-3027, or see the News and Public Notices page on our website. Quote file number PL-ZBA-2024-0028.

Notice of Public Meeting on Development Charges Study

The Council of The Corporation of the Township of South Frontenac will hold a public meeting pursuant to section 12 of the Development Charges Act, 1997, as amended, to present and obtain public input on the municipality's proposed development charges (D.C.) by-law and underlying background study on Thursday, June 20, 2024 at 7 pm at 4432 George Street, Sydenham. The background study was posted on our website on May 16, 2024.

Interested persons may express their comments at the public meeting or in writing to planning@southfrontenac.net before 2 pm June 19, 2024.

Road Construction Season Underway

The 2024 construction season has begun. See our Road Closures and Construction page on our website for details on the main road construction projects planned this summer. You can also see real-time traffic updates on Municipal 511 on this page. Some of the road projects have been funded in part by the Canada Community-Building Fund. Check this column each week for updates. Please help make it a safe summer by reducing speeds in construction zones and obeying crews and traffic signs at all times.

THINGS TO DO

Show Your Pride

June is Pride Month. Pick up your "Everyone is welcome here" sticker from our Township offices, have your teen register to pick up a Pride Kit from Kingston Frontenac Public Library, and take a selfie using the hashtag #SFPride. Show your pride, South Frontenac!

Celebrate Parks and Recreation Month and Music in the Park in Verona

Join us on Saturday, June 22 from 1-3 pm at McMullen Beach in Verona to celebrate Recreation and Parks Month. There will be a disk golf competition, a skills and drills clinic on the new tennis courts with Noble Tennis School, a pop-up StoryWalk installation with Kingston Frontenac Public Library, a free community BBQ hosted by the Verona Lions Club, and live local music as we kick off our Music in the Park summer series.

June is also Seniors Month

In addition to a busy program of fitness classes, Diners Club, and social activities, Southern Frontenac Community Services offers a full array of programs for seniors including meals on wheels, an adult day program, foot care, and in-home respite and home services. Best of all, an annual Grace Activity Pass for adults age 55+ costs just \$40 a year. Check out their services today at sfsc.ca.

Day Camps and Swim Lessons

Swim lesson registration is now open. You can register your child aged 4-12 for a two-week session at three different locations. We still have a few spots left at the McMullen Beach day camp. Visit southfrontenac.net/camp to register and for more information on both programs.

Frontenac Farmers Market

The Frontenac Farmers Market is now open for the season. Be sure to drop by Friday nights from 3-7 pm at Centennial Park in Harrowsmith to shop for local produce and goods.

LIVING HERE

Lake Ecosystem Grant Program Now Open

We are now accepting applications for our Lake Ecosystem Grant Program, which funds projects up to \$10,000 that have a positive impact on the health and welfare of lake ecosystems in South Frontenac. To learn more or apply, see the Grants page on our website under Town Hall.

Fire Ban Status

There is currently no fire ban in place. While we don't require burn permits, any open air fire must be supervised at all times according to our Open Air Burning By-law. The dry summer season is ahead. Be safe and stay on top of fire bans by subscribing to our news page on our website.

Wildfire Safety

Federal officials are warning this year's wildfire season could be worse than last year. We've provided information on our website about what you can do to protect your home and property from wildfires and what to do if you needed to evacuate. Learn more at southfrontenac.net/beprepared.ca.

Reminders for Dog Owners

Now that warmer weather is here, we wanted to remind dog owners to keep their dog on a leash at all times when they are off your property, make sure they have their 2024 dog tag, and always poop 'n scoop. We will issue fines for dog by-law violations. See the Dogs and Animal Control page on our website for details.

TOWN HALL

Upcoming Meetings

Here is a list of upcoming meetings:

- June 4 – Council, 7 pm
- June 13 – Committee of Adjustment, 7 pm
- June 18 – Council, 7 pm

Public meetings take place in person or on Zoom (computer and telephone) and streamed live on our Facebook page @SouthFrontenacTwp. Go to the Events Calendar on our website for the link to register.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Celebrating Community and Culture

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<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;"> <p>JUNE</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; color: blue;">21</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;">  </div> <div style="background-color: #FF8C00; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY</div> </div> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin-top: 5px;">Hike the interpretive trails at Elbow Lake Environmental Centre.</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;"> <p>JUNE</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; color: orange;">22</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;">  </div> <div style="background-color: #008000; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">PARKS MONTH EVENT</div> </div> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin-top: 5px;">McMullen Park, Verona, 1-3 pm. Disk golf, tennis, BBQ and music in the park! All free!</p>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;"> <p>JULY</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; color: green;">01</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-right: 10px;">  </div> <div style="background-color: #DC143C; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">CANADA DAY</div> </div> <p style="font-size: 0.8em; margin-top: 5px;">Celebrations across the Township with fireworks at Gerald Ball Park in Sunbury.</p>