



Village of Lytton Update

January 25, 2022

CANADA POST OFFICE IN LYTTON

The Canada Post Office in Lytton will be open this week from 10 a.m. to 2:45 p.m., Monday through Friday. Canada Post has advised they are very close to having permanent staff in place – an update will be provided to residents soon. Canada Post thanks the community for their patience as they work through these staffing challenges.

UPDATE ON DEMOLITION AND DEBRIS REMOVAL

Demolition and debris removal is being done under the supervision of heritage monitors whose expertise meets the requirements of the provincial legislation. Their work in Lytton is done according to the Archaeological Branch direction and approval.

The Village understands that the Archaeological Branch is designing an approach to the investigation and collection that will reduce the disruption to the demolition and rebuild process as much as possible. The monitors, the Province and representatives from the insurance industry have been working together for several weeks to understand each other's needs in order to significantly limit the amount of disruption.

Work will be done on the overall downtown area as one site – meaning each parcel will not have to be investigated separately – which will help prevent delays. An additional advantage to this approach is that when and if items are found, the equipment can easily move to another site while the necessary recovery is completed on the find.

The general approach is to take advantage of both the multiple properties being developed relatively at the same time, as well as the multiple monitors being available. This will help both functions move easily around from find to find, with limited-to-no time lost. This process may still inevitably encounter some delays or issues; however, Village staff anticipate and expect a much better outcome for both today's landowners and the ancestral occupants and their families.

DEMOLITION PERMITS TO BE AVAILABLE JAN. 31

As of Monday, January 31, residents will be able to submit their applications for Demolition Permits on the Village of Lytton website. More information will be provided in the coming week.

HEALTH CARE IN LYTTON

The Interior Health Authority has prepared a one-page summary of the health care available in Lytton and community. It includes information on emergency care, COVID testing clinics, lab services, First Nation supports and more. The information sheet can be found here: https://lytton.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/2022-Jan_Health-Services-in-Lytton.pdf

INSURANCE PRESENTATION AT CASC MEETING

A representative from the Insurance Bureau of Canada made a presentation and answered resident questions at the Citizens Advisory Select Committee (CASC) meeting on Wednesday, January 19.

- A recording of the presentation is available (starts at 10:15): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nnvj0-zBqds>.
- The presentation slides can be found here: https://lytton.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/LyttonCommunityMeeting_Jan19-22.pdf.

A similar presentation will take place on February 9th at the Regular Council meeting. Stay tuned for the link on the Village of Lytton website.

JANUARY 13 COMMUNITY MEETING RECORDING

Community members can watch the recording of the January 13th Village of Lytton Community Meeting online at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8T21poJmB50>.

Responses to the questions not answered during the meeting are currently being consolidated and will be available soon on the Village's website.

SAVE THE DATE: The next Community Meeting will be on Thursday, February 24, 2022 at 7 p.m. More information will be provided in the coming weeks.

VILLAGE OF LYTTON STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Below is an up-to-date contact list for the Village of Lytton staff. Please connect with them directly for questions or support. Contact information is also posted on the Village's website: <https://lytton.ca/government/contact-us/>.

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Project Manager – James Heigh, jheigh@lytton.ca

Demolition & Building – Ron Dickinson, rdickinson@lytton.ca

Finance – finance@lytton.ca

Public Works – publicworks@lytton.ca

Corporate Services – corporate@lytton.ca

Communication and Information – communication@lytton.ca

Village Office Phone – 778-254-5004 (monitored between 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.)

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact communication@lytton.ca or 778-254-5004 if you have any additional questions or concerns.

Residents who would like to receive email updates directly from the Village of Lytton are encouraged to sign up here: <https://forms.gle/Cw8wdRDqJzRNnCKZ6>.