



## Community Update – April 1, 2020

Town Council's top priority continues to be ensuring the safety of the community.

Mayor Pope meets with the SAO at the Town Office daily for an update. As the Town must be in the position to respond rapidly to changing legislation and conditions this meeting is considered fundamental to the provision of our essential services. Social distancing protocols are in place for all meetings.

Imperial Oil continues to keep the Town updated on the health screening protocol for their Norman Wells operations. They have the following Preventative Measures in place:

- COVID-19 Pre-flight Questionnaire
- Pre-flight Medical Screening
- Charter flights direct from Edmonton to Norman Wells
- Onsite
  - Daily temperature monitoring
  - Increased cleaning of facility
  - Operations segregation
  - Rotational and live-in staff segregation
  - Restricted access to town site
  - Kitchen and dining room – additional measures
  - Physical distancing measures

Full details can be found at: [https://www.imperialoil.ca/en-CA/Updates/COVID-19/Norman-Wells-and-COVID-19?fbclid=IwAR3Lma9znmxzIJ3uNRU8Ylu0RlipCk\\_M7bGhnqPagqZ8Qaa4N0XmM\\_Onnw](https://www.imperialoil.ca/en-CA/Updates/COVID-19/Norman-Wells-and-COVID-19?fbclid=IwAR3Lma9znmxzIJ3uNRU8Ylu0RlipCk_M7bGhnqPagqZ8Qaa4N0XmM_Onnw)

The Health Centre is screening all staff daily for symptoms. Those with symptoms are required to self-isolate for 14 days. Casual staff are being brought in as required and there is a plan in place should the health centre or long-term care facility require additional staffing support. The long-term care facility continues to be closed to visitors. Residents are also screened daily.

For further information visit [www.normanwells.com](http://www.normanwells.com) or call the Town Office at 587-3700 during our business hours of 8:30AM – 5:00PM. You may also email us at [towninformation@normanwells.com](mailto:towninformation@normanwells.com).