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## TMA says "no" to passing on double solid yellow lines

EARLTON (Staff) – Temiskaming municipal representatives have supported a proposal that would make it illegal to pass a vehicle when the road is marked by two solid yellow lines.

On January 25, the Temiskaming Municipal Association supported a private member's bill by Mushkegowuk-James Bay MPP Guy Bourgouin to make the move illegal.

The New Democrat MPP introduced a bill last November known as Chad's Law (Enforcing Safe Passing).

**"This government must do more to protect drivers across the entire province."**  
 MPP Guy Bourgouin

It's named for a constituent in his riding whose vehicle was struck by a commercial vehicle that was attempting to overtake another while going uphill.

In a news release last year, Bourgouin said his constituent survived, but was left with serious injuries, including a broken neck, collarbone and sternum and a bruised heart and lungs.

The collision was followed by intensive surgery, months of rehabilitation, and ongoing struggles with chronic pain, deteriorating eyesight, and post-traumatic stress disorder.

In Northern communities around highways 11 and 17, "I've witnessed firsthand the reckless behaviour and challenging conditions these roads pose," Bourgouin said.

"There is simply no need to cross into oncoming traffic in these marked zones."



## SWEEPING MUSIC

Kevin Sopchyshyn, left, and Jeff Manners entertained diners at a spaghetti supper and silent auction last week at the Horne Granite Curling Club. The January 26 event was a fundraiser for Team Julien as it heads to the Under 18 Canadian Curling Championships in Ottawa February 4 through 10. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)

At this time, he said current legislation only cautions against crossing into oncoming lanes under specific conditions.

"We cannot allow Ontario to be the only province that fails to condemn this life-threatening manoeuvre. This government must do more to protect drivers across the entire province."

Bourgouin's bill would amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit passing on a highway painted with double solid yellow lines. Doing so would result in a \$400 fine and three or more demerit points on one's licence.

The bill passed first reading and was ordered for second reading.

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**DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?**

**Here are some January 31, 2024 stories...**

- Volunteers at Temiskaming's food banks say usage rose significantly in this region in 2023 and there is some worry about keeping up with the demand for food in the coming months.
- A wide range of issues affecting rural Ontario municipalities were brought forward for discussion at the annual conference of the Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA) January 21 to 23.
- The North On Tap Craft Beer Festival's organizing committee has announced six local groups will receive the proceeds from this year's event.
- The Ontario Provincial Police are seeking the public's help in solving the murder of a woman 40 years ago.
- DTSSAB has passed its 2024 budget of \$41,908,814.
- The Raven's Nest Sound Stage at the Temagami Train Station is now the scene of monthly live concert musical performances by songwriters from across the region.
- Emergency department visits to Blanche River Health's sites in Kirkland Lake and Englehart were up 24 per cent last year.
- Special Olympics master swimmer Kayla Marwick has qualified for the Special Olympics Ontario Provincial games taking place in Waterloo from May 23-26.
- Thanks to January's snowfalls, the Englehart Nordic Ski Club is now open and ready for cross-country skiers, snowshoers and hikers.



**LIONS AND SOO**

*The U18 New Liskeard Lions hosted the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds January 28 at the Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena. The visitors were able to get by the Lions 3-1. New Liskeard is back in action at The Shep Saturday, February 3, when they host the Sudbury U16AA Wolves at 12:50 and 6:30 p.m. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)*

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# Winterpalooza brings fun and challenges to cadets

**Darlene Wroe**

Local Journalism Initiative Reporter

ENGLEHART – Human bowling, igloo building, basketball – all were part of the Winterpalooza extravaganza hosted in Englehart.

Cadets from the Northern Ontario air, army and sea squadrons attended the event in Englehart January 19 to 21. Sudbury, Sault Ste Marie and Thunder Bay hosted their own events the same weekend.

In Englehart, almost 160 cadets from 13 different squadrons – from Timmins to Hearst – participated in activities that allowed them to work together to solve both challenging and fun competitions.

Cadet leaders had been meeting since October to prepare for the event.

About 40 cadets did not attend from various locations due to the weather or because of flu symptoms, said Englehart 355 Polaris Squadron Commander Officer Sylvianne Desilets.

Second-class Cadet Warrant Officer Craig Ross oversaw the Englehart event under the guidance of Desilets who in turn was under the guidance of North Bay/Hearst Zone Training Officer Lieutenant Jean-Marc Leblond.

*Story continued on 12*

*More photos on page 10*

## Answers for Crossword Puzzle from page 9

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NEGLIGEE	ONCE	
	ATE	NEIGHS
SPRY	DIAL	
ORE	STRESSFUL	
SEA	ARISE	ANY
OPPONENTS	TIE	
	BEAK	BETS
ELDERS	SHE	
BUOY	UPTODATE	
BASE	REAR	COO
SUED	YARN	TON



*The Winterpalooza in Englehart extended to Kap-Kig-Iwan Provincial Park where cadets were able to enjoy the setting by skiing, snowshoeing and sliding. Pictured here from the left are Timmins sea officer Connor Stewart, North Bay sea cadet Alex Closs, North Bay air cadet A.J. Thiessen, and Englehart air cadet Alexi Robert. (LJI photo by Darlene Wroe)*

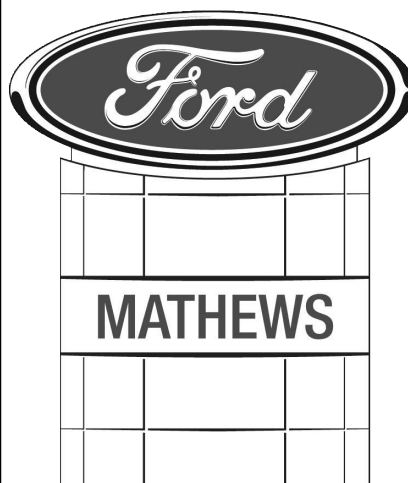
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**Pauline Quilty  
1944-2023**



Hard to believe a year has gone by since Diane and I held your hand. Harder still, is eight weeks after you left this side of heaven, Diane went with you. Although I have let go of your hands, I will always hold on to you in my heart.

*Love you mom...  
and little sister.  
Barbara*



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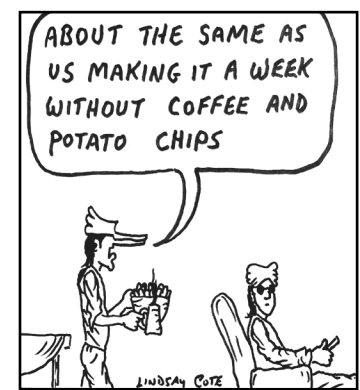
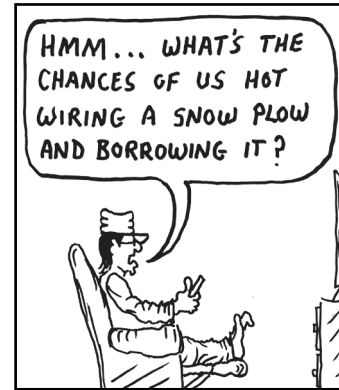
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## EDITORIAL

# Valuing foreign students

The federal government has just capped the number of foreign students that can enter the country for post-secondary education at Canada's colleges, universities and private schools.

According to Statistics Canada, the number of foreign students entering Canada has jumped from 617,000 to more than a million over the last two years.

The government will cut the number of study permits by 35 per cent this year in Ontario.

The influx of international students is said to be a factor causing housing problems and social service issues in some of the communities where these students are residing.

