

April 2023 #4

MUNICIPAL INFO

TOWN HALL

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TOWN HALL HOURS

Mon. To Thurs. 8:00a.m. to 4:00p.m.

COUNCIL MEETING DATES

Monday May 1 at 8:00 p.m. Monday June 5 at 8:00 p.m. Monday July 3 at 8:00 p.m. Monday August 7 at 8:00 p.m. Monday September 11 at 8:00 p.m. Monday October 2 at 8:00 p.m. Monday November 6 at 8:00 p.m. Monday December 4 at 8:00 p.m.

2023 TAX INSTALLEMENTS

February 13, 2023 April 17, 2023 June 19, 2023 August 21, 2023

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE MUNICIPAL OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Monday May 22nd 2023 for Victoria Day.

REMINDER 2nd TAX INSTALLMENT

A quick reminder that the second tax installment was due on April 17, 2023, the next one will be due on June 19, 2023.

RABIES VACCINATION CLINIC / TREEE DISTRIBUTION / CAR TIRE COLLECTION

Saturday May 13, at the municipal garage located at 2102, 3rd Concession between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., municipal employees will be present to collect used CAR tires, we will distribute trees free of charge to the citizens of Elgin. In addition, veterinarian Dr. Marc Quenneville will be present between 9:30 and 11:00 to vaccinate your cats and dogs against rabies at a cost of \$20.00 each. If your pet received its first rabies shot, it is recommended that it be vaccinated again 1 year later, following the 2nd shot, the vaccine is effective for 3 years.

GARBAGE AND RECYCLING

For your information, the Municipality of Elgin has a population of 400 citizens. The tonnages that the citizens of Elgin have generated over the past 3 years:

	Garbage	Recycling
2020	157.37mt	41.51mt
2021	155.67mt	43.83mt
2022	147.18mt	38.58mt

To reduce removal, transport and landfill costs for the municipality. The Municipality has applied for a grant for the purchase of domestic composters for every home in the municipality. The grant from the 2013-2020 Climate Change Action Plan (PACC 2013-2020) has been awarded to the Municipality of Elgin.



The domestic composters and a 7-liter kitchen bin have been purchased and will be delivered (free of charge) by our road work guys (Tim and Terry) to every home in the municipality in the next few weeks along with a little introduction to composting booklet for your information.

Once all the bins will be delivered, we will be holding an information session evening at the Town Hall to help you produce quality compost (date and time will be conformed at a later date).

We hope that you will use these domestic composters to help us in continuing to reduce the tonnages and costs for garbage and recycling in the future.

REMINDER - RECOVERY OF AGRICULTURAL PLASTICS

Haut-Saint-Laurent producers have access to three collection sites:

- - Municipal garage of Saint-Anicet at 5001, route 132, Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.;
- - UNIAG Sainte-Martine at 195, rue Sainte-Marie, Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.;
- - Municipal garage of Hinchinbrooke located at 315, route 202;

The plastics must be shaken to remove as much debris as possible and be dry before being accumulated in the AgriRÉCUP bags or in the baler.

Producers will have to get AgriRÉCUP bags at one of the three collection sites mentioned above. At the farm, plastics will be sorted and bagged according to the following four categories:

- 1) wraps for silage bales,
- 2) tarpaulins and silage bags,
- 3) strings and ropes,
- 4) nets.

<u>Important:</u> It is very important not to mix the four categories of plastics, i.e. the wraps for the balls, the plastics must be shaken to remove as much debris as possible and be dry before being accumulated in the AgriRÉCUP bags or in the baler, in order to comply with the requirements of recyclers and partner processors. No bulk plastic will be accepted at collection sites.

COLLABORATION WITH STE-BARBE – ECO-CENTER

The Elgin Municipal council has decided to collaborate with the Municipality of Ste-Barbe in their Eco-center project, this collaboration will have a positive environmental impact and compliance with government strategy and objectives.

KELVINGROVE BRIDGE – ON THE PAUL SIDE ROAD

Following an agreement signed with the Ministère des Transports and the Municipality of Godmanchester, this spring, Elgin will be installing a membrane and repaving the Kelvingrove Bridge on the Paul Side Road.

Here are the payment methods available to pay your taxes:

- You can pay from your bank account (CIBC, BMO or Desjardins) with the bill payment option with your (10 digit) registration number which is on your tax bill, please choose ELGIN, MUNICIPALITY OF, TAX as the supplier/payee.
- You can send a check to the Town Hall: 933, 2nd Concession Elgin, QC J0S 2E0
- You can come to the office to pay cash or by check, if necessary, there is a slot in the middle of the door to deposit your payment.
- We also offer the option of making an INTERAC transfer to email: dg@munelgin.ca
 Security question: **Taxes for which municipality?** Answer: **Elgin**