

North Frontenac COVID-19 Reference Sheet

Emergency Declaration

North Frontenac declared a [State of Emergency](#) effective March 27, 2020 and it in effect until further notice.

Township Office

The Township Office remains [closed](#) until further notice. If you require assistance please contact the Township by phone, e-mail, mail or mail drop box.

Seasonal Residents

A Seasonal Resident is defined as a person whose cottage or trailer is not their primary residence and the primary use is for recreational/vacation. The Province and Public Health Units are requesting everyone stay home in their primary residence and to avoid travelling to secondary dwellings such as cottages, trailers, vacant land and hunting camps for recreational purposes until further notice. If you feel you have to come to your seasonal property we are asking that you self-isolate for 14 days, starting the day of your arrival, practice [physical distancing](#) and in accordance with the Provincial Order regarding public events of over 5 people being prohibited (i.e. do not bring guests to your cottage). We also request you bring enough supplies to last the duration of your stay or 14 days whichever is less and after this period you may shop in local stores using the safety measures they have in place (i.e. curbside pick-up, delivery, shop for you, etc.). These recommendations are in place to ensure the health and safety of our residents and businesses and not overload our health care centers.

Council Meetings

Council Meetings will be held using electronic participation. Details on how the public will be able to access the Meetings will be posted on the Township's website prior to the Meetings or by contacting the Clerk's Department.

Property Taxes

Tax Payment [Due Date](#) has been extended to April 27, 2020. Penalty & Interest relief to include May 1, 2020 (providing two months relief) and to not charge Penalty and Interest on any unpaid 2020 levied taxes only (not prior years) for the months of June, July and August of 2020.

Dog Tags

Dog Tags are available for purchase at the reduced rate until May 31, 2020. Please visit our [website](#) for further information on how to obtain your Dog Tag.

Campgrounds (Trailer Parks)

Seasonal Trailer Parks and recreational campgrounds are not listed as an essential businesses and, as such are required to be closed. For Ontarians whose only Canadian residence is at one of these seasonal trailer parks or campgrounds, they are permitted to continue their occupancy and complete their mandatory self-isolation, subject to the property owner's approval. [See MMAH/Solicitor General Letter](#)

Boat Launches and Fishing

Boat Launches in North Frontenac remain open at this time to access primary residences or to allow North Frontenac residents to launch boats in the water. Please practice [physical distancing](#), at a minimum of 2 meters (6 feet) at all times while loading/unloading boats and/or fishing on the waterways. Fishing remains open in Ontario and we request you follow all fishing rules and regulations as set out in the [Ontario Fishing Regulations](#).

Waste Facilities

Waste Sites remain open following the regularly scheduled hours and have [protocols](#) in place for safe dumping – please follow signs at Waste Sites. The Re-Use Centre and Household Hazardous Waste Depot will not be opening until further notice.

Recreational Facilities

All Recreational Facilities, including but not limited to Libraries, Community Halls, Dark Sky Preserve, [Crown Land Stewardship Program \(CLSP\)](#), (with the exception of Crown Road access and Boat Launches), Parks/Playgrounds, Beaches, etc. are closed at this time.

Building Department

"In accordance with the [Provincial Regulation made under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act](#), effective Saturday April 04, 2020 at 11:59 pm, the Township of North Frontenac will not be inspecting any construction projects that are not deemed essential by the Provincial Order. All non-essential construction projects are required to cease construction. [Construction projects deemed essential](#) in Sections 27 to 31 of the Emergency Order may continue." Visit our [website](#) for further information.

Fire Ban

The Province issued a [Restricted Fire Zone \(RFZ\)](#), which includes North Frontenac and supersedes our Fire Regulations. Fire Complaints that are not in compliance with the Restricted Fire Zone should be directed to MNRH Halliburton – 1-705-754-1902.

Local Services

For further information regarding local services such as Health Care, Groceries, Food Banks etc. please visit our [COVID-19 webpage](#).

Other Agencies

[Federal](#), [Provincial](#) and [KFL&A Public Health](#) information regarding legislation, recommendations or funding for families/businesses can be found at the corresponding websites.

**If you have a COVID-19 complaint, please submit a complaint to
KFL&A Public Health [online](#).**