

Town News

Dog Licenses: As per the Town's animal control bylaw all dogs over 3 months of age are required to be licensed on an annual basis. The fees payable starting February 1 are \$30 for each sterilized dog or \$45 for each non-sterilized dog. Please remember to stop in at the Town office and get your 2017 dog license. Penalties can be issued for having a non-licensed dog.

Axia Fibrenet: If you haven't already, don't forget to express your interest for the Axia initiative. As we all know the current internet service in Town is mediocre at best, the Axia option would provide a much needed alternative with many benefits. Sign up today at www.axia.com/alberta or stop in at the Town office and we'd be happy to explain in more detail or help you sign up.

105th Anniversary: Plans are well underway for the Town's 105th Anniversary Celebrations and the committee is always looking for new volunteers. The next meeting will take place on February 8 at the Fire Hall starting at 7 pm. Come out and help to shape what is sure to be a fun filled weekend!

Waste Management: Just a quick reminder to residents – please ensure your garbage is set out for pickup in the alley by 8 am on Monday mornings or place inside an animal proof container the night before. As per Bylaw No. 639 – the weekly limit for garbage is 4 bags, if you should have more than this you can purchase extra tags for \$2 each at the Town office. Your cooperation with these guidelines is most appreciated.

Recycling: Please remember that all cardboard needs to be flattened and the Town is no longer accepting soft plastics, hard plastics only. The recycling area is meant for recyclables only – e-waste is acceptable and bins are provided for these items. All other items such as household appliances, should be kept until the Town's spring cleanup in April. Your assistance in following these tips helps to keep our recycling costs down and is most appreciated. If you are unsure of an item please call the Town Office at 403-549-3761.

Borrowing Bylaw

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Council of the Town of Stavely gave first reading on Monday January 23, 2017 to Borrowing Bylaw No. 795. The purpose of the borrowing is to finance the purchase of 25.70 acres of agricultural land. Upon passing of Bylaw No. 795, the Town will be authorized to borrow monies from an authorized financial institution. The total cost of the land purchase is estimated at \$257,000 and the amount to be borrowed by issue of debt from an authorized financial institution is \$157,000.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that, unless a sufficient petition demanding a poll of the electors is received within 15 days following the date of the last publication of this notice, the Council may pass the said Borrowing Bylaw as described in the Municipal Government Act, Section 219 to 226.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that copies of the aforesaid bylaw may be accessed via the Town of Stavely website at www.stavely.ca or inspected during office hours at the Town of Stavely Office, 5001 – 50th Avenue.

Dated at the Town of Stavely, in the Province of Alberta this 26th day of January 2017

Clayton Gillespie, Chief Administrative Officer

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