While the government took a swing at foreign students with its new immigration policy, it should have punched itself in the head for allowing the housing crisis to go unchecked for so long in this country.

And the government allowed colleges and universities to thrive from foreign student tuition fees, while taking its fair share of tax monies in the process.

It is not the wealthy students that will suffer, but the underprivileged ones who want to make a better life for themselves in Canada.

Have we forgotten this country and region was built on immigrant knowledge and resourcefulness?

And in Northern Ontario, the influx of international students can be seen as a positive occurrence.

The students are attending Northern College, paying for tuition, living in our region and promoting commerce here.

They are also enhancing life in the region by bringing the best of their culture, which diversifies our region.

We also see these hard working students filling job vacancies at local businesses that perhaps were struggling to find enough workers of late.

The labour market is enriched for having international students in the workforce.

The government is saying many of these students are being exploited by various shady educational institutions and the students are receiving phoney degrees.

Let the government crack down on those institutions and individuals that would take advantage of those students.

Governments have been ignoring the need to deal effectively with the housing crisis for decades.

Don't punish the students themselves by denying them the right to seek higher levels of education.

Putting extra financial pressures on post-secondary institutions isn't fair either.

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# Beware of scammers

I wanted to talk about a dangerous credit card scam that has been circulating in our region recently.

A co-worker and I both received phone calls from someone claiming to work for our credit card company. They told us our Visas had been compromised to make purchases that we likely did not endorse.

In my case, the person said that my card had been used to cover two purchases, one for \$300 and the other for \$1,300.

I knew immediately this was a scam because my credit card has a spending limit on it.

I hung up the phone before they could talk me into giving them my banking information or my credit card number so the angels could help me fix the problem.

Those low-life scammers were trying to bilk me out of my hard-earned money.

My co-worker smelled a rat and also hung up.

I looked at the number that had called me and it was from Romania.

We both decided a call to police was in order to alert them of the scammers.

When I called police they told me they had received a number of complaints about these phoney credit card calls in our area and then they gave me the number of the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre.

That number is 1-888-495-8501.

I sure hope innocent folks are not being scammed due to this credit card trickery.

Readers, your bank is not going to call you about someone unlawfully using your credit card.

Please, as soon as a number appears on your phone you don't recognize and a voice comes on that you don't know talking about your finances, hang up the phone immediately.

If you are unsure if your cred-



Sue Nielsen

it card has actually been used without your authorization, visit your local bank or call them.

Banks are not going to ask you for your personal banking information as they already have it.

For heavens sake, DO NOT give out any personal banking information, or your social security number or computer passwords. Just hang up.

It makes me sick to think innocent people could be scammed out of thousands of dollars.

A friend told me her mother had been scammed out of \$10,000 and she never got her money back.

Seniors in particular are very vulnerable to these scams.

An Ipsos Reid poll says 45 per cent of Canadians have been scammed or been a victim of fraud in their lifetime.

Those numbers may not include all the people who are too embarrassed to admit they have been scammed.

Please have those conversations with your loved ones about phone scams. Education is the key to curbing this type of fraud.

Why can't telephone companies block scam phone calls?

Don't tell me that we can't find these scammers and prosecute them. We can send space-ships to Jupiter, find Osama Bin Laden in a hole in the ground in the desert, so why not put our intelligence to work to protect innocent people from being scammed?

We should not be afraid of simply answering our phones but that's what it is coming down to these days because of scammers.

If my phone rings I check the number first to see if I know the caller before answering. If not, I let it go to voicemail.

Please be extra careful about your personal information. Keep it to yourself.

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#### Council Meetings

Monday, February 5, 2024

Monday, February 26, 2024

All meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

#### MUNICIPAL BUDGET – PUBLIC MEETING

Section 290 (1) of the Municipal Act, 2001 states that a local municipality shall prepare and adopt a budget including estimates of all sums required during the year for municipal operations.

Notice is hereby given of Council's intention to adopt the 2024 Municipal Budget for the Township of Coleman. A Public Meeting to consider the adoption of the Budget will be held on **Monday, February 26, 2024 at 6 p.m.** in the Township Council Chambers at 937907 Marsh Bay Road.

#### 2024 DOG TAGS

**Do you have your 2024 Dog Tag yet?**

Costs for a Dog Tag are as follows:

Spayed/Neutered Dog	\$10.00
Non-Spayed/Non-Neutered Dog	\$20.00

Tags and renewal can be obtained by contacting the Township Office.

#### MUNICIPAL WASTE SITE

Hours of Operation:

Tuesdays 9am – 4pm

Saturdays 9am – 4pm

#### GARBAGE COLLECTION

Collection occurs every Tuesday. Residents are required to have garbage bags no heavier than 40 lbs in containers ready for pick-up by 7am. Maximum of three (3) bags per week. Oversized bags will be tagged and left at the curb.

#### RECYCLING SCHEDULE

February 6, 2024

February 20, 2024

March 5, 2024

March 19, 2024

April 2, 2024

April 16, 2024



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### **FAMILY DAY WEEKEND**

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#### **BRUNCH**

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#### **DRAW**

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## Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

### What is Celiac Disease?

Celiac disease (CD) is a common disorder that is estimated to affect about one percent of the population. It is a condition in which the absorptive surface of the small intestine is damaged by a substance called gluten. Gluten is a group of proteins present in wheat, rye and barley and their cross bred grains. The damage to the intestine can lead to a variety of symptoms and result in an inability of the body to absorb nutrients such as protein, fat, carbohydrates, vitamins and minerals, which are necessary for good health.

#### Symptoms

##### Common (typical) symptoms include:

- Abdominal pain
- Chronic diarrhea
- Malabsorption
- Weight loss

##### Less common (atypical) symptoms include:

- Anemia
- Osteoporosis
- Extreme fatigue
- Mouth ulcers
- Liver enzyme abnormalities
- Constipation
- Infertility
- Dental enamel defects
- neurological problems

\*Children can present with short stature, irritability and vomiting

#### Diagnosis

##### (1). Screening

The IgA-tissue transglutaminase (TTG) antibody is the currently recommended test for screening. You must be on a regular (gluten-containing) diet at the time of testing to make the results valid.

##### (2). Biopsy

The definitive diagnosis of CD is made by a small intestinal biopsy. The biopsy is performed via endoscopy. Again, it is important that gluten not be removed from the diet before the biopsy is completed as it may impair the confirmation of the diagnosis.

#### Treatment

At present, there is no permanent cure for CD but it can be effectively treated with a gluten-free diet. Gluten-free eating can be challenging and complicated. A consultation with a registered dietitian with expertise in gluten-free diet would be beneficial. Careful label reading each time when buying food items is important.

If you think you may have celiac disease and your primary care provider hasn't raised the possibility, don't be afraid to bring it up yourself. You are an important member of your health care team.

**The Temagami Medical Centre and Family Health Team...  
committed to keeping you as healthy as possible**

Resources: Canadian Celiac Association



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## HOROSCOPE

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 4 TO 10, 2024

The luckiest signs this week:  
Aquarius, Pisces and Aries

March 21 - April 19



**ARIES** Unexpected circumstances could cause delays. Give yourself plenty of time between appointments to relieve some of the pressure. This is a good time to start your own business.

April 20 - May 20



**TAURUS** You could be invited on a getaway with a few friends. Nothing will bring you more joy than a change of scenery, even if it's just to spend some time in nature. This is especially true if you live in the city.

