



WEEK OF OCTOBER 21, 2024

Administration Services

 Mayor Smith-Gatcke received the First Poppy of 2024 from Seeley's Bay Royal Canadian Legion Branch #491, presented by Branch President Will Waddell, on Thursday, October 24 in Council Chambers. The First Poppy presentation marks the official start of the Poppy Campaign, honoring veterans.

Corporate Services

- Special Event Permits
 - A Special Event Permit has been approved for a Fishing Derby weigh station on October 27 at Furnace Falls Park in Lyndhurst, hosted by the Kingston Avid Anglers.
 - A Special Event Permit from the Frontenac Arch Chamber for the annual Lyndhurst Santa Claus Parade and Christmas in the Park event, scheduled for November 23, 2024, in Lyndhurst, has been approved.
 - A Special Event Permit from the Lansdowne Agricultural Society for the annual Lansdowne Santa Claus Parade, scheduled for November 17, 2024 in Lansdowne is being reviewed.
- Registration is still open for the Seniors Expo on Monday, November 18, 2024 at the Seeley's Bay Community Hall. Lunch is being provided so registration is required. Register on-line, or by calling 613-659-2415 ext. 207.
- Partnership for Economic Enhancement and Revitalization (PEER) working group met on Wednesday, October 23. Leeds and Grenville Public Health Unit gave a presentation on the process and requirements of food vendors for Special Events and/or one day community events.
- For a list of local and area events, please refer to our <u>calendar</u>.

Fire Services

Fire Services

- Fire Services responded to 4 incidents this week: 1 public assistance/inspection, 1 vehicle fire and 2 fires, one on the St. Lawrence River and one on Charleston Lake.
 Fire Services reminds all residents to ensure outdoor fires are totally extinguished before leaving.
- Tanker shuttle training was held on Monday, October 21, with firefighters from all four stations. This annual event prepares teams for accreditation by using a water source (dry hydrant) and a water source site with team coordination.





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Fire Services cont'd

Regional Training Centre

• The second weekend of NFPA 1002 pump operations, including skills and testing are scheduled for this weekend at Leeds Station 3.

Fire Prevention

- Two fire investigations are underway.
- Follow-ups continue with several files.
- Reinspection on a commercial property.

Operations & Infrastructure

Administration

- Applications for Private Road Grant for 2025 Maintenance Activities is open. The deadline for submissions is October 31.
- The 2024 Capital Work on Private Roads projects inspections are wrapping up.
- Henderson Construction is awarded the contract for the Lansdowne Waste Disposal Site Mining Feasibility Study.

Infrastructure and Environment Services

- Seeley's Bay Harbour ramp maintenance was completed.
- Fire Safety inspection was completed.
- Lansdowne and Lyndhurst Waste Disposal Site public access roads reconstruction is commencing.
- Datacall Audit completed.

Road

- Culverts and ditching on Sand Bay Rd. and Grenadier Island.
- Hard top patching and roadside brushing continues.
- Sign repairs are underway.
- Emergency sidewalk closure on Prince St. Lansdowne.





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Building and Planning

Meetings

- A public meeting regarding a proposed communications tower will be held on Tuesday, November 12, at 6 p.m. in the Council Chambers.
 - The tower is proposed on the subject property, located approximately 450m north of Highway 401 and Reynolds Road (County Road 3). The proposed tower is required to provide Xplore customers with improved internet network coverage and data services for the County Road 3, Highway 401 region, and surrounding areas. Additional information regarding the application is available on the <u>Township's website</u>.