



# BARNWELL BLURB

## December 2017

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### New Village Council Appoints Mayor

Congratulations to Del Bodnarek who was appointed the Mayor for the Village of Barnwell at the Organizational Meeting of Council, held on October 19<sup>th</sup>. Robin Hansen was appointed as the Deputy Mayor. Your new Village Council members are eager to serve their community in the various capacities. They have also been appointed to the following Boards and Committees:

- Library Board:** Councillor Deb Hansen
- Taber & District Waste Mgmt. Authority:** Councillor Kent Bullock
- Taber District Housing Authority:** Councillor Deb Hansen
- Oldman River Regional Service Commission:** Mayor Del Bodnarek, Councillor Ian Matheson (Alternate Member)
- Regional Fire Partnership Committee:** Councillor Robin Hansen, Councillor Ian Matheson
- Joint Economic Development Committee:** Councillor Robin Hansen, Councillor Ian Matheson
- Intermunicipal Development Plan Committee:** Mayor Del Bodnarek, Councillor Ian Matheson, Councillor Robin Hansen
- Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework Agreement Committee:** Mayor Del Bodnarek, Councillor Kent Bullock, Councillor Ian Matheson
- Municipal Planning Commission:** Councillor Kent Bullock (Chairman), Councillor Robin Hansen, Sandy Watts (Community Member)
- Subdivision & Development Appeal Board:** Mayor Del Bodnarek
- SouthGrow Committee:** Councillor Ian Matheson, Mayor Del Bodnarek (alternate)
- Highway 3 Twinning Committee:** Councillor Kent Bullock
- Parks and Recreation/Pioneer Days Committee:** Councillor Deb Hansen, Councillor Robin Hansen
- Infrastructure Committee:** Mayor Del Bodnarek, Councillor Kent Bullock
- Cemetery Committee:** Councillor Ian Matheson

### Village of Barnwell Christmas Office

#### Hours

THE VILLAGE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED from December 23, 2017 through January 1, 2018.

Please ensure all tax payments are up to date before this period.

**(THE POST OFFICE WILL BE OPEN AS POSTED)**

### Recycling December Pick-up Change

Please be sure to mark on your calendars the following dates for Recycling Pick-up in December.

**December 9<sup>th</sup>** - (as regularly scheduled)  
**December 30<sup>th</sup>** – this date was changed from the regularly scheduled date of December 23<sup>rd</sup>, in order to better accommodate the excess amount of recycling after Christmas.

### December Garbage Pick-up

In order to help accommodate excess Christmas Garbage, garbage bag limits will be removed on the December 30<sup>th</sup> pick-up only. **Reminder:** Christmas wrapping paper is not recyclable due to the extreme dyes in this paper.

### Council Meeting

Please note the following changes in Council Meeting dates.  
December Regular meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday, December 6th, 2017.  
January Regular meeting of Council will be held on Thursday, January 11, 2018.

### License renewals

All dog licenses and business licenses are to be renewed as of January 1, 2018. Please feel free to come in and renew your licenses at any time for the 2017 calendar year.

### Village Tax Installment Plan

Paying your taxes in 12 monthly installments is an easy way to avoid paying a large property tax bill in July. If you are interested in participating in our Tax Installment plan, please contact the Village office. In order to be eligible for this program, all tax arrears must be paid by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.