May 21 - June 21



**GEMINI** You may experience a wide range of emotions this week. You'll need to sort out your group of friends. Some may not be worthy of your friendship, as they act more like opportunists. Assert your values to earn respect in the process.

June 22 - July 22



**CANCER** You may be under considerable pressure to make a crucial decision. However, you must gather all the relevant information to make an informed decision. Weigh the pros and cons. Give yourself the time you need.

July 23 - August 22



**LEO** You'll be overwhelmed with urgent tasks at work this week. Although stressful, this situation will have a positive impact on your career. Opportunities for advancement may emerge.

August 23 - September 22



**VIRGO** Even if you tend to be a private person, you'll find yourself in the limelight. This situation will require you to overcome your shyness. Many people will express their admiration for you, and you'll show them your gratitude.

September 23 - October 22



**LIBRA** If your children left the nest a while ago, you may consider selling the family home to enjoy more freedom. If you're in a new relationship, you may consider moving in together soon.

October 23 - November 21



**SCORPIO** You'll be involved in various discussions this week. You'll expand your customer base and unite your staff. Your guidance and advice will be well received. This will have a positive impact on your finances.

November 22 - December 21



**SAGITTARIUS** Money is a source of stress for many people. Talk to an expert to identify solutions and give yourself a well-deserved break from pinching pennies.

December 22 - January 19



**CAPRICORN** You're full of energy and ready to take the world by storm! You'll be inspired to take on new things, both at work and at home. This will bring you a deep sense of satisfaction.

January 20 - February 18



**AQUARIUS** You'll feel the need to be supported both professionally and personally. You'll give everything you have to someone close to you. Your generosity may sometimes be taken for granted.

February 19 - March 20



**PISCES** This week will be full of tension. This could push you to pay more attention to your well-being and boost your physical activity. As a foodie, it's good for your morale to indulge in a few sweet treats from time to time.



**ACROSS**

- 1. Liveliness
- 4. Las Vegas machine
- 8. Unexpected slide
- 12. Affirmative vote
- 13. Bare
- 14. Feel sorry for
- 15. Trousseau item
- 17. Single time
- 18. Had a bagel
- 19. Whinnies
- 21. Agile
- 24. Operate a phone
- 25. Mine deposit
- 26. Trying
- 31. \_\_\_\_\_ horse
- 32. Get up
- 33. One chosen at random
- 34. Rivals
- 36. Connecting link
- 37. Crow's bill
- 38. Reno items
- 39. Church officials
- 42. This girl
- 44. Anchored marker
- 45. Current
- 50. Diamond feature
- 51. Back part
- 52. Talk fondly
- 53. Brought to court
- 54. Knitter's thread
- 55. Heavy weight

# CROSSWORD

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page 3

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**DOWN**

- 1. Tin \_\_\_\_\_ Alley
- 2. Needle aperture
- 3. Wooden pin
- 4. Bad mood
- 5. Winter Olympics event
- 6. Verse poem
- 7. Smallest
- 8. Ruins
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ Kong
- 10. Scratch
- 11. Fabric pigments
- 16. Reclined
- 20. Slackens
- 21. All right
- 22. Kind of school
- 23. Gather a harvest
- 24. Cocktail
- 26. Of sounder mind
- 27. Government funds locale
- 28. Fortune
- 29. Entity
- 30. Corrosive liquids
- 35. Heeded
- 38. Crib
- 39. Lessens
- 40. Hawaiian feast
- 41. Medicine measure
- 42. Heavenly body
- 43. Cornet or trumpet
- 46. Round vegetable
- 47. Deed
- 48. In addition
- 49. Long timespan



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## Public Notice of Application for Consent

### Clause 53(5)(a) of the *Planning Act*

The Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing has received **Application No. 54-C-234102** for a consent in the unincorporated township of Marquis, District of Timiskaming. The subject property is described as Lot 6 & 7, Concession 1, PINs 61252-0124 and 61252-0125.

The application proposes to create one new lot, representing the entirety of PIN 61252-0124. The proposed severed lot would be rectangular in shape and approximately 65 hectares in size with 800 metres of frontage on Hough Lake Road. The lot is currently vacant, and the proposed use is agricultural.

The proposed retained lot would be irregular in shape and approximately 31 hectares in size, with 300 metres of frontage on Hough Lake Road. The proposed retained lot contains an existing residential dwelling, a garage, chicken coop and a barn. The retained lot is serviced with an existing septic system and well.

No new buildings or structures are proposed as a result of this application.

**The purpose of this notice** is to inform the public of the nature of the application, invite public input, advise on how to make comments on the application and advise the public of future notification and appeal rights.

If you wish to comment, please note that your personal information may be used in the decision-making process on this proposal, and it may be used to contact you if clarification of your comment is required. It may be shared (along with your comment) with other Ontario ministries for use in the decision-making process.

**Inquiries, Written Submissions,** and requests to see additional information can be made to David Ferrone, Planner, 249-885-4067, via email at David.ferrone@ontario.ca, or by mail at:

David Ferrone  
Re: 54-C-234102  
Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing,  
Municipal Services Office – North (Sudbury),  
401-159 Cedar Street  
Sudbury ON P3E 6A5.

Appeal of a decision of the Minister in respect of this consent may be made by a specified person or any public body not later than 20 days after notice of the decision is given. If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Minister in respect of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the Minister at the above address. If a person or public body that files an appeal in respect of the proposed consent does not submit written comments to the Minister before the Minister gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Ontario Land Tribunal may dismiss the appeal.

## Avis public de demande d'autorisation

### Alinéa 53 (5) (a) de la *Loi sur l'aménagement du territoire*

Le ministre des Affaires municipales et du Logement a reçu la **demande d'autorisation no 54-C-234102** relative au canton non érigé en municipalité de Marquis (district de Timiskaming). Le bien-fonds visé est décrit comme suit : lot 6 et 7, concession 1, cotes foncières 61252-0124 et 61252-0125.

La demande vise à créer un lot comprenant la totalité du bien-fonds portant la cote foncière 61252-0124. Le nouveau lot serait rectangulaire, mesurerait environ 65 hectares et donnerait sur Hough Lake Road sur 800 mètres. Ce bien-fonds est présentement vacant; il servirait dorénavant à des fins agricoles.

Le lot conservé serait de forme irrégulière, mesurerait environ 31 hectares et donnerait sur Hough Lake Road sur 300 mètres. Il comporte présentement une habitation, un garage, un poulailler et une grange. Il est desservi par un système septique et un puits.

La demande ne propose pas de nouveau bâtiment ni de nouvelle construction.

**Le présent avis a pour but** d'informer le public de la nature de la demande, de solliciter ses commentaires, de lui indiquer comment faire des commentaires sur la demande et de l'informer de ses droits concernant les avis ultérieurs et les appels.

