



SPRING NEWSLETTER

1. SCHEDULE FOR BRANCH PICK-UP

SPRING : Monday, April 17th to Thursday, June 22nd (inclusive)

SUMMER : ABSOLUTELY NO BRANCH PICK-UP DURING JULY & AUGUST

Residents who place branches by the road during this time will be fined.

FALL : Monday, August 28th until Friday, October 20th (inclusive)

Residents should schedule their pruning operations to conform to the above. Please be reminded that our garbage contractor will pick up tree branches and shrubs not exceeding 8 centimeters (3.15 inches) in diameter as long as they are put in disposable containers or tied in bundles not exceeding 1.2 meters (3.94 feet) in length, on garbage days at any time of the year.



2. HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

Saturday, May 27th from : 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday, September 22nd from : noon to 8 p.m.

Location: Baie d'Urfé Public Works - 300 Surrey



3. MAINTENANCE PROGRAM - WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

From April 10th to the 21st, the Town will proceed with the inspection, testing and flushing of its fire hydrants as part of the regular maintenance program of our water distribution system.

While this work is done, you may experience low water pressure as well as a slight coloration (red) of the water. Although this is not dangerous, we recommend that you verify to ensure that your water is not colored before using. If it should be colored, simply let the cold water run until it becomes clear again.



4. **SPECIAL GARBAGE PICKUPS – CONSTRUCTION WASTE**

The Town will resume its pre-merger policy to provide a special pickup service for construction material and other items not collected during the regular garbage service. This is offered at a minimum cost of \$17.50. For pickups requiring more than a half hour, the additional cost is \$35. an hour. Please note this service does not include branches.



5. **SEPTIC TANKS**

To ensure that we do our part for a clean environment, we wish to remind you that septic tanks must be cleaned every two years and that certain types of septic systems require maintenance contracts. The Town covers the cleaning costs of septic tanks up to a maximum of \$180. every two years.



6. **MUNICIPAL PERMITS**

Residents are required to obtain a building permit for all construction projects including pools, fences and sheds.

Please note that it is also necessary to have a permit before cutting down trees on your property.

To make an appointment for a town permit, please phone our municipal inspector,
Gordie Charette at 457-5339.



7. **SUMMER 2006 PARK PROGRAM – RED BARN**

Due to its success last summer the Town of Baie d’Urfé will be looking into continuing its summer park program at the Red Barn. The projected dates will be July 3rd until August 11th, 2006. More information will be available in the next edition of the News and Views and at the Town Hall by mid-May.



8. **GARAGE SALES**

The number of garage sales is limited to one per residence per year and citizens are reminded to remove all signs immediately after the sale.

