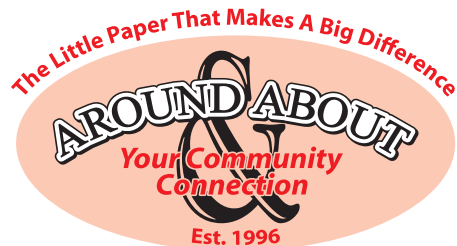


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## Little Current Swing Bridge Study Continues



By *Rosalind Russell* - The final third public hearing reviewing different options to either repair or replace the Swing Bridge in Little Current has been delayed due to COVID-19.

Stantec Consulting Limited was hired by the Ontario Ministry of Transportation, to carry out the study, which includes Planning, Preliminary Design and Class Environmental Assessment of the structure. Stantec states to date, two public consultations have been held as part of this study, but due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the third and final PIC has been delayed.

They state however, it is anticipated that a preliminary preferred plan will be presented publicly this fall or early winter.

The project team continues to evaluate the feasibility of hosting a public forum, but adds they may host it online depending on physical distancing requirements at that time.

Additional information regarding the third PIC will be provided on the project website as it becomes available.

For updates and review of the study so far, go to [swingbridgestudy.ca](http://swingbridgestudy.ca)



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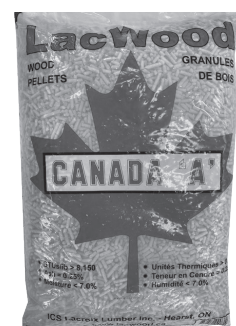


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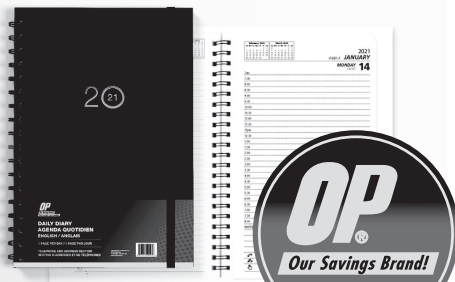
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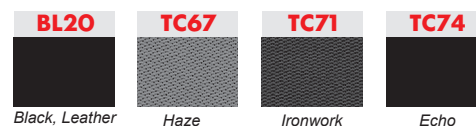


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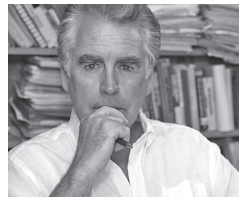
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# All The World's A Circus

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## A Nutty Gardener I May Be. But Naked? No!

After my column about becoming a lunatic, novice gardener appeared in this space last month I received several congratulatory emails along the lines of joining an exclusive club of people who love gazing at filthy fingernails and dirty, soil-stained knees.

They encouraged me to replace my dresser drawer plantation with a real inground backyard garden. They suggested I add peonies and roses and even a bird bath. One woman who shall remain shameless, sorry nameless, suggested that like her, I will soon be snipping and clipping in and around my prize-winning tomatoes...au naturel.

And I thought 'no,' I'm only a nutty gardener, not a nudie nurseryman. I'm definitely not Leslie Howard of West Yorkshire, England who's engaged in a bare-assed, sorry, bare-knuckles, drop'em down sorry, knock'em down, drag'em out fight for privacy against his local council. Leslie, to put it mildly is a naturalist gardener.

For fifty years Leslie preferred his birthday suit to overalls as he puttered and basked in the privacy of his high-fenced property. Then Bradford Council approved the construction of three tall residences behind Leslie's home so that his new neighbours would be able to look down into his backyard where he likes to work wearing only gloves and a wry smile. Council also warned the 70-year-old naked gardener that if the new occupants are offended by his nudity he will be arrested and taken away by police...in this case a carload of giggling guys in bobby helmets who will have great difficulty putting the cuffs on Leslie while holding their hands over their eyes.

Believing his human rights were being violated, Leslie has got himself a lawyer. He

didn't have to go far, one day he looked up and there was one peeking at him through a knot hole in the fence.

I do see both sides of...sorry. I can however sympathize with Leslie's new neighbours. The council's crackdown...man, this is a tough one to write. Look, the local government's stance had merit, okay?

In an unrelated case in Churchwood Walk, Calot, England, Denise Woodage felt she was the victim of her "pervert gardener" neighbour when she spotted him going about his chores wearing only work boots. In court, she recalled that after viewing his "pale and hairy body" she had to go on anti-depressants.

"It put me off men...and sausages...for life," said the horrified Denise. Paul Darlow was charged after Denise caught him on camera "flashing his bits again." When the defendant confessed to "touching himself outdoors" he was convicted by a jury that absolutely did not want to be referred to as "his peers."

Besides six weeks in jail, Paul Darlow was slapped with a sex offence order prohibiting him indefinitely from exposing himself in public. Also, he is not allowed anywhere near passion fruit or butt nut.