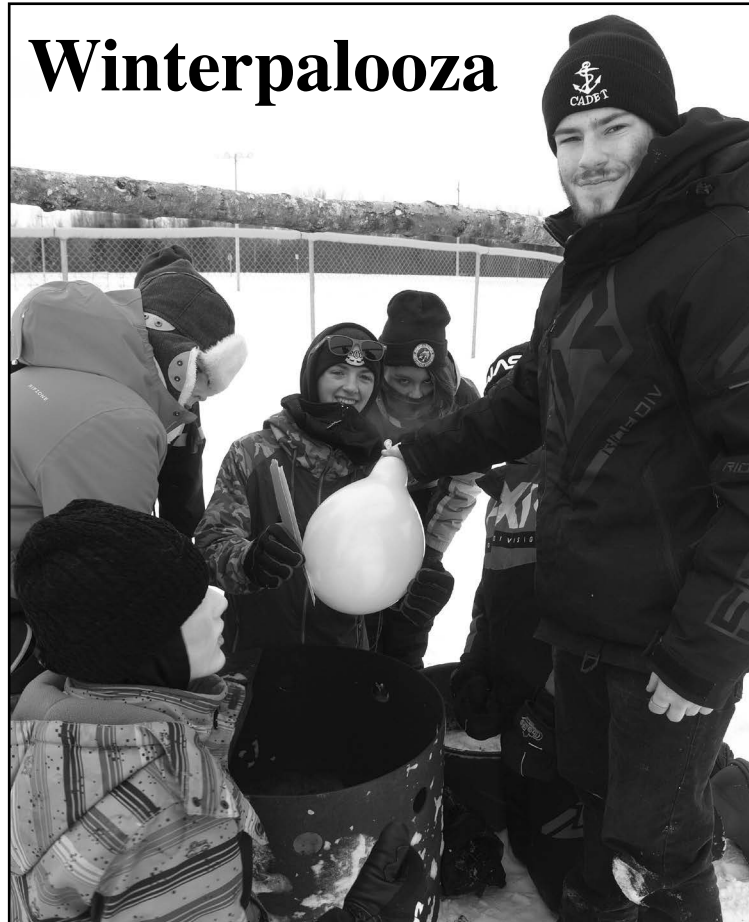
Si vous souhaitez présenter des commentaires, veuillez noter que vos renseignements personnels pourraient être utilisés dans le processus décisionnel lié à la proposition et pour communiquer avec vous si des précisions sur vos commentaires sont nécessaires. Ils pourraient être communiqués (avec vos commentaires) à d'autres ministères de l'Ontario dans le cadre du processus décisionnel.

**On peut communiquer des questions, des observations écrites** et des demandes de renseignements additionnels à David Ferrone, aménageur, par téléphone au 249 885-4067, par courriel à David.ferrone@ontario.ca, ou par la poste à :

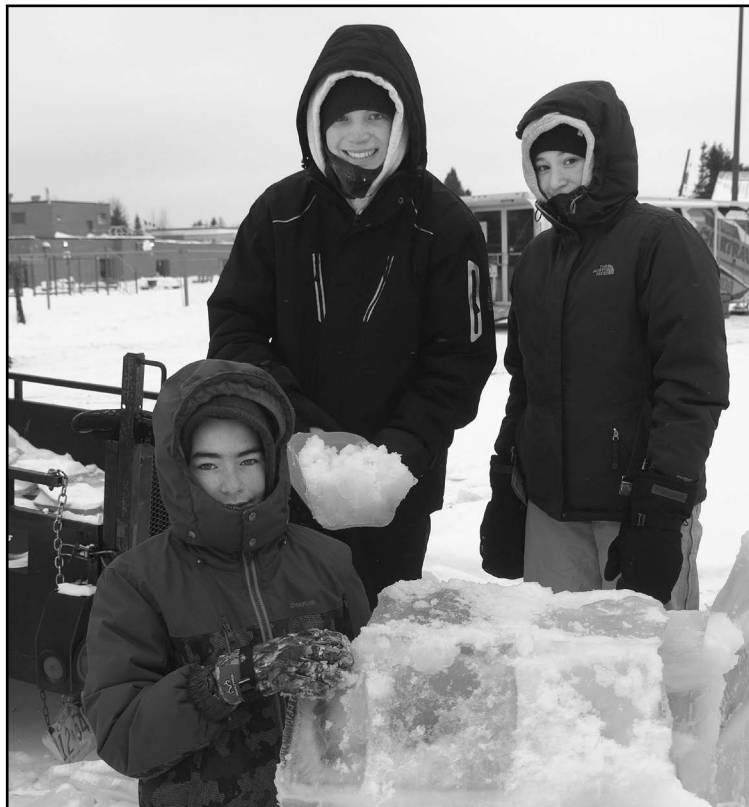
David Ferrone  
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Ministère des Affaires municipales et du Logement,  
Bureau des services aux municipalités du Nord (Sudbury)  
159, rue Cedar, bureau 401  
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Toute personne précisée ou tout organisme public peut interjeter appel d'une décision du ministre concernant l'autorisation au plus tard 20 jours après que l'avis de décision a été donné. Si vous souhaitez qu'on vous informe de la décision du ministre concernant le projet d'autorisation, vous devez en faire la demande par écrit au ministre, à l'adresse indiquée ci-contre. Si la personne ou l'organisme public qui interjette appel de la décision ne présente pas d'observation écrite au ministre avant que ce dernier accepte ou refuse d'accorder une autorisation provisoire, le Tribunal ontarien de l'aménagement du territoire peut rejeter l'appel.

## Winterpalooza



*Jack Whalen of the Timmins sea cadets (right) was leading a fire-building exercise, to make a fire without using matches. The exercise concluded with the popping of a balloon. Other cadets pictured here from left to right are Alexandre Leonard and Jacob Sears of the Hearst army cadets, and Logan Graham and Mark Whittaker of the North Bay army cadets. (LJI photo by Darlene Wroe)*



*Colourful ice igloos were being erected by cadet teams at the Englehart Winterpalooza. From the left are Gryphon Giordano, Isaac Verberne, and Riley Roy, all North Bay army cadets. (LJI photo by Darlene Wroe)*

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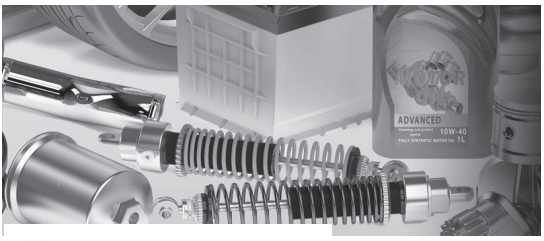


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# RJK Exploration and TFN sign exploration agreement

DISTRICT (Special) - RJK Exploration Ltd. has signed an exploration agreement with Timiskaming First Nation (TFN).

In a press released dated

January 17, RJK Exploration announced that it has an exploration agreement with TFN to cover operational areas of interest within their traditional

territory. The TFN's traditional territory encompasses an area that extends over an area including Rouyn-Noranda and Temiskaming in Quebec, and

Kirkland Lake and Latchford in Ontario.

RJK states that it began discussions with TFN in 2019 for an exploration agreement, and both parties signed an agreement January 3, 2024.

RJK added that James Mackay is now a member of the board of directors.

"Jim has been a strong supporter of RJK and is also an alumni of the Haileybury School of Mines, thereby joining the four current alumni that are part of the core team of RJK," said the company.

Mackay has been an advisor to the company for the past four years, he stated.

"The reason I became an advisor was to join my peers who graduated from the Haileybury School of Mines, in an effort to collectively find the source of the 800 carat Nipissing Diamond. We understand that this

is a difficult task, but with the assembled team of talented graduates, we believe our goal is achievable. I look forward to the future of this project."

RJK also announced that "three award-winning TV producers (have joined) our advisory board. Advisors Stan and Brenda Potts have been producing and hosting North American Whitetail for over 25 years. Advisor Brad Moore retired in 2015 after 32 years of leading the development and production of the Hallmark Hall of Fame, the most honoured series of programs in U.S. television history. RJK will be granting 100,000 options at \$0.10 to several advisors."

RJK is currently finishing its study of the source of the kimberlite indicator and micro-diamond glacial deposits it discovered in 2022.

