



Media Release
Friday, April 3, 2020

LaSalle Extends Waiving of Penalty and Interest

The Town of LaSalle, in conjunction with the County of Essex and the other local county municipalities, continue to monitor the situation regarding COVID-19 and the financial uncertainty that our residents are facing. The waiving of penalty and interest on LaSalle property tax and water bill payments has been extended to June 30, 2020. Late payment fees will be applied on July 1, 2020 on outstanding balances, and the first of every month after that unless otherwise changed or updated.

Property tax and water accounts that are currently set up for pre-authorized payment (PAP) plans will remain unaffected. Property owners who would like to be removed from an existing PAP plan, or would like to cancel a postdated cheque that has already been submitted, must contact the Town's Finance Department as soon as possible. While financial relief may be necessary for some of our residents, property owners are encouraged to maintain their regular tax and water payments.

LaSalle Property Tax Billing

The second LaSalle Interim Property Tax Bill payment is due on Friday, April 24. The Interim Property Tax Bill was mailed to residents in February. Register through the Town of LaSalle Online Services to view the transactions on your property bill. A PIN# to create your account can be found on your property tax bill, or call the Town of LaSalle Finance Department at 519-969-7770, ext. 1230.

Residential Quarterly Water Billing

The next residential quarterly water bill will be mailed at the beginning of April. Register through the Town of LaSalle Online Services to login and view your quarterly water bills. You can then have your bill sent directly to your inbox. A PIN# to create your account can be found on your water bill, or call the Town of LaSalle Finance Department at 519-969-7770, ext. 1230.

Payments

Convenient payment plans are available. The LaSalle Civic Centre is currently closed to the public until at least April 14. Residents will be unable to make payments in person during this time. Residents are encouraged to start a payment plan or make their payments using the online services of their financial institution. The payee will be similar to: LaSalle ON - water/sewer or LaSalle ON - taxes. Payments can also be made by cheque and mailed or left in the drop box located at the LaSalle Civic Centre. For more information, visit the Property Tax page at www.lasalle.ca, or call us at 519-969-7770, ext. 1230.

The situation is changing quickly, and the Town will continue to issue

communication updates to the public. The Town of LaSalle's Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) is in the partial activation level which includes our Senior Management Group, and we continue to consult with the Windsor Essex County Health Unit (WECHU), the County of Essex, local municipalities and first responder agencies. Subscribe to our newsfeed at www.lasalle.ca/news, visit our www.lasalle.ca/covid19 webpage and follow our Facebook and Twitter accounts for the most up to date information.

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