Meanwhile, back in Bradford, it appeared Leslie Howard had the law on his side. In the UK nudism in public is legal provided it does not result in harassment, distress, alarm or a small man being slapped to death by flying private parts.

There's a photo on the internet of Leslie in his garden, naked to the belly button and awkwardly wielding a pair of shears. I'm going to leave the possibility of a serious

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accident to your imagination. Suffice to say, the cruelest cut of all would not involve a rose by any other name.

Honestly, I had no idea naked gardening was so popular in Britain. When Ian and Barbara Pollard of Malmesbury, Wiltshire let it be known they loved to garden au naturel, they were swamped with requests from other nudists to come and watch. They now hold "open days" at their sprawling Abbey House Gardens estate on which 350 visitors show up and then drop their trowel. Demand to stroll their gardens nude is so high, they now host six "clothes optional" days each season.

There's a photo of Ian and Barbara sitting around a table in the garden with four nude guests, each of them trying desperately to maintain eye contact. Several naked people in the background seem to be trying very hard to stay clear of the gorse and prickly pears. Nobody is picking

fig leaves which of course would be against the rules. All of them appear quite relaxed and jolly. At least half of them are thinking about getting their hedge trimmed.

Then there's Phil Davies of Preston, Lancs who put an ad in his local paper offering his services as a naked gardener and now has himself a growing business. Inspired by Jamie Oliver, "The Naked Chef" Phil works starters in the backyards of English women who pay him 45 pounds an hour to tend their not-so-secret gardens. Phil wears safety goggles and gloves as he weeds his way around the property.

"Some Mums invite friends over for coffee so they can watch me pruning," says 'Phil The Thrill.' Bit odd that what with Phil doing the kind of "Got Junk" handywork that got Paul Darlow six weeks in the slammer.

As much as I love the Brits--calm, quirky, kinky--I will

not be gardening naked. As liberating as that might be, my neighbour Mario has a pitchfork and he has assured me he knows how to use it. No, my butt will never be a bullseye. Thanks for the suggestion.

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## Manitoulin Health Centre Receives Generous Donation



PHOTO: L-R: Dennis McGregor, vice chair of the board of directors, Julia Fedec, executive director, emergency department; Jeff Smith, Smith Family Foundation, Angela Becks, chair of the fundraising committee, Lynn Foster, CEO, MHC, Paula Fields, vice president clinical services and chief nursing officer.

## Satellite College Sites Remain Open

Cambrian College is continuing to offer courses at its satellite sites in Espanola and Little Current.

Communication director Dan Lessard says both satellite sites are open and operational.

He says most of the services are being offered virtually, but staff will meet with students face-to-face through pre-booked in-person appointments, twice a week.

He says as part of the COVID-19 protocols, anyone

coming on site must be wearing a mask and maintain physical distancing, adding walk-ins are not allowed.

Lessard says anyone needing more information can contact the satellite offices for updates. If anyone has questions, contact [iSue.ferguson@cambriancollege.ca](mailto:iSue.ferguson@cambriancollege.ca) or [info@cambriancollege.ca](mailto:info@cambriancollege.ca)

Cambrian College satellite campuses in Espanola and Little Current continue to offer programming.

A long-time established company has provided a generous donation to the Manitoulin Health Centre in Mindemoya to kick off a campaign for renovations to the emergency department.

Jeff Smith was on hand for the presentation representing the Smith Family Foundation, the family that owns Manitoulin Transport.

He turned over a cheque for \$1-million to the project leaders to kick off the campaign to raise some \$2.5-million.

The total cost of all the renovations is estimated around \$5-million and will include several new amenities including infectious disease and larger chemotherapy suites, an extra bed in trauma, and a dedicated mental health observation suite. The Mindemoya site dates back to the early 1930s when it served as a Red Cross outpost. In 1982, it merged with the hospital located in Little Current.

"Let's Emerg Together" is the campaign slogan chosen to champion the Mindemoya site emergency department renovation and expansion capital campaign project. The emergency department at this site needs to be renovated and

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Angela Becks, the fundraising committee chair for MHC said, "Please know your gift is gratefully acknowledged and appreciated. The board of directors and management at MHC will honour this gift with wise and careful consultations in the building process. Your gift will shine as an example of giving to community."

Smith adds, "MHC needs support from friends on and off the Island. As an Island based business, this gift demonstrates our continued commitment to the Island and our local health care centre. Our donation kicks off this fundraising campaign and encourages others to give toward the \$2.5 million target."

