

Spring Clean up was held in May of 2012.

Looking forward to Fall Clean Up

FALL CLEAN UP DATES

If your garbage day is:	Pickup will be on:
Monday	Friday, October 5th
Tuesday	Saturday, October 6th
Wednesday	Friday, October 12th
Thursday	Saturday, October 13th

For more information on waste issues, contact Waste Check at 742-1312

www.wastecheck.com

HOPE DIAL-A-RIDE 742-6579

Serving the Town of Yarmouth and Yarmouth County

HOPE DIAL-A-RIDE is a service provided in your area making transportation easy and affordable. It is available to all members of the general public who do not have access to other transportation alternatives. This includes those requiring wheelchair assistance, senior citizens, the unemployed or those with limited incomes. It can be used for appointments, shopping or personal errands. Please book 24 hours in advance, otherwise service is based on availability.

Administration Department

The Administration Department looks after the day to day operations of the Municipality ensuring the implementation and delivery of programs and services that are approved by council and that these programs and services are delivered to all residents and taxpayers in a manner that makes efficient and effective use of human, financial and physical resources of the Municipality.

The Administration Department is also responsible for answering all public requests, inquiries and/or complaints, and ensuring a high standard of customer service. The Administration Department is located on the main level of the Municipal Building located at 932 Hwy #1 in Hebron.

Nova Scotia Municipal Elections 2012

If you are a Canadian citizen, 18 years of age or older, and live within the Municipality of Yarmouth, you may be eligible to vote in the upcoming Municipal Election being held on October 20th, 2012. For more information on the Nova Scotia Municipal Elections 2012, visit their website at:



<http://www.ns-municipal-elections.ca>

Taxation

The Municipality of Yarmouth raises most of its total revenue through residential and commercial property taxes. Interest is applied at the rate of 1.5% per month on overdue accounts.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Cash, cheque, debit, online and telephone banking, automatic withdrawal, and partial payment arrangements can be made.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

The Municipality of Yarmouth has added an additional payment option for our ratepayers who wish to pay their tax or sewer bill using their Visa or MasterCard. (Service charge applicable to user) The Municipality of Yarmouth has partnered with **Paymentus Corporation** to bring you the convenience of paying your bill any time, day or night either on-line or by telephone. More information can be found on the Municipality of Yarmouth website.

www.district.yarmouth.ns.ca



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Municipality of the District of Yarmouth
932 Hwy 1, P.O. Box 21, Hebron, NS B0W 1X0
P: (902) 742-7159 F: (902) 742-3164
www.district.yarmouth.ns.ca
Monday to Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

How to Contact Your Councillor

John Cunningham	761-2147
Deputy Warden Murray Goodwin	742-4370
Ken Crosby	742-3312
Heather MacDonald	742-6149
Trevor Cunningham	749-0185
Rick Churchill	742-9319
Warden Leland Anthony	742-8129

Civic Numbering - Peel & Stick

Seconds can mean the difference between life and death in an emergency. This is especially true when dealing with 911 emergencies.

It's a good idea to keep your civic number posted on or near all the phones in your home. Write your civic address in the space provided on this sticker and place it on or near your phone. In the event of an emergency, particularly if the caller is not a resident of your home, the person calling 911 will have quick access to your civic address allowing for a faster response time by emergency personnel.

Additional stickers are available at the Municipal Office in Hebron or by contacting your district councillor.

Municipality of Yarmouth

Civic # _____

Please write your civic number on the space provided and place this sticker on your phone.

Who do I call?

When my streetlight is out.
Municipality of Yarmouth -742-7159

If my road is in need of repair.
Department of Transportation and Infrastructure
Renewal - 742-2416

If my garbage hasn't been picked up.
Municipality of Yarmouth -742-7159.

If there is a stray dog on my property.
Call the Dog Control Dispatch number 742-3147
for all dog related issues.

If I have a question about waste issues.
Waste Check -742-1312.

If I need a building permit.
Contact the Development Office at 742-9691.

If my ditch needs cleaning.
Department of Transportation and Infrastructure
Renewal -742-2416

If I need a burning permit.
Department of Natural Resources at 648-3540 and
the Yarmouth Fire Department at 742-3147.

