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INFORMATION BULLETIN

For Immediate Release

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Huron-Kinloss COVID-19 Update: Continuity of Business Operations and Municipal Facilities.

The Ontario Government has declared a state of emergency and announced [orders](#), which came into effect at 12:01 a.m. on Thursday, January. 14.

The Township will continue to provide the core services to our residents in a safe manner. Please review the list, below, to see the Township's response to the changes:

Municipal Office, 21 Queen Street in Ripley will be closed to the public until further notice. Staff will be available by appointment, phone or e-mail by contacting 519-395-3735 or info@huronkinloss.com.

Please note you can apply for your [dog licences](#), [fire permits](#) and [building permits](#) online.

Council and Committee meetings will continue in an electronic format. Meetings are streamed through Zoom and can be accessed on the [website](#).

Landfill: The Huron Landfill remains open. Operating hours are Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Garbage and recycling pick-up in the Township of Huron-Kinloss will continue as scheduled and residents are urged to please utilize this service rather than visit the Huron Landfill site.

Emergency Services: The Ripley-Huron Fire Hall and the Lucknow Fire Hall, are closed to the public until further notice. The Township of Huron-Kinloss Emergency Services Department will continue to provide Emergency Response services to the community without delay or interruption.

Finance: Taxes and Municipal Payments will continue to be processed. For all tax inquiries, questions about payments, or concerns, please contact the Treasury Department 519-395-3735. Pre-authorized payments and previously submitted post-dated cheques will continue to be processed as usual.

Building and Planning: The Building & Planning Department will continue to operate. Residents wishing to obtain building permits can drop off documentation in the Municipal Office Drop Box or contact the Municipal Office to obtain our Building Department's contact information to arrange details via telephone or email.

By-Law: By-Law Enforcement in the Township of Huron-Kinloss will continue. To report By-Law complaints please contact 519-395-3735 or for emergencies contact 519-395-3844; response time will vary based on the nature of complaint.

Recreation: All Recreation Facilities in the Township of Huron-Kinloss will be closed until further notice including:

- The Ripley Huron Community Centre
- Point Clark Community Centre
- Lucknow Town Hall

Outdoor amenities: Outdoor recreation amenities including public trails, playgrounds and the Point Clark Dog Park remain open.

For more information, please contact our Community Services Department by email myoung@huronkinloss.com or by calling 519-395-2909.

For all inquiries related to the Ripley Cemetery, please call 519-395-3735 or email mfair@huronkinloss.com

The Lucknow & District Sports Complex will be closed until the province permits re-opening. If you have questions about the Lucknow & District Sports Complex please contact 519-528-3002 ext. 1 or lucrec@hurontel.on.ca

The Hub: The Hub, located at 46 Queen St. will be closed to the public until further notice. Staff will be available by appointment only. Contact Lauren at leby@huronkinloss.com or 519-395-4225.

Business: Business: We are communicating information and opportunities available for businesses through our [Do Business Huron-Kinloss Facebook page](#). The Township launched a [COVID-19 Business Supports](#) webpage and partners with Bruce County to keep the [Open in Bruce Map](#) updated for the Huron-Kinloss area. This map shows businesses that are open and/or providing curb-side pick-up, delivery or virtual services. For more information about our business supports, or to add your business to the Open in Bruce Map, please contact our Business & Economic Officer tcronin@huronkinloss.com

Huron-Kinloss Connects: Stay connected and keep the Township informed of roads, snow removal, by-law or other issues in our community by using our report a problem mobile app or web portal. Download the mobile app in the Google Play or Apple App Stores, or access the web portal at www.huronkinloss.com/report-a-problem

Pandemic related information can be found at www.publichealthgreybruce.on.ca and the Ministry of Health website at www.ontario.ca/covid

Township staff is closely monitoring the COVID-19 pandemic in Ontario, for up-to-date information check our [website](#) regularly and follow us on **Facebook** or **Twitter** or contact us at (519) 395-3735 or by email info@huronkinloss.com

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