

## ROAD CLOSURES/DELAYS

### CLOSURES:

**CATARAQUI STREET** from the Cataraqui River to Orchard Street will be closed from June 7 to June 25 for road reconstruction.

**HILL STREET** from MacDonnell Street to Traymoor Street will be closed until mid June.

**ONTARIO STREET** is closed between Queen Street and Brock Street until further notice.

**PRINCESS STREET** is closed from King Street to its foot below Ontario Street until June 30.

**SUNNY ACRES ROAD** from Dale Street to Front Road will be closed until June 18 for trunk water main work.

### DELAYS:

**BARRIE STREET** will experience traffic delays between Johnson and William Street until mid July while crews for Kingston Hydro perform electrical reconstruction work.

**FRONT ROAD** in the vicinity of Sunny Acres Road will be reduced to one lane in each direction until late July for trunk water main work.

Expect traffic delays on **GARDINERS ROAD** in the vicinity of Golden Mile Road until the end of July while crews for a local development install left turn lanes and traffic signals.

**JOHNSON STREET** at Division Street will experience traffic delays until mid July while crews for Kingston Hydro perform electrical reconstruction work.

**KING STREET** will periodically be reduced to one-lane during off-peak hours to accommodate some road work.

**PRINCESS STREET** will be reduced to one lane from Collins Bay Road to Westbrook Road until mid July for bridge maintenance.

Expect delays on **PRINCESS STREET** at Helena Avenue for the next week while work is done on the Woodhaven Subdivision utility crossing.

**TAYLOR-KIDD BOULEVARD** will be reduced to one lane in both directions between Old Colony Road and Progress Avenue until mid June because of road widening to accommodate left turn lanes.

### EVENT CLOSURES

**KING STREET** from Barrack Street to Place d'Armes will be closed from 12 p.m. to 7 p.m. on June 14 and from 3 to 7 p.m. on June 15 for an event at the K-Rock Centre.

### MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION ROAD WORK:

**HIGHWAY 401 EASTBOUND AND WESTBOUND SHOULDERS** will be closed for temporary access and egress, maintenance and layout.

**HIGHWAY 401 EASTBOUND BETWEEN SYDENHAM ROAD AND DIVISION STREET** will be reduced to one lane from 9 a.m. on June 7 to 6 a.m. on June 11.

**HIGHWAY 401 EASTBOUND OFF RAMP AT SIR JOHN A MACDONALD BOULEVARD** will be closed from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. until June 11.

**HIGHWAY 401 WESTBOUND** will be reduced to one lane from Sir John A Macdonald Boulevard to Sydenham Road from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. on June 8.

**HIGHWAY 401 WESTBOUND** will be reduced to one lane from Montreal Street to Sir John A Macdonald Boulevard from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. on June 9 and June 10.

**HIGHWAY 401 EASTBOUND OFF RAMP AT DIVISION STREET** will be closed from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. until June 11.

**HIGHWAY 401 WESTBOUND ON RAMP AT DIVISION STREET** will be closed from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. on June 9 and 10.

**HIGHWAY 401 EASTBOUND ON RAMP AT DIVISION STREET** will be closed from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. on June 9 and 10.

**HIGHWAY 401 WESTBOUND OFF RAMP AT SYDENHAM ROAD** will be closed from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. on June 8.

## PROPERTIES SOUGHT FOR LEAD TESTING

The City is again seeking 100 qualified homeowners five non-residential property owners interested in participating in its regular volunteer lead-testing program. Under this regulation, introduced in 2007, the Ministry of the Environment requires the City to test the water in Kingston homes and businesses identified as receiving their water through lead or lead-soldered pipes on their own property every six months.

Homes to be tested will be chosen at random from the pool of volunteer participants who are located in an area likely to have homes built with lead pipes – those with houses that were built before 1950 or homes built prior to 1990 with non-lead service pipes, but having plumbing with suspected lead solder. Utilities Kingston will conduct its tests at selected homes and will inform the homeowner of the test results within a week of receiving them from the lab. Homeowners who volunteered in the past may also be contacted for follow-up testing.

Those interested in participating in the testing can contact the Utilities Kingston Customer Service Centre at 613-546-0000.

To complete the test, a Utilities Kingston certified operator will take three one-litre samples of water from a faucet that has been flushed for five minutes and then left to stand for 30 minutes. Homeowners should ask for identification before allowing anyone into their homes to test the water.

Residents not selected for testing, but who find they have lead pipes and wish to test their water, can call Utilities Kingston for the name of a certified laboratory.

