

# The Township of St. Joseph

## Protect our Sewer system

### Top 10 things **NOT** to Flush Down the Toilet

1. Cooking Grease / Food
2. Baby Wipes / Moist wipes / Cleaning Pads
3. Feminine Products
4. Dental Floss
5. Q-tips / Cotton Balls
6. Diapers
7. Medication (return to pharmacy)
8. Paper Towels / Kleenex
9. Cigarette Butts
10. Latex of any kind

**What does that leave? Not much! Human waste and regular toilet paper are the only things you should flush!**

**What can you do to help prevent sewer system blockages?**

**NEVER pour grease down sink drains or into toilets.**

**DO put basket/strainers into sink drains to catch food scraps and other solids. Empty the drain basket/strainer into the compost or garbage for disposal.**



## 2021 Holiday Hours of Operation

**Municipal Office and Trefry Centre**  
Closed Noon Dec. 24 – Reopen Jan 4, 2022

### Landfill

Closed Dec. 25,  
Open Dec. 26, 2-8 and Dec. 27, 8-2  
Open Jan. 1,  
2022, 8 -2

## January 2022 Council

Council schedule shall be adjusted to hold the first Council meeting of 2022 on January 19, 2022

**Algoma Public Health will host a COVID-19 Immunization Clinic at the Royal Canadian Legion in Richards Landing on December 16<sup>th</sup>. The clinic will have appointments for:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> doses for anyone eligible
- 3<sup>rd</sup> doses for adults who are 70+ and 6 months (168) days after their second dose
- Pediatric dose appointments for 5-11 year olds

BOOK APPOINTMENT BY PHONE

705-541-7370 OR TOLL FREE: 1-888-440-3730

PHONE LINE HOURS: 9:00AM - 4:00PM (MONDAY – FRIDAY)

There will be upcoming clinics in 2022 as well.

## NOTICE OF PASSING - A BY-LAW TO AMEND THE ZONING BY-

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of The Township of St. Joseph passed By-law 2021-38 on December first, 2021 in accordance with Section 34 of the Planning Act having the following Purpose and Effect:

To reduce the minimum lot size from 1 hectare (2.5 acres) to about 0.35 hectares (0.88 acres).

The property located at Part of Lot 20, Con D, located at 2304 Shore Road in The Township of St. Joseph. The Zoning Amendment approved December 1, 2021, permits the reduction of the minimum lot size and was a condition of a pending consent application

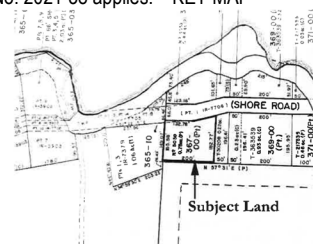
TAKE NOTICE that any person or agency may appeal to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) in respect of the by-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of The Township of St. Joseph no later than the Twenty Second day of December 2021, a notice of appeal setting out the reasons for the appeal. A notice of appeal must be accompanied by the fee required by the Local Planning Appeals Tribunal.

Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a zoning by-law to the Local Planning Appeals Tribunal. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf.

An explanation of the purpose and effect of the by-law, a description of the lands to which the by-law applies, and a key map showing the location of the lands to which the by-law applies, are below. The complete by-law is available for inspection at the Township Office during regular office hours.

Dated at The Township of St. Joseph, December 2, 2021

Amanda Richardson, Clerk Administrator, The Corporation of The Township of St. Joseph P.O. Box 187, Richards Landing, Ontario P0R 1J0  
The key map shows the location to which By-law No. 2021-38 applies. KEY MAP –





The Municipal Office is open to serve you!

The municipal office is open to the public at our safe and convenient entry kiosk, Monday to Friday from 8:30 am to 4 pm at 1669 Arthur Street in Richards Landing.

Drop by and we'll be right out to help you with any questions, concerns, payments or other business.

Feel free to use our secure mail slot any time of day or night for easy submission of applications, cheque payments or other documents.

If you would rather be served by telephone please call us at 705-246-2625. We are here to take your calls during regular hours, and if we miss your call we will be sure to answer your message as soon as possible.

Information and applications can be found on our newly updated website. [www.stjosephtownship.com](http://www.stjosephtownship.com)

Scan our QR code and it will take you there for a tour!



FB Community Notices  
@stjoecommunity notices

FB Events and Activities  
@StJosephTwp

Instagram @twpstjoseph



## DR. TREFRY CENTER NEWS

### Drivers Needed

The Dr. HS Trefry Memorial Centre is in urgent need of drivers for both our Medical Transportation & Meals on Wheels programs servicing communities between Echo Bay & Thessalon, including St. Joseph Island.

Please contact us for more info, if you're able to volunteer some time to help us out. Drivers reimbursed for mileage.  
705-246-0036 transportation@trefrycentre.ca



Dr. HS Trefry Centre  
1601 C Line Richards Landing  
705-246-0036

## PUBLIC WORKS NEWS

### The snow has arrived!



Please remember: our snow removal equipment requires a lot of space to manoeuvre. Be sure to slow down and give us room. Everyone wants to get home safely.

Did you know it's illegal to plow your snow across the roadway or into neighbouring properties? Your snow should be plowed to the sides of your driveway.

**Outdoor Rink News:** We are hoping to open soon. APH regulations will be posted. Keep an eye on our website and Social Media for updates!

# We're working to maintain and improve our Community

With support from Provincial and Federal agencies we are making investments!

There are many provincial and federal grants that The Township of St. Joseph has applied for. Recent successful grant applications include:

**Rural Economic Development:** For landscape and decking repairs to the East Basin of the Marina.

**Enabling Accessibility Grant:** For new accessible auto door openers for the Dr. Trefry Centre, Old Town Hall, and Marina, as well as for a new accessible washroom for the Public Library.

**Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program:** For repairs and improvements to the north wharf of the marina to protect the marina building and create a more climate-proof solution to high water events.

**Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program – Community Culture and Tourism Stream:** For improvements to the Centennial Grounds parking, lighting, soccer fields and washroom and event facilities.

*Council and Staff wish all of our residents a happy and safe holiday season, and all the very best in 2022!*