## Winterpalooza brings fun and challenges to cadets

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The 160 cadets, half of whom were air cadets, were mixed into 18 different groups, led by senior cadets who had not yet quite reached the top level of the cadet program. For cadets who have participated before, the event is an opportunity to get to see friends they have met previously, said Desilets.

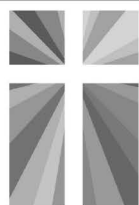
This was the second Area Directed Activity (ADA) that has taken place in Englehart, she commented.

Cadets were made fires and enjoyed carnival activities, ice sculptures, human bowling, igloo building, basketball, and inflatables with competitions such as axe throwing, climbing, and a shooting gallery.

At Kap-Kig-Iwan Provincial Park, the cadets were welcomed by Englehart Nordic Ski Club members where they participated in skiing, snowshoeing, and sliding.

Desilets said the Town of Englehart and the Englehart public works department assisted through the preparation of the site just south of Holy Family School. The school boards also assisted by making the three local schools available if needed, particularly if the cold became a problem.

The Englehart Royal Canadian Legion Branch 104 Ladies' Auxiliary catered the event and provided meals for the cadets.



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## HELP WANTED

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED -**  
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## WANTED

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**LOOKING FOR OLD SNOWMOBILES RUNNING OR NOT FOR PARTS,** old camper trailers & scrap metal. Please call 705-679-3395.

**EIGHTIES LARGE BOOM BOX GHETTO BLASTERS & RECORD PLAYERS** - no CD players. Call or text, 705-648-5392.

**LOOKING FOR PINBALL MACHINES AND TABLE TOP ARCADES FOR MAN CAVE** - Any condition! Willing to travel. Call 705-648-5392.

**WANTED** - Looking to buy farm or land in the New Liskeard to Englehart area. Call or text 705-961-5501.

## NOTICES / COMING EVENTS

**VALENTINE TEA & BAZAAR** at Our Mother of Perpetual Help church on **Saturday, February 10th from 12 - 2 p.m.** Join us for lunch and browse our bake, gift and white elephant tables. **81 Maple St., New Liskeard.**

You are invited to the **SWEET ART CAFE** on **February 11th from 1 to 4 pm** at the **Temiskaming Art Gallery (325 Farr Dr., Haileybury, On).** There will be a bake sale, specialty coffees, live music, TPBC (Temiskaming Palette and Brush Art Club) art sales table, Lionel Venn book signing of his recent book, and galleries Eclectic Collector will still be on display. Everyone welcome, **free admission.**

**PANCAKE SUPPER** on **Tuesday, February 13th from 5 - 7 pm. \$8.00 per person.** At the **Anglican Church in Haileybury** (corner of Rorke and Browning).

**THE COFFEE HOUSE SUPPORTING & PROMOTING LOCAL MUSICIANS AND THEIR MUSIC.** On **TUESDAY FEBRUARY 13TH** please join us once again at **The Coffee House** for our **Valentines Day Edition.** Enjoy the musical stylings of, Steve Benoit, Breeze Z Creek, The Dodds Sisters, Glenn Scott, Julie Preston, Sierra Jessi, I D K, Braydon Muir, Jessica Knott, Bernie Cull & Random Chants. Please join us at St. Paul's United Church auditorium, 7 - 10pm at 70 Wellington St. in New Liskeard for The Coffee House. For further information contact Brian Matheson at 705-647-5671 or email: [coffehouse2tues@outlook.com](mailto:coffehouse2tues@outlook.com) Follow us on Facebook, Instagram & YouTube at: the coffee house new liskeard [www.coffehousenewliskeard.ca](http://www.coffehousenewliskeard.ca)

**ATTENTION KNITTERS:** If you would like to knit for children in the third world, we could use your help. Join us on **Tuesdays at 1:30pm** at the Community of Christ Church on Niven St., New Liskeard. Just bring knitting needles size 4 or 41/2mm. Yarn and needles are available. All are welcome! For more information, call D. Caldwell at 705-647-6056.

**CRIB! EVERY SUNDAY AFTERNOON** at **1:00 pm** at **Haileybury Legion.** Bring your own partner. Everyone Welcome! For info call 705-647-6684

**EUCHRE! EVERY MONDAY AFTERNOON** at **1:00 pm** at **Haileybury Legion.** Everyone Welcome! For info call 705-647-6684

**BID EUCHRE! EVERY TUESDAY AFTERNOON WINTER HOURS** at **1:15 pm** at **Hudson Hall.** Everyone Welcome! For info call 705-647-6684

**LE GRAND JAM** - weekly jam session every **WEDNESDAY** at 1 pm. At Le Coeur Du Village in Earlton. Join us to play, dance and meet up with friends.

**EUCHRE! EVERY THURSDAY AFTERNOON** at **1:15 pm** at **Hudson Hall.** Everyone Welcome!

**TEMISKAMING TREASURES QUILT GUILD** meet the **last Thursday of every month** at 7pm at the St. Pauls & St. Johns Hall (506 Rorke Ave., Haileybury). Welcome to all interested in quilting. For more information please contact Linda at 705-647-5812

**BID EUCHRE** is played at **1 p.m. every Saturday** at the **Northdale Manor.** Players are welcome. Please use the parking lot entrance. Jan. 27 results - First place Bruce Loach, Second place - Roland Lachapelle, Third place - Fran Gaudet, Moon shot - Aileen OGorman.

**MUSIC JAM EVERY 2ND AND 4TH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH** at the **Sacred Heart Church** in the basement from 1pm until 4pm. This is to replace the one we used to hold at the legion. Always good entertainment. Come to play, sing or dance to country music. Bring your friends!

**BREAKFAST IS SERVED AT THE HAILEYBURY LEGION SATURDAY AND SUNDAY MORNINGS FROM 8AM UNTIL 12 NOON.** Bacon and eggs or pancakes, home fries, toast, coffee, tea or juice all for \$10.00 in a welcoming atmosphere. Come out for the breakfast at 373Broadway St in Haileybury, with our vendors corner returning.

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*To be a part of our directory contact:*  
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## Council & Committee Meeting

### Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, February 06, 2024 | 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

### Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 | 6:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

### Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 | 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

### Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, March 19, 2024 | 6:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

### Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, April 2, 2024 | 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive

Regular Council Meetings are live-streamed on the City's Facebook page.

### Question and Answer

Question and Answer Period during Regular Council meetings is an opportunity for members of the public to submit questions pertaining to an item on the Agenda, or the business of Council.

The questions received by **3:00 p.m. on the meeting day** (Regular Council Meetings only) will be read aloud during the Question-and-Answer Period. Members of the public who wish to submit questions may submit in writing or email to: [questions@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:questions@temiskamingshores.ca)

**Note** | Any correspondence sent to the Mayor and Council may be included in a Council agenda/package and become part of the public record.

Comments or questions submitted via the City of Temiskaming Shores Facebook page, will not be considered, and the moderator of the live-streamed meeting may remove all comments.

For further information contact:

Logan Belanger | Municipal Clerk

Phone | 705-672-3363 Ext. 4116

Email | [lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca)

## From City Hall

### Citizen Reporter

The Citizen Reporter is an online tool that community members can use to report non-emergency problems in our community. Submitted reports are sent to the proper department for review and to address the reported problem as soon as possible.

- ♦ The Citizen Reporter is located on the City Website [www.temiskamingshores.ca](http://www.temiskamingshores.ca) Home page.

### Recycle Coach

The Recycle Coach is a tool that community members can use for waste and recycling information including pickup schedule and recycle disposal information.

