

## Changes to extra organics collection

Starting next month, changes are coming to how residents will be able to dispose of extra organics waste.

Effective April 1, 2023, extra residential organic waste will no longer be collected in order to minimize the impacts to solid waste collection rates. Extra organics waste can be brought to the Eco Centre at no charge, up to three cubic metres, or residents can set it aside to include in their cart for the following week's pickup.

[sprucegrove.org/Organics](https://sprucegrove.org/Organics)



## Committee of the Whole meeting

### Monday, March 20, 2023

The Spruce Grove Committee of the Whole meeting on Monday, March 20 at 6 p.m. will be open to the public and live streamed at [sprucegrove.org/LiveCouncil](https://sprucegrove.org/LiveCouncil).

City Council and Committee of the Whole agendas and meeting minutes are available at [sprucegrove.org/Agenda](https://sprucegrove.org/Agenda).

## Property assessment complaint deadline

The annual assessment complaint deadline is April 14, 2023. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your 2023 assessment please call 780-962-7634 ext. 119 or email [propertytaxes@sprucegrove.org](mailto:propertytaxes@sprucegrove.org).

For more information, visit [sprucegrove.org/Assessment2023](https://sprucegrove.org/Assessment2023).



## Golden Goose Hunt

Spruce Grove's new, interactive spring treasure hunt starts March 20! Find the Golden Goose and win 1 of 6 prize packages valued at over \$400!

New clues posted three times per week at [sprucegrove.org/GoldenGooseHunt](https://sprucegrove.org/GoldenGooseHunt).



## We are Hiring!

Join us and see why we are the organization of choice!

- Manager, Organizational Planning and Reporting
- Social Support Worker
- Program Coordinator
- Program Leader
- Firefighter/Paramedic

For details or to apply, visit [sprucegrove.org/Careers](https://sprucegrove.org/Careers).

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

### BYLAW C-1244-23 LAND USE BYLAW TEXT AMENDMENT – CANNABIS SALES, 280 PIONEER ROAD

It is City Council's intention to hold a public hearing as part of their consideration of Bylaw C-1244-23 Land Use Bylaw Text Amendment - Cannabis Sales, 280 Pioneer Road. This bylaw is a site specific Land Use Bylaw text amendment to Section 125 C3 - Neighbourhood Retail and Services District, to add Cannabis Sales as a discretionary use for the parcel at 280 Pioneer Road, also legally described as Plan 1723512, Block 4, Lot 30.

#### REPRESENTATION

If you or someone you represent is affected by the proposed bylaw, you may address Council at the public hearing by attending the meeting in-person or by participating virtually. The Public Hearing is to be held:

**Monday, March 27, 2023 at 6 p.m.**

*In-Person:* Those wishing to address Council in person may attend:  
Council Chambers, City Hall, 315 Jespersen Avenue

*Virtual:* The Public Hearing may be viewed online at:  
[www.sprucegrove.org/LiveCouncil](https://www.sprucegrove.org/LiveCouncil)

Residents can either verbally speak or submit a question or statement to Council by email until the Public Hearing is closed. To arrange to verbally speak you must pre-register with the City Clerk by Monday, March 27, 2023 at 12 p.m. by email [cityclerk@sprucegrove.org](mailto:cityclerk@sprucegrove.org) or by calling 780-962-7615. To provide an emailed question or statement you may email it to [cityclerk@sprucegrove.org](mailto:cityclerk@sprucegrove.org) until the Public Hearing is closed.

Written submissions will be received by the City Clerk by mail at City Hall, 315 Jespersen Avenue, Spruce Grove, AB, T7X 3E8, or by email to [cityclerk@sprucegrove.org](mailto:cityclerk@sprucegrove.org), until noon on Wednesday, March 22, 2023. These must be signed, dated, and contain your civic address. Written submissions received by this date/time will be included as part of the council meeting agenda package.

Copies of the proposed bylaw amendment(s) are available upon request from the Planning and Development Department by calling or emailing the case planner as noted below.

#### QUESTIONS?

Please call or email Pankaj Nalavde, Senior Planner, at 780-962-7634 ext. 621, [pnalavde@sprucegrove.org](mailto:pnalavde@sprucegrove.org).

## Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST)

This two-day workshop provides participants with the skills to identify someone at risk of suicide, make a life-saving intervention and seek further help. This training is not recommended for anyone that has had a recent suicide loss.

**Saturday, April 15, and Sunday, April 16, 2023**  
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Cantiro Pioneer Wellness Centre (344 Pioneer Road, Spruce Grove)

Adults 18+ \$125/participant

Register by April 7 at [sprucegrove.org/FCSSPrograms](https://sprucegrove.org/FCSSPrograms)  
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## Danger! Thin Ice!

Please stay off the ponds in Spruce Grove! They may look safe, but the ice is unstable and they are not safe to skate or walk on (pets too!).  
[sprucegrove.org/PondSafety](https://sprucegrove.org/PondSafety)