For more information, contact the Customer Service Centre at 613-546-0000 or visit [www.utilitieskingston.com](http://www.utilitieskingston.com) or [www.ontario.ca/drinkingwater](http://www.ontario.ca/drinkingwater).

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## WATER RESTRICTIONS

**Odds water only on odd days, evens on even days starting June 15**

Starting June 15, residents with odd-numbered addresses can use their hand-held hoses only on odd numbered days and those with even-numbered addresses only on even-numbered days according to Kingston's water use bylaw.

On scheduled watering days, residents must restrict their use of sprinklers to between 5 a.m. and 10 a.m., but otherwise may use their hand-held hoses anytime throughout their scheduled day.

The bylaw, in effect until Sept. 15, ensures that the City maintains its reserve of potable water, maintains water pressure, and has enough water in reserve to fight fires.

Residents who have put in a new yard, trees or shrubs, sod, or who have seeded a new lawn can apply for a \$55 exemption permit to allow them to use a sprinkler on their new lawns for seven consecutive days between 5 a.m. and 10 a.m. The permits are issued by Utilities Kingston at 1211 John Counter Blvd. Existing yards will not be granted exemption permits and only one permit will be granted per property, per year.

For more information on water restrictions, or to download a copy of the exemption permit, visit [www.utilitieskingston.com](http://www.utilitieskingston.com) or call the Customer Service Centre at 613-546-0000.

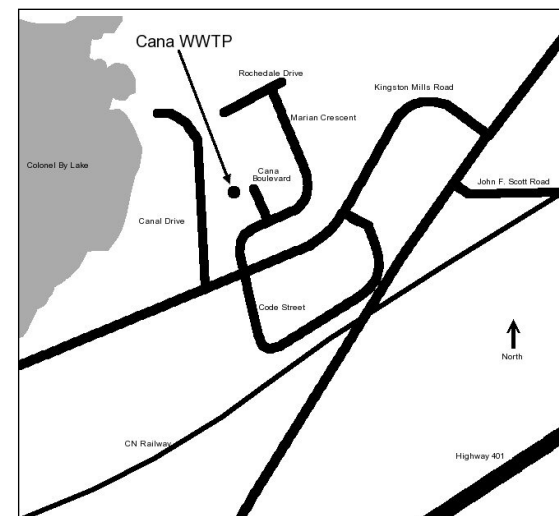
## NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

### Cana Wastewater Treatment Plant Schedule C Class Environmental Assessment Utilities Kingston

**Study Background:** Utilities Kingston has initiated a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) to evaluate options for the management (i.e. collection, conveyance, and treatment) of sewage from the 32-home Cana community. The location of the existing plant is shown in the figure below. The study is being conducted according to the Municipal Class EA process, and is currently considered a Schedule C undertaking. The treatment capacity of the plant is not being increased as part of this project.

The EA has been implemented to address the infrastructure in the Cana community, since the existing facility and collection system are aging and in need of repair. The existing sewage collection system has been in operation for approximately 50 years and preliminary investigations have revealed that improvements are required. The Cana WWTP was commissioned in 1973 and has not been substantially improved since that time. Given that effluent quality requirements have become increasingly stringent and that the existing plant is in need of repair, this Class EA will seek to provide recommendations for what form improvements to the system should take.

**Study Process:** The EA is proceeding as a Schedule C undertaking in accordance with the requirements of the Ontario Municipal Class EA. It will involve an assessment of the potential positive or negative social, cultural, economic, and environmental impacts of a number of options



**Public Consultation:** Public and agency consultation is a key element throughout the Class EA process. You are invited to review information about the study, learn more about the Class EA process, provide your feedback, and meet the project team at the Public Information Centre:

**Date:** Thursday, June 10

**Time:** 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

**Place:** Meadowcrest Community Centre, 360 Kingston Mills Rd.

For more information on this Class EA or to have your name added to our mailing list for receiving updates on the Class EA and future opportunities for public input please contact:

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This Notice issued on June 1, 2010.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