- ♦ The Recycle Coach is located on the City Website [www.temiskamingshores.ca](http://www.temiskamingshores.ca) under "Resident-Garbage and Recycling".
- ♦ The Recycle Coach App can be download from the Apple App Store or Google Play.

### Communicate Email

The City communicate email is a tool that the city uses to provide the community with information about municipal activities. Anyone is welcome to sign up to the communicate email to receive information specific to their interests.

- ♦ Email [communicate@temiskaming.ca](mailto:communicate@temiskaming.ca) and ask to be added to the City Bulletin emailing list.

## Temiskaming Shores Public Library

### Library Hours

Monday | 10am-5pm  
Tuesday | 10am-8pm  
Wednesday | 10am-8pm  
Thursday | 10am-8pm  
Friday | 10am-5pm  
Saturday | 10am-4pm  
Sunday | Closed

### Northern College Haileybury

#### Library Hours

Monday | 8am-8pm  
Tuesday | 8am-8pm  
Wednesday | 8am-8pm  
Thursday | 8m-8pm  
Friday | 8am-4pm  
Saturday | 10am-3pm  
Sunday | 10am-3pm

For information about programs visit the calendar on our website. To register for programs contact the Library at:  
Phone | 705-647-4215  
Email | [Info@temisklibrary.com](mailto:Info@temisklibrary.com)  
Visit | [www.temiskamingshores.ca](http://www.temiskamingshores.ca)

### Friday-February 2

Pay-As-You-Please Weekend Booksale

### Saturday-February 3

Pay-As-You-Please Weekend Booksale

### Monday-February 5

Winter Reading Bingo

### Tuesday-February 6

Soup to Tomatoes Seniors Exercise | 11:15am-11:45am

### Thursday-February 8

Gadget Helper | Call for appointment

Soup to Tomatoes Seniors Exercise | 11:15am-11:45am

### Virtual Session with Neonet, Andriod products

Neonet's virtual sessions are technical support style sessions in which a Digital Coach or Navigator can help a someone identify devices that meet the needs of the user, setting up digital applications such as emails or social media accounts, general learning or troubleshooting. This session will take place on Thursday February 15 at 11:00am. Everyone and anyone are welcome to attend this drop-in session. No registry required.

### Soup to Tomatoes Seniors' Exercise Group

ARE YOU AN OLDER ADULT? Are you hoping you can keep your strength and stay independent? Do you struggle with mobility, standing, regular exercise? Would you enjoy social time with others? Join us in the Programming Room of the Library for this FREE group chair-based exercise class for seniors.

### Winter Reading Bingo

We are offering an activity for all ages in January and February who come to the library with their library card. They can pick up one of our Winter Reading BINGO sheets and do their best to get 5 in a row to win a little prize. Not only will they possibly win a little prize but they'll also have the opportunity to read some great books, practice and improve their reading skills and perhaps add some new authors to their list of favourites.

### Gadget Helper

Do you need some help with your tablet or device? If so, you can book a FREE Gadget Helper appointment at the library! We offer weekly 45-minute one-on-one timeslots on Thursdays.

## Employment Opportunities

The City of Temiskaming Shores appreciates the interest of all applicants however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted. The City of Temiskaming Shores is an equal opportunity employer that provides equality of opportunity for employment without discrimination, consistent with The Ontario Human Rights Code. The City of Temiskaming Shores is committed to providing accommodations in all parts of the hiring process. If you require accommodations, we will work with you to meet your needs.

Applicants are encouraged to submit their resumes quoting Job Competition No. by regular mail or email to:

Shelly Zubyck | Director of Corporate Services

City of Temiskaming Shores | PO Box 2050 | Haileybury | Ontario P0J 1K0

szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

For further information on Employment Opportunities with the City of Temiskaming Shores, please visit the website at: [www.temiskamingshores.ca](http://www.temiskamingshores.ca) under "City Hall-Employment Opportunities"

### Temporary Accounting Clerk | Competition No. 2024-004

**Hours of Work** | 35 Hours per week

**Compensation** | \$27.18 per hour

**Location** | City Hall

**Submission Email** | szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

**Submission Date** | February 9, 2024

The City of Temiskaming Shores is currently seeking a Temporary Accounting Clerk within the Corporate Services Department for a period of 10 months.

Roles and responsibilities will include:

- ◆ Processing accounts payable invoices accurately and in a timely manner to ensure deadlines are met;
- ◆ Ensuring proper approvals for all invoices;
- ◆ Preparing and processing electronic payments and cheques;
- ◆ Reconciling vendor statements, following up with employees/vendors regarding outstanding invoices and resolving any discrepancies;
- ◆ Maintaining accurate and up-to-date accounts payable records;
- ◆ Providing customer service/front reception coverage as required.

The ideal candidate will possess the following qualifications:

- ◆ Successful completion of post-secondary education in accounting or related field;
- ◆ Minimum two years experience in an accounting related field;
- ◆ Advanced knowledge of Microsoft Word, Excel, and Outlook;
- ◆ Knowledge of computerized accounting system;
- ◆ Strong attention to detail and accuracy;
- ◆ Excellent organizational and multitasking skills; and
- ◆ Bilingualism will be considered an asset.

### Summer Employment Opportunities 2024

**Please Note** | In order to apply for a summer student position, you must currently be enrolled in full-time studies and returning to full-time studies in the fall of 2024.

- ◆ Lifeguard/ Swim Instructors
- ◆ Parks Labourers
- ◆ Marina Attendant
- ◆ Cemetery Labourer
- ◆ Public Works General Labourer

**Hours of Work** | 35-40 Hours per week

**Compensation** | To be determined

1st Year | \$16.55 per hour

2nd Year | \$16.80 per hour

3rd Year | \$17.05 per hour

**Submission Email** | szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

**Submission Date** | March 10, 2023 at 4:30pm

### Municipal Planner | Competition No. 2024-005

**Hours of Work** | 35 Hours per week

**Compensation** | \$69,560 to \$78,005

**Location** | City Hall

**Submission Email** | szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

**Submission Date** | March 18, 2024

The City of Temiskaming Shores is seeking applications from those who have a passion for challenging the norm in land use planning, thrive and adapt to changing priorities and to be at the forefront of championing forward thinking land use policies for the City of Temiskaming Shores. The Planner will guide the City's growth and change through the Official Plan and work across the corporation and community to embark on new and improved ways to engage community and stakeholders in land use planning processes.

Reporting to the Director of Corporate Services, the Planner will be responsible for ensuring that development and planning is facilitated and promoted in an effective, equitable and efficient manner in accordance with the Planning Act, Provincial Policy Statement, Growth Plan for Northern Ontario, Official Plan and Zoning By-laws.

As well as:

- ◆ Provide sound, reasoned land use planning opinions to the public through zoning inquiries and consultations on planning applications.
- ◆ Provide Council and staff with planning advice in order to ensure that development and growth in Temiskaming Shores occurs in an orderly, well-planned manner with "good planning" principles.
- ◆ Create policies and guidelines, in addition to, prepare and present Committee and Council reports.
- ◆ Conduct background research on major land-use issues and trends.
- ◆ Provide evidence and representation at OMB hearings, courts and other tribunals.

