

March 21, 2020

On Sunday, March 22nd Town Council will be holding a Special Council Meeting to pass the updated Emergency Measures By-Law and plan. This by-law allows Council to put in place the Town's Community Emergency Plan. Council will also appoint people to serve in key roles on the Emergency Measures Committee. This committee is made up of twenty representatives from the community, all who have been contacted to confirm their participation. This meeting will not entertain any public discussion. The by-law will allow us to put the measures in place to legally respond to the developing situation within the Northwest Territories and our community. We are not enacting a state of emergency at this point. Once we pass this legislation, we will be in a position to act at a moment's notice. We commit to providing updates as they develop.

Further information can be found at the following government websites.

Government of Canada

https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection.html?utm_campaign=gc-hc-sc-coronavirusoutbreak-1920-0165-9221800776&utm_medium=search&utm_source=google-ads-96470960074&utm_content=text-en-425457848789&utm_term=covid

Government of the Northwest Territories

<https://www.hss.gov.nt.ca/en/services/coronavirus-disease-covid-19>

Town of Norman Wells

www.townofnormanwells.com

What can you do?

- The first thing we ask you to do is keep calm
- Stay home unless you are an Essential Service
- Practice Social Distancing – that means limiting your interaction with other people and maintaining a distance of 2m from one another
- Please take a break from social media and get outside for some fresh air

We will provide further information on Sunday after the Council meeting.

If you have questions about the Town's plan please call the Town Office during our business hours of 8:30AM – 5:00PM at 587-3700 or email us at towninformation@normanwells.com.

Stay safe, stay healthy,



Mayor Frank Pope