

## NOTICE



# Let's clear the air

**Brantford City property is now smoke-free**

**That means no smoking or vaping at:**

- X Parks**
- X Trails**
- X Recreation centres**
- X Sports facilities**
- X Administrative buildings, including parking lots**
- X Sidewalks on City building property or within a park**



[brantford.ca/CleanAirByLaw](http://brantford.ca/CleanAirByLaw)

## PUBLIC MEETING

### DUFFERIN PARK MASTER PLAN

Join us for an upcoming public meeting to share your ideas for the design of the Dufferin Park Master Plan.

Tuesday, April 23, 2019  
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

T.B. Costain/SC Johnson Community Centre  
16 Morrell St., Brantford

Can't make it to the meeting? Email [parksandtrails@brantford.ca](mailto:parksandtrails@brantford.ca) or phone 519-759-4150 ext. 5524 with your suggestions.

## NOTICE

### CITY OF BRANTFORD: NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS 2019 INTERIM TAX BILLS

**Instalment 1: Wednesday, February 27**  
**Instalment 2: Friday, April 26**

IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR BILL, PLEASE CALL THE TAX OFFICE AT: 519-759-4150.

(Property owners on Monthly Pre-Authorized Payments do not receive an Interim Bill)

Cheques, post-dated to the due-date, may be sent early to ensure you do not miss the Due-Date above. Late payments received after the Due-Date are subject to a penalty of 1.25% of the unpaid tax, on the first day of default. Additional penalty and interest of 1.25% is added on the first day of each month thereafter. Penalty and interest charges cannot be waived.

#### **PAYMENTS:**

**IN-PERSON:** At City Hall, 100 Wellington Square during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday). **Please note – payments can no longer be accepted at 220 Colborne St.** A drop box for after-hours payments is located to the left of the front door. Do not put cash in the drop box.

**BY MAIL:** To The City of Brantford, P.O. Box 515, Brantford, ON N3T 6L6.

**AT YOUR FINANCIAL INSTITUTION:** Ask your banker for the payment options they may provide.

**ON-LINE BANKING:** Payment can be made through on-line banking using your account number. Please pay at least two days before due date to ensure we have your payment in time.

**Pre-Authorized Payment (PAP):** Taxes may be paid conveniently by PAP from your bank account. Monthly PAP is now offered for the 1st or 15th of the month. Please call our Tax Office for details. Online forms are also available from our website – [www.brantford.ca](http://www.brantford.ca).

#### **PROPERTIES WITH TAX ARREARS**

**Tax Sale legislation has changed:** If your property taxes are in arrears for all or part of **TWO** (formerly three) years as at January 1, it is subject to the Municipal Act, 2001, Part XI - Sale of Land for Tax Arrears, and subject to our fees and costs for all notices sent to inform you of this matter.

#### **NEW CONSTRUCTION PROPERTIES**

For newly constructed / renovated homes or buildings, it can take up to three years for the assessment to be given to the City, but taxes are payable from the date of fit-for-occupancy or possession. Please plan ahead by setting aside funds for these retroactive tax billings. You can also pre-pay by joining the PAP plans. Call 519-759-4150 for details.