

PUBLIC NOTICE – TOWNSHIP OF KILLALOE, HAGARTY AND RICHARDS May 15, 2019

The Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards is working to help our residents and ratepayers to recover from the 2019 flood, and to keep everyone safe and healthy.

FLOOD DEBRIS:

The Killaloe Waste Site – 1049 Mask Road, will now be accepting flood debris (free of charge) during the regularly scheduled hours of operation until <u>July 6, 2019 at 4:00 pm</u>. (this does not apply to anything with Freon in it and/or any hazardous materials)

The hours for the waste site are as follows;

<u>Wednesday</u>: 7:30 am – 11:30 am <u>Friday:</u> 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm <u>Saturday:</u> 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

TEMPORARY WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF LOCATION:

The Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards and The Renfrew County District Health Unit are extending the temporary water sample drop off location to assist residents recover from the recent flooding. Until **June 20, 2019** the municipal office at 1 John Street, Killaloe, will continue to be a designated additional drop off location for your water sampling bottles. The Health Unit has agreed to pick-up samples on **Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2:00 pm**. Note: all water samples must be taken on the same day they are dropped off, either Tuesday or Thursday by 2:00 pm. Please accurately follow the sampling guidelines that are attached to the water sampling bottle. Alternatively you may call the Health Unit; 613-735-8654 or 1-800-267-1097 extension 555 or visit their website at https://www.rcdhu.com/healthy-living/safe-water/ under "Private Drinking Water Testing" for regular drop off locations that are available to you throughout the year.

CANADIAN RED CROSS MOBILE ASSISTANCE SITE:

The Canadian Red Cross has announced financial assistance for households in affected Quebec, New Brunswick and Ontario communities directly impacted by spring flooding. Affected households may receive \$600 to help meet their immediate needs. Since the flooding began, the Red Cross has been working with municipal and provincial governments, local authorities, community leaders and other organizations to help families and individuals who have been impacted. Financial assistance is the latest of many ways in which help is being made available to those who need it. To receive this assistance, impacted households <u>first need to be registered with the Red Cross</u> so that individual assessments of needs can be completed. People can register by calling 1-800-863-6582, in-person at designated community centres or online at <u>www.redcross.ca</u>. People only need to register once for their household. Full details of assistance available can be found at <u>www.redcross.ca/gethelp</u>.

The Red Cross will be at the municipal office; 1 John Street, Killaloe, on <u>Wednesday May 22,</u> <u>2019</u> from 11:00 am – 8:00 pm. They will be offering flood recovery information, clean-up kits, hygiene kits, address/ID verification for financial assistance, referrals to other agencies and/or services.

SAND BAG PICK-UP:

To help protect our residents/ratepayers, and to ensure that sand bags are disposed of in an environmentally safe and responsible manner, the municipality will be issuing a tender for sand bag pick-up. You can leave your sand bags on your property until the contractor picks them up. To assist us in providing the contractor with these locations, we ask that you contact the municipal office at 613-757-2300 or email Lorna Hudder at <u>lhudder@khrtownship.ca</u> and provide your name, civic address and the number of sand bags you have on your property for pick-up by <u>June 5, 2019</u>.

BUILDING PERMIT FEES:

The municipality will also waive building permit fees associated to flood related repairs. Please contact the Chief Building Official Tyler Mask at 613-757-2300 or 613-401-1117 between the hours of 8:30 am -4:30 pm, if you have further questions in this regard.

Thank you for your patience and co-operation. We look forward to working with you as we recover from the 2019 flood. Please feel free to contact the municipal office if you have any questions.

By Order of Council Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards