



# TOWNSHIP OF MANITOUWADGE

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## MEDIA RELEASE

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- FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE -

### COVID-19 Update and Municipal Facility Closures

The Township of Manitowadge is actively monitoring the COVID-19 situation and will continue to make decisions that are measured, precautionary and in the community's best interests. We continue to evaluate all Public Health Agency communications as well as communications from other Federal and Provincial Government Health Authorities.

For the safety and protection of our residents, and employees of the Township, the following municipal facilities and/or activities will be **closed** to the public until further notice:

- All recreational facilities and programs – closed and cancelled.
- Manitowadge Airport – closed to the public. All flights will operate per usual.
- Boards and Committees of Council – cancelled.

All essential municipal services will be maintained and the Municipal Office remains open at this time. Please be advised that the main door entrance will be the only access at this time.

We would like to remind the public of the following alternative methods available for payments and communication with the Township:

- Online and Telephone banking with Scotia Bank, Toronto Dominion or CIBC. Payments can be made inside these institutions as well.
- Visa and Mastercard payments over the phone. Monday through Friday 10:00am – 2:00pm.
- Cheques, money orders and cash payment can be left in the over-night drop box to the left of the main entrance doors. (Please insert payment method into envelope and describe your payment details to ensure payments are applied accordingly).
- Residents who wish to communicate with Township Staff, please call (807) 826-3227 (Monday to Thursday, 8:00am – 4:30pm and Fridays, 9:00am – 2:00pm), or visit our website and click on the *Contact* link in the upper right corner for a list of staff contact information.
- Residents are reminded that council meetings are livestreamed and a link is provided on our website.

We ask at this time that if anyone is unwell, to please use one of the above methods of contact with the Township.

As this situation is developing quickly, we will continue to monitor and make adjustments where necessary. Please continue to visit our website at [www.manitowadge.ca](http://www.manitowadge.ca) and our official Facebook page.

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