- June 8** 5 p.m. – Environment, Infrastructure and Transportation Policies Committee
- June 9** 9:30 a.m. – MacLachlan Woodworking Museum  
4 p.m. – Kingston Frontenac Public Library (COW)
- June 10** 10 a.m. – Arts Advisory Committee  
5:30 p.m. – Administrative Policies
- June 14** 5 p.m. – KEDCO Board Meeting  
7 p.m. – Kingston Environmental Advisory Forum (KEAF)
- June 15** 7:30 p.m. – Council Meeting
- June 16** 5 p.m. – Taxi Commission  
6 p.m. – Kingston Access Services – Annual Public Meeting
- June 17** 9 a.m. – Affordable Housing Development Committee  
10 a.m. – FOCUS Kingston Steering Committee  
2 p.m. – Kingston Police Services Board  
6:30 p.m. – Planning Committee
- June 21** 10:30 a.m. – Low Income Rental Housing Working Group  
12 p.m. – Appeals Committee  
5 p.m. – Open House – Solid Waste Department  
6 p.m. – Grand Theatre Community Advisory Board

For more information go to [www.cityofkingston.ca/meetings](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/meetings)

## PUBLIC MEETING: BACKYARD HENS

The Arts, Recreation, and Community Policies Standing Committee (ARC) will be hosting two public meetings in order to receive public input about backyard hens in urban areas.

**Dates:** Thursday, June 24 at Woodbine Fire Hall, 905 Woodbine Rd.  
Wednesday, July 21 at Portsmouth Olympic Harbour, 53 Yonge St.

**Time:** Public input regarding backyard hens will be received at 6 p.m.  
The ARC meetings will begin at 5 p.m. for regular business.

Written submissions are also encouraged and will be received at the beginning of the meetings.

On June 18, a Your Opinion poll and comment opportunity will be available at [www.cityofkingston.ca/backyardhens](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/backyardhens). Comments and concerns can also be emailed to Kim Leonard, Manager of Building and Licensing at [kleonard@cityofkingston.ca](mailto:kleonard@cityofkingston.ca) or faxed to 613-546-1332. Comments will be received until July 24.

Following consideration of public comments, staff will be reporting back to ARC in August. Further information is posted on the City's website at [www.cityofkingston.ca/meetings](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/meetings). Please check the website before attending the meetings in regards to any updates.

For further information regarding the meetings, contact Susan Powley, Committee Clerk, 613-546-4291, ext. 1204 or [spowley@cityofkingston.ca](mailto:spowley@cityofkingston.ca).

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## AUGUSTA COMMON PARK

Public invited to give feedback on design of Augusta Common Park

New recreational space in Cataraqui North Neighbourhood to contain active and passive elements

The City wants the public's help deciding on design elements to be included in the Cataraqui North neighbourhood green space soon-to-be known as Augusta Common Park. A public meeting on the active and passive recreational features to be built into this space is set for 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Wednesday, June 23 in Meeting Room A at the INVISTA Centre, 1350 Gardiners Rd.

The design options to be discussed will be posted for review and Your Opinion comment at [www.cityofkingston.ca/augusta](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/augusta) by June 14. Comments on the design will be accepted until June 30.

At the meeting, City staff and the landscape architect they have been working with will offer an overview of the new park at Crossfield Avenue at Augusta Drive. Augusta Common Park will eventually link to two new parks planned for this recently developed residential area: Augusta Common West Park and Halifax Drive Park.

Some of the elements in the draft design include:

- a gazebo
- a spray pad
- two play structures (one for smaller kids)
- a Biggo Swing

Plan to get there by bus: [www.cityofkingston.ca/triplanner](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/triplanner)

## WASTE DIVERSION OPEN HOUSE

Help Kingston divert more waste from landfill.

A Waste Diversion Open House is set for 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, June 21 in the Front Lounge at Portsmouth Olympic Harbour, 53 Yonge St.

Come learn about a number of waste diversion options the City is considering – and let us know your thoughts on the best ways for Kingston to trim its waste and achieve its goal of diverting 65 per cent of waste from landfill.

A Your Opinion survey and comment opportunity will be also posted online at [www.cityofkingston.ca/wastestudy](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/wastestudy) on June 15. Comments will be accepted until July 5.

## URBAN FORESTRY WORKSHOP

Help "grow" Kingston's urban forest

On June 22 the public is invited to attend the first public meeting for Kingston's Urban Forest Management Plan. This plan will guide care of our urban trees over the next 25 years.

Learn more about our urban trees, why they are important and discuss ways to keep them healthy and expand Kingston's urban forest for the future.

### Public workshops

**When:** Tuesday, June 22, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

**Where:** Meeting Room A/B, Invista Centre, 1350 Gardiners Rd.

To learn more about planning for our Urban Forest, please visit [www.cityofkingston.ca/urbanforest](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/urbanforest), starting June 15, or contact Damon Wells at (613) 546-4291, ext. 2313 or [dwells@cityofkingston.ca](mailto:dwells@cityofkingston.ca).