The ideal candidate will

- ◆ Demonstrate knowledge of and progressive experience in planning, project management, communications and economic development.
- ◆ Is a self-starter with the ability to work independently within a multi-disciplinary environment.
- ◆ Excellent working knowledge of government and legislative planning policies and regulations is required.
- ◆ Ability to organize and manage short and long-term priorities to meet deadlines.
- ◆ A graduate with a University degree in Planning or a related field.
- ◆ Exemplary leadership, organizational, analytical, negotiation and public relations skills.
- ◆ At least three (3) years related experience.



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## Facilities

### Notice to the Users of the Waterfront Pool Facility

Our pool cannot operate without our staff members. There have been several incidents of disrespectful behaviour from members of the public towards our staff members simply for enforcing basic safety policies. We take these verbal confrontations very seriously and, in a time when quality part-time and full-time staff are in high demand, we expect our pool users to be respectful and abide by the rules set out. If a user is unable to follow the rules, they will be denied entry and may lose their pool access for a period of time. Our City employees deserve respect when doing their jobs.

### Pool Admission Policy

All children under 10 years old MUST be accompanied by an adult or guardian (14+) in the pool, regardless of swimming ability. This means adults or guardians must be in a swimsuit, in the pool, within arms reach of their children. This is the standard for pools across Ontario and is in place to ensure the safety of all our young swimmers.

### Pool Capacity

The capacity of the pool depends on the number of lifeguards on duty. These numbers are stipulated by the Government of Ontario's Public Pools Regulation 565/90.

- 0-24 Swimmers** | 1 Lifeguard (if the slide is open: 2 Lifeguards)
- 25-56 Swimmers** | 2 Lifeguards (if the slide is open: 3 Lifeguards)
- 66-100 Swimmers** | 3 Lifeguards (if the slide is open: 4 Lifeguards)
- 101-129 Swimmers** | 4 Lifeguards (if the slide is open: 5 Lifeguards)

### Cell Phone Use

We understand the desire to take pictures of your own children during public swims. However, due to issues with consent of others and the chance for nefarious behaviour, we do NOT allow cell phone use in the changerooms or on the pool deck. Please put your phone away and be present instead!

		Programming
<p><b>Now Open to the Public   Outdoor Rinks</b>                      Due to unseasonal warm weather, please watch for temporary facility closures.</p> <p><b>Dymond Outdoor Rink</b>                      400 Laurette St.   Dymond</p> <p><b>Shaver Park Outdoor Rink</b>                      80 Queen St.   North Cobalt</p> <p><b>Lights on Daily</b>                      4:00pm-10:00pm</p> <p><b>Warming Shacks Open</b>                      Friday-Saturday-Sunday   3:00pm-8:00pm</p>	<p><b>Regular Public Swimming Schedule</b>                      Public Swimming fees are included with a Facility Membership or can be paid for per visit. For more information about public swimming please contact:  <b>Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre</b>                      77 Wellington St. South   New Liskeard                      Phone   705-647-5709                      Email   <a href="mailto:pfc@temiskamingshores.ca">pfc@temiskamingshores.ca</a></p> <p><b>Friday-February 2</b>                      7:30am-8:30am   7:15pm-8:30pm</p> <p><b>Saturday-February 3</b>                      10:00am-11:45am   1:30pm-4:00pm</p> <p><b>Sunday-February 4</b>                      1:30pm-4:00pm</p> <p><b>Monday-February 5</b>                      7:30am-8:30am   10:00am-11:00am</p> <p><b>Tuesday-February 6</b>                      4:15pm-6:00pm</p> <p><b>Wednesday-February 7</b>                      7:30am-8:30am</p>	<p><b>Age Friendly/Get Active Programs.</b>                      Registration is required for Women's exercise class, line dancing and chair yoga. For more information contact:                      Lynn Julien   Program Coordinator                      Phone   705-647-5709                      Email   <a href="mailto:ljulien@temiskamingshores.ca">ljulien@temiskamingshores.ca</a></p> <p><b>Friday-February 2</b>  <b>Aquafitness</b>   9:00am   \$7.01   Pool and Fitness Centre  <b>Indoor Pickleball</b>   9:00am   New Liskeard Community Hall  <b>Adult Swim</b>   12:00pm   \$4.50   Pool and Fitness Centre  <b>Age Friendly Skating</b>   12:30pm   New Liskeard Arena</p> <p><b>Monday-February 5</b>  <b>Aquafitness</b>   9:00am   \$7.01   Pool and Fitness Centre  <b>Indoor Walking</b>   9:00am   Northern College Gymnasium  <b>Adult Swim</b>   12:00pm   \$4.50   Pool and Fitness Centre</p> <p><b>Tuesday-February 6</b>  <b>Womens Exercise Group</b>   9:00am   Haileybury Arena  <b>Beginner Line Dancing</b>   10:00am   New Liskeard Community Hall</p> <p><b>Wednesday-February 7</b>  <b>Aquafitness</b>   9:00am   \$7.01   Pool and Fitness Centre  <b>Adult Swim</b>   12:00pm   \$4.50   Pool and Fitness Centre  <b>Age Friendly Skating</b>   12:30pm   New Liskeard Arena</p> <p><b>Thursday-February 8</b>  <b>Womens Exercise Group</b>   9:00am   Haileybury Arena  <b>Indoor Walking</b>   9:00am   Northern College Gymnasium  <b>Intermediate Line Dancing</b>   11:00am                      Haileybury Arena  <b>Chair Yoga</b>   2:00pm   Riverside Place</p>
<p><b>Public Skating Regular Schedule   Free</b>                      Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena                      New Liskeard   75 Wellington St. South                      Phone   705-647-5728</p> <p><b>Friday-February 2</b>   4:00pm-4:50pm  <b>Sunday-February 4</b>   6:30pm - 7:45pm</p> <p>Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena                      Haileybury   400 Ferguson Ave                      Phone   705-672-5615</p> <p><b>Tuesday-February 6</b>   12:00pm - 1:00pm</p>	<p><b>Free Parent and Tot Skate</b>  <b>Sponsored by:</b> Centre de Sante Communautaire du Temiskaming  <b>Location:</b> Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena</p> <p><b>Thursday-February 1</b>                      9:30am-10:45am</p> <p><b>Tuesday-February 6</b>                      9:30am-10:45am</p> <p><b>Thursday-February 8</b>                      9:30am-10:45am</p>	
	<p><b>Free Swimming</b>  <b>Sponsored by:</b> Centre de Sante Communautaire du Temiskaming</p> <p><b>Monday-February 5</b>                      Adult Swim   1:45pm-2:45pm</p> <p><b>Wednesday-February 7</b>                      Adult Swim   1:45pm-2:45pm</p> <p><b>Saturday-February 10</b>                      Public Swim   1:30pm-4:00pm</p>	

## Planning Services

### Notice of Public Meeting | Potential Sale of Municipal Land PLAN M30NB LOTS 73 74 75 PCLS 6163 7724 14655SST

Notice is hereby given in accordance with By-law No. 2015-160 in respect to the City considering the sale of Lots 73, 74, and 75 (PCLS 6163 7724 14655SST) on Albert Street, shown on Plan M30-NB.

This public notice is being given to advise the public that Council is considering the sale of the subject lands as described below and shown in the key map.

Any person may attend the public meeting or provide written comments prior to the public meeting.

