

# NEWSLETTER



# Municipal Councillors of the Village of Andrew

Have questions or suggestions? Please reach out to your elected officials via email or phone.

The Public is welcome to attend the Monthly Council Meetings. Please check our website for upcoming meetings: www.andrewab.com.

# **Village Office Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Thursday's 10:00am - 2:00pm

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Topics Include:

- The role of a Municipal Government in providing services and areas of Municipal responsibility
- Legislative compliance (Municipal Government Act, Local Authorities Election Act)
- Time commitments, and the roles assumed by elected officials outside of Council chambers, including committee responsibilities
- Principles of effective Council governance and policy-based governance
- The roles and responsibilities of Council and Administrations

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# **MUNICIPAL ELECTION**

Are you passionate about the Village of Andrew and want to shape its future, now is the time to run for Council!



Residents over the age of 18 can file nomination papers for the positions of Councillor or Mayor now until noon on **September 22**, **2025**. Candidate Packages can be picked up at the Village Office. All candidates must schedule an appointment with the Returning Officer, CAO Kylie Rude, to submit their papers. Appointments are available during regular business hours, Monday through Friday. Before accepting campaign contributions or incurring expenses, candidates must file their intent to run as per the Local Authorities Election Act.

The Village of Andrew will be holding a Municipal Election on Monday.

October 20, 2025, where voters will elect one Mayor and four Councillors.



# **VILLAGE OFFICE CLOSED**

Our office will be closed on August 6, 2025 and August 11-15, 2025 for Election training, computer software upgrades and 2024 year end paperwork /audit preparation. If you need to drop off cheques please use the exterior drop box.

# **DUCK STOP CLOSED**

The Duck Stop will be closed August 8 and 9, 2025.

# SIGN UP FOR e-BILLING

When you sign up for e-billing you can continue paying your utility bill or taxes as you normally do. e-Billing allows us to email you a copy of your bill rather than mailing it. You will convienently and easily receive your bills in electronic document format.

# SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS

The 2025 sidewalk improvement program began on July 8, 2025. Phase one of the program, which included addressing trip hazards has been completed in the following areas: 49 Avenue, 49 A Avenue and 51 Avenue

Phase two, which includes replacement of portions of sidewalk, is tentatively scheduled for August/September.

# **NEXT COUNCIL MEETING**

Save the date the next Council Meeting is on September 24, 2025. Everyone is encouraged to attend!

# **HOME & BUSINESS ADDRESS**

Your address is a unique, assigned number that is useful to both you and others. It identifies where your property is in the Village, and this is especially for emergency services. Having your address clearly visible allows police, fire and ambulance to find your home quickly if ever needed.

It's your responsibility to make sure your address is visible. For high visibility you may consider using numbers that are made of reflective material and the colour of each number should contrast with the colour of the building. You only need to display your address at the front of your property. However, it is recommended to also posting your address at the back of your property (if it is accessible) to help in case of emergency.

Please take into consideration things that could affect your address display(i.e. obstruction from a large snowfall, vegetation, and poor visibility at night). Attach your address to the front of your building and have it face directly onto the road so anyone travelling in both directions can easily see the address. It is your responsibility to maintain and replace building address signage.