For information on recreational programs.
Yarmouth Recreation at 742-8868.

For information on senior safety services.
Contact the Senior Safety Coordinator at 881-7107.

If I need a marriage certificate.
Access Nova Scotia at 1-800-670-4357.

Office of Public Works & Development

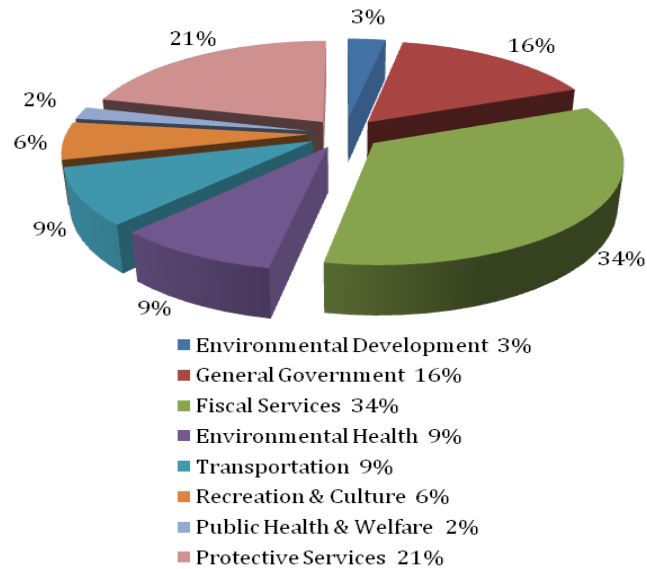
Public Works Office Ph: (902) 742-7353
derek@district.yarmouth.ns.ca
Fax: (902) 742-7557

Development Office Ph: (902) 742-9691
dev@district.yarmouth.ns.ca
Fax: (902) 742-7557

2012—2013 Budget

The 2012-2013 Budget is \$11,156,454.00

Where do my Tax Dollars Go?



3% - Environmental Development: Planning and Zoning; the Hebron Industrial Park & the Industrial Commission.

16% - General Government: Council Expenses; Administration, Salaries, Office & Building Expenses, Legal, Grants to Organizations, Information Technology, Financial Audit, Assessment Services, Lighthouse Property, Liability Insurance.

34% - Fiscal Services: Education, Mariners Centre, Regional Library, Principal & Interest, Long Term Debt.

9% - Environmental Health: Garbage collection and disposal, Sewage collection and treatment.

9% - Transportation: Yarmouth Airport, Public Transportation Studies, Public Works and Sidewalk Maintenance, Roads.

6% - Recreation & Culture: Recreation Programs, Recreation Department.

2% - Public Health & Welfare: Physician Recruitment & Medical Clinics, Seniors Housing.

21% - Protective Services: RCMP, Correctional Services, Fire Departments, Emergency Measures (EMO), Property Inspection, Animal and Pest Control, Subdivision and By-Law Administration.

Property Tax Rebate for Seniors

The Property Tax Rebate for Seniors Program, administered by Access Nova Scotia on behalf of the Department of Community Services, is designed to help eligible seniors by providing them with an annual rebate on their municipal property taxes. The program provides eligible homeowners with a 50% rebate on their municipal property taxes paid the previous year, up to a maximum of \$600.00 per year. The rebate is always based on the property taxes paid in the previous year.

For more information please contact:

Access Nova Scotia at 1-877-296-9338
or the Municipal Office in Hebron 742-7159
or email linda@district.yarmouth.ns.ca

Cape Forchu Lightstation

The Friends of the Yarmouth Light Society is a non profit registered charity whose mission is to preserve the Cape Forchu Lighthouse as a historical landmark. A most notable achievement has been the continued operation of the Light as a premium tourist attraction.

For more information or reservations, please contact Denise Nickerson at 742-4522 or yarlighthouse@eastlink.ca

You can also visit us at www.capeforchulight.com
or www.novascotiawebcams.com

Yarmouth Recreation

Ph: (902) 742-8868 Fax: (902) 749-1645

Yarmouth Recreation provides recreation programs to the Municipality and Town of Yarmouth, and manages activities at multiple locations. Please contact Yarmouth Recreation for more information.

www.YarmouthRecreation.ca