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## PLANNING COMMITTEE

The City of Kingston Planning Committee will meet to discuss the matters listed below beginning at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 17 in Council Chambers, City Hall, 216 Ontario St.

### PUBLIC MEETINGS:

2312-2262 Cole Hill Rd. – Moniz & Amey – D14-178-2010

The purpose of this rezoning application is to satisfy the conditions of provisional consent approval for lot line adjustments and bring each of the resulting properties into one zone.

Princess – Alexander Street – City of Kingston – D09-052-2010

The city-initiated Official Plan Amendment application seeks to re-establish the "Alexander Street Policy Area" policies into the adopted City of Kingston Official Plan, affecting properties municipally addressed from 1293 to 1343 Princess St. inclusive.

### BUSINESS (Items for Discussion/Recommendation):

Briceland Farms Subdivision – Driveways – Briceland Developments – D14-155-2009

Application for Zoning Bylaw Amendment to amend driveway standards in the Briceland Farms Subdivision. The changes will allow parking in the front yard and recognize the existing driveways that exceed current zoning provisions.

Kingston Residential Intensification & New Communities Guidelines (Includes presentation by Consultant) – City of Kingston

The consultants for the Kingston Residential Intensification and New Community Design Guidelines will present the final draft document to Planning Committee. The design guidelines illustrate the City's urban design objectives and recommended best practices for both residential intensification projects and the development of new communities.

Information regarding the above can be viewed at the Planning and Development Department, 1211 John Counter Blvd., during normal office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday.

Dated at Kingston, Ontario  
this 8th day of June, 2010

George T. Wallace, Director  
Planning & Development Department

## PROCLAMATION

LOYALIST DAY – June 12

WHEREAS "His Majesty approves the plan you have proposed for settling some of the Loyalists at Cataraqui and places adjacent" – Royal Proclamation of George III received by Governor Haldimand at Quebec on the 12th June, 1784;

AND WHEREAS "Previous settlements comprised of colonial officials, soldiers and Indian agents at Niagara and Detroit are regarded as strategic bases rather than permanent communities and Haldimand's decision to throw open the frontier was the spark that transformed the wilderness peninsula north of Lake Ontario and Erie" – Historian the late Larry Turner in "Allegiance – the Ontario Story":

NOW THEREFORE I HEREBY PROCLAIM June 12th, 2010, as "LOYALIST DAY", in Kingston and I recommend the observance of this special day to all citizens of our Great City.

DATED at Kingston, this 8th day of June, 2010  
Harvey Rosen, Mayor

## FIRST CAPITAL DAY: JUNE 15

On June 15, 1841, Kingston was named the first capital of a united Canada. This June 15, Kingston celebrates its unique role in history as the 'First Capital' of United Canada with 1841-era activities scheduled from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in Confederation Park, directly across from City Hall at 216 Ontario St.

Some of the activities taking place in Confederation Park include:

- 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.: Sugar Island Singers and Dancers of the Mississauga Ojibway
- 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.: First Capital Wagon Rides
- 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.: Mike Ford Sings History!
- Every hour on the half-hour: Sutler Cyrus Wakefield's old time medicine show
- 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.: 30-minute Rideau Roundtable Voyageur Canoe Rides
- Every half-hour: Tours of City Hall National Historic site

In addition to tours of City Hall, a number of other historically-relevant local museums are also offering tours that may be of interest to First Capital Day celebrants

See [www.cityofkingston.ca/firstcapital](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/firstcapital) for more details.

## CALLING ALL POTENTIAL CANDIDATES

Interested in being Mayor, a Councillor,  
or School Board Trustee?

The City of Kingston will be hosting a Candidates Information Session on:

**Date:** Wednesday, June 23

**Time:** 7 to 9 p.m.

**Location:** Memorial Hall, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 216 Ontario St.

All Registered Candidates – and those individuals thinking of running in the 2010 Municipal Election on Monday, Oct. 25, 2010 – are cordially invited to attend.

The purpose of the session is to provide information to candidates and the public regarding the City's governance model (including the roles of the Mayor and Councillors) time commitment, remuneration, orientation, and the municipal election process (including rules and regulations regarding campaign finances). Please note that this is not a candidate debate forum.

For more information regarding the 2010 Municipal Election, please visit the City's website at [www.cityofkingston.ca/election](http://www.cityofkingston.ca/election)

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