



BAIE D'URFÉ



Public Municipal Council Meetings
7:30 P.M.

Tuesday, April 8
Tuesday, May 13
Tuesday, June 10



Baie d'Urfé Days
June 13 to 15



**FIRE HYDRANTS :
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

This spring, we are again looking for volunteers to continue the tradition of painting fire hydrants. Over the last two years, almost sixty hydrants have been painted. Many of them are beautifully done, and they are a testament to the artistic skills of residents and to their willingness to participate in their community.

All materials will be provided by the Town - you just provide the creativity.

If you would like to paint a hydrant, please contact Janet Ryan at 514-457-0302 or jryan@baie-durfe.qc.ca.

BICYCLE PATH BETWEEN LAKESHORE ROAD AND HIGHWAY 40

The Montreal Agglomeration Council is trying to provide a network of bicycle paths on the Island of Montreal in order to encourage citizens to leave their cars at home thereby reducing green house gases and promoting fitness. To this end, the Town has been working with the Montreal Agglomeration to build

a bicycle path along Morgan Road and Morgan Blvd. between Lakeshore and Highway 40.

It is hoped that the first phase between Lakeshore and Highway 20 can be constructed this summer and the northern section completed in 2009. Although the final plans are not yet complete,



the current thinking is to provide a 1.5 meter unidirectional lane on each side of Morgan Road.



Free Bandstand concerts
Thursdays at 7:30 P.M.



Kirkland Concert Band	June 12
B Sharp Big Band	June 19
Mimosa Wind Band	June 26
Lakeshore Concert Band	July 3
Blue Monkey Project	July 10
Lachine Concert Band	July 17
Big Band Club	July 24
Hudson Big Swing Band	July 31
Air Force Association Concert Band	August 7
306 Maple Leaf Wing with Pipes and Drums	

All concerts will be held in the bandstand near the Fritz house, Lakeshore Road

Each concert will feature a « March around the Bandstand » for children in attendance.

Bring a comfortable chair.

Consider coming early with picnic supper, and listen to the concert after your meal.

Parking is available on Westchester, at the Whiteside Taylor Center and on the meadow via Carrière.

In the event of rain, concerts will be held in the Red Barn.

April 27th - Earth Day

In order to encourage residents to reduce the amount of garbage that goes into landfill, the Town is making composters available at a much reduced cost. Residents interested in obtaining a Garden Gourmet composter for \$5. (retail \$30.) are invited to attend the free composting information session to be held at the Public Works, 300 Surrey, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon.



COMPOSTER PROGRAM

TOWN HALL : 20410 Lakeshore
Baie d'Urfé (Québec) H9X 1P7

Phone: 514 457-5324
After hours : 514 630-1234

Monday to Thursday : 8 AM to 4:30 PM
Friday : 8 AM to 1 PM

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CITIZENS ARE REMINDED THAT THE SECOND INSTALLMENT OF THEIR LOCAL TAX BILL IS DUE JUNE 2ND

Besides the usual methods of payment by mail, cheque, cash or debit card at the Town Hall, your account is now also payable at the financial institutions listed through the Internet, automatic tellers, telephone banking and at their counter. When the prompt asks you for an account number you must use the first 18 digits of the number shown as **MATRICULE**: xxx-xx-xxxx-x-000-0000 on your tax bill. Do not use the number shown as account number (starts with 2008). Payment can be made through the following financial institutions :

- National Bank of Canada
- Bank of Montreal
- Scotia Bank
- Caisse Populaire
- Royal Bank
- TD Canada Trust
- CIBC



Maintenance Program Water Distribution System

From May 5 to 23rd, 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.

* WHITE ROAD POLICY *

You may have noticed that the Town's secondary streets had more accumulation of snow than in the past. Notwithstanding the weather, this is the result of a new policy we are experimenting with this year, to reduce the amount of road salt used in order to protect the environment.



We intend to review our experience with this policy at the end of the winter and we appreciate any comments you may have.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection



Saturday, May 24
&
Sunday, September 21

From 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
At the Baie d'Urfé
Public Works, 300 Surrey

Residents should set their pruning operations to conform to the following schedule.

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.

BRANCH PICKUP

IN THE SPRING

Apr. 14 to June 20 incl.

NO BRANCH PICKUP IN JULY AND AUGUST

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

IN THE FALL :

Aug. 25th to Oct. 24th incl.



OPEN DITCHES AND DRAINAGE SYSTEMS

The Town's surface drainage system is a combination of open ditches and storm sewers. The Town is currently undertaking a complete survey of the existing system with the intent of correcting problem areas with funds from the gas tax rebate. Residents are reminded that the drainage system belongs to the Town and that no modifications to this system may be made without permission of the Town. This means you cannot raise, fill, pipe or modify in any way the ditch or pipe which may be located on your property or the town-owned land adjacent to the street.



May 12th Special Leaf & Grass pickup



Grass and leaves must be placed by the roadside before 8 a.m. in large plastic bags preferably orange or clear recyclable bags. All bags collected on that date will be taken to Quinn's Farm for composting.