

## **NEWS OF THE DAY**

December 22, 2021 – 2:00 P.M.

# Coronavirus (COVID-19): Temporary closure of municipal offices

### What you need to know:

- As a result of the latest government guidelines regarding the rapid evolution of the current pandemic situation, the Town Hall must, as of today, close access to the public again until January 10<sup>th</sup> inclusively.
- The government has also suspended the public face-to-face Council meetings until January 10<sup>th</sup> inclusively; however, tonight's special meeting to adopt the Three-Year Capital Program (TTP) will be held as scheduled in person at the Luskville Community Centre.
- Certain municipal employees, not working in the operations of an essential service, will be teleworking up to and including January 10<sup>th</sup>.
- This situation is subject to change according to government guidelines.
- However, most municipal services will be maintained during this period with the exception of the following holidays:
  - December 24 and 27, 2021 inclusively.
  - January 3 and 4, 2022 inclusively.

#### Maintained services:

- The town planning department
- Taxation and finance departments
- The fire department
- The collection of residual materials
- Snow removal operations
- Road works
- Activities at the wastewater treatment and drinking water filtration plants
- The two libraries (Luskville, Quyon)

- The Commissioner for Oaths
- The processing of access to information requests
- The two libraries in the Luskville and Quyon areas according to the following holiday schedule (face covering required)
  - Luskville
    - Opening hours: Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.
    - By email: <u>admluskville@crsbpo.qc.ca</u>
    - By phone : 819-455-2370
  - Please note that the Quyon Library will be closed during the holidays, that is from December 24, 2021 to January 6, 2022.
- Activities in the three community centers (room rentals) are maintained according to government regulations.
  - <u>https://www.quebec.ca/en/health/health-issues/a-z/2019-</u> coronavirus/measures-in-force/activities-outings/private-events-public-space
  - Maximum of 10 people (starting on December 26, 2021, limit of 6 people), regardless of the location of the room or indoor public space. Physical distance must be respected and face coverings must be worn.
  - Depending on the facility in which the room is rented, the vaccination passport may be required. For example, it would be required for an activity taking place in a private room of a restaurant. For a complete list of locations and activities, please visit the page pertaining to <u>Places and activities requiring the COVID-19</u> <u>Vaccination Passport</u>.

### Where to inquire:

- Municipality of Pontiac' Website: <u>www.municipalitepontiac.com</u>
- Municipality of Pontiac's Facebook page: <u>www.facebook.com/pontiacmun</u>