#### The Public Meeting will be held:

**Date** | Tuesday, February 20, 2024

**Time** | 6:00 p.m.

**Location** | Council Chambers (325 Farr Drive)

#### Further information or written submissions:

Logan Belanger | Municipal Clerk

Email | [clerk@temiskamingshores.ca](mailto:clerk@temiskamingshores.ca)

Phone | 705-672-3363 x 4136

The public can provide input on the proposed sale, as follows:

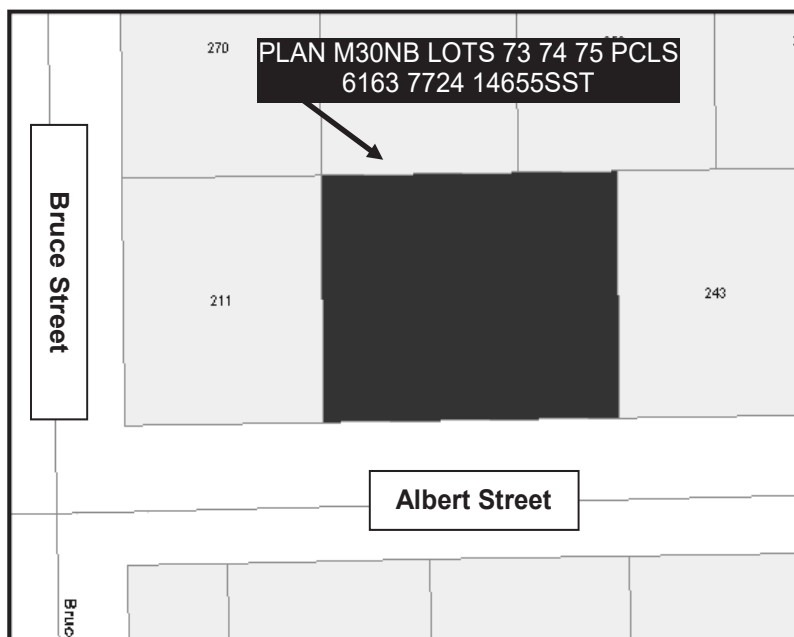
**Submit Comments in Writing** | Persons wishing to provide written comments may submit in writing, using the email address above, prior to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2024.

**Register to Speak at the Meeting** | Persons wishing to speak to Council must register with the Clerk prior to 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2024, using the above-noted email or telephone number.

**Proponent / Purpose** | The applicant is seeking to purchase the subject lands to create two lots (sized 75'x125') for the purpose of constructing a residential fourplex (walkout ground apartments), on each lot (total of eight apartments).

**Description of Land** | PLAN M30NB LOTS 73 74 75 PCLS 6163 7724 14655SST (150'x125')

**Key Map** | This map is provided for illustrative purposes. It is not a substitute for a legal survey. Boundaries on photos may be skewed.



### Notice of Public Meeting | Potential Sale of Municipal Land Lots 32 and 35, and a Portion of a Lane (Plan M71-NB)

Notice is hereby given in accordance with By-law No. 2015-160 in respect to the City considering the sale of Lot 32 (PCL 3199T) on Niven Street South, Lot 35 (PCL 17238SST) on Cobalt Street, and a portion of an intervening lane, all shown on Plan M71-NB.

This public notice is being given to advise the public that Council is considering the sale of the subject lands as described below and shown in the key map.

Any person may attend the public meeting or provide written comments prior to the public meeting.

#### The Public Meeting will be held:

**Date** | Tuesday, February 20, 2024

**Time** | 6:00 p.m.

**Location** | Council Chambers (325 Farr Drive)

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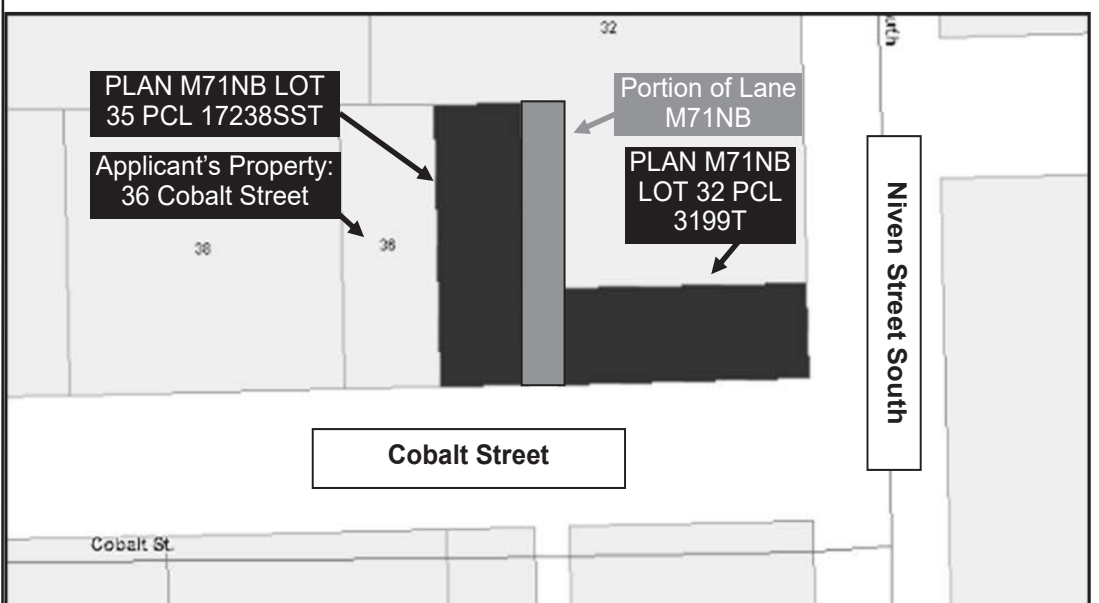
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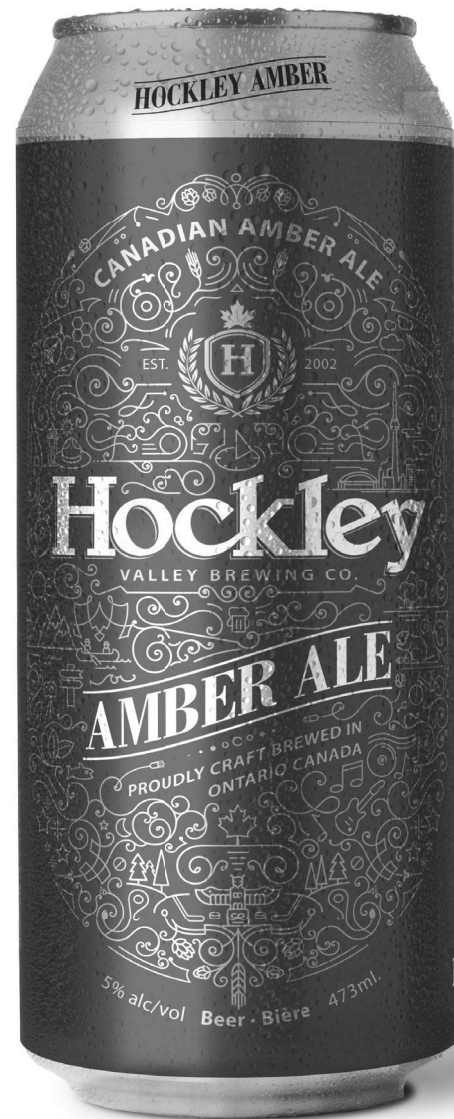
**Proponent / Purpose** | The owner of 36 Cobalt Street is seeking to purchase the subject properties adjacent to the parcel owned by the applicant, and an intervening lane, for the purpose of residential use; i.e., one to two residential dwelling(s).

**Description of Land** | Lot 32 (PCL 3199T) on Niven Street South, Lot 35 (PCL 17238SST) on Cobalt Street, and a portion of an intervening lane, all shown on Plan M71-NB.

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