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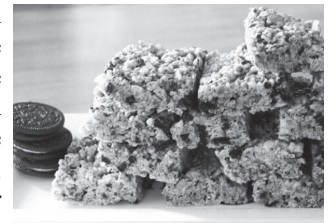
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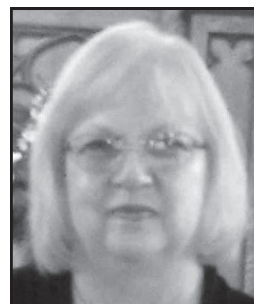


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**Marcoux – Henry J.** of Espanola passed away at the Manitoulin Lodge, Gore Bay on August 27, 2020 at the age of 78. Dear son of the late Dora Bouffard and Leo Marcoux. Dear brother of Susan Morgan, Shirley Marcoux, Sandra Marcoux, Patsey Reese and the late Diane Marcoux, Martha Smith and Jean Wilcot. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends & relatives. At Henry's request there will be no visitation or service. Cremation with interment of ashes at a later date. If so desired, donations to the charity of your choice. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



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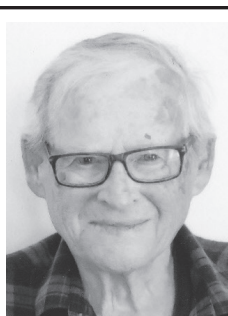
**Champagne – Cecile Irene (nee Gagnon)** 1936-2020 of Espanola passed away at the Espanola Nursing Home on July 30, 2020 at the age of 84. Dear daughter of the late Albert & Marie (nee Paradis) Gagnon. Beloved wife of the late Laurent Champagne (2015). Loving mother of Debbie (husband Blaine Marcoux) of Espanola, Dan Champagne (wife Sue) of Rockwood, Diane (husband Todd Trottier) of Russell and Denise Champagne (husband Andrew Morum) of Orillia. Cherished grandmother of Kyla Marcoux

(Jeff), Kensey Mailloux (Nick), Kurtis Marcoux (Maddy), Ryan Trottier, Bradley Trottier (Eng) and Andrew Champagne-Morum. Cherished grand grandmother of Evie, John Henry and Cora. Dear sister of the late Lillian Lapointe, Ernest Gagnon, Wilfred Gagnon, Raymond Gagnon and Arthur Gagnon. Also, will be sadly missed by many friends & relatives. Cremation with a Memorial Service at the St. Jude R.C.C on September 14th at 11:00 .m. with interment to follow in the Espanola Cemetery. If so desired, memorial tributes can be made to the Alzheimer's Society. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola



**Massicotte** – It is with deep sorrow that the family announced the peaceful passing of **Theresa Massicotte** on Saturday August 29, 2020 while in her 96th year. The dearly beloved mother of Rose (Hugh), Fran (Richard), Floride (Paul), Sue (Peter), Miguel (Debbie), Albert (predeceased) and daughter in law Brenda. She will be sadly missed and fondly remembered by 15 grandchildren and 20 great grand children and 1 great-great grandchild and extended family and friends. Special thanks to the staff at Queensway Place for taking such good care of her for

many years. A very special thank you to Dr. Perlin for the excellent professional care she has provided for our mother over the last years. Cremation has taken place according to her wishes. A memorial mass will be at St Jude church at a later date with interment of ashes in the Espanola Cemetery. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.



It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of **Bernard Alfred Spry** on August 28, 2020. Survived by his partner of over 60 years, Georgina Holmes. Beloved father to Diane Fogal (Norman Fogal). Cherished grandfather to Pamela Fogal and Steven Fogal and great grandfather to Jamison McQuarrie and Merissa McQuarrie. Special cousin and life long friend to Grant Moody. He is also survived by brother Steward Spry (Mary), Lee Spry (Marlene), Carol Love (predeceased Jack) and predeceased by

brother David Spry. Bernard lived a life full of activity. He loved hunting (especially deer hunting), worked as a barber in Espanola for 57 years, and had a passion for horse racing. Visitation will be at the Bourcier Funeral Home on September 1, 2020 from 2-4 PM. Interment on Wednesday September 2 at 11 AM at the Hilly Grove Cemetery. Donations are gratefully appreciated and can be made to the auxiliaries of the Manitoulin Health Centre and the Manitoulin Lodge Angel Bus. Arrangements by BOURCIER FUNERAL HOME Ltd, Espanola.

## IN MEMORIAM

*In Loving Memory of*  
*Omer Vandette*



We thought of you today,  
But that is nothing new.  
We thought about you yesterday,  
And days before that too.  
We think of you in silence,  
We often speak your name.  
Now all we have are memories,  
And your picture in this frame.  
Your memory is our keepsake,  
With which we'll never part.  
God has you in his keeping,  
We have you in our heart.

*From Edena &*  
*The Vandette Family*



## Community Living Espanola

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Monday, October 5th, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.**

Due to restrictions of COVID-19, the Annual General Meeting will be conducted virtually, via BlueJeans Video Conferencing.

(meeting information will be provided to those who confirm their attendance by contacting Debbie Langlois at 705-869-0442 ext 21 – email address will be required)

A membership must be purchased prior to September 24th, 2020 in order to be eligible to vote at the 2020 AGM. Memberships can be purchased for \$3 by calling Debbie at 705-869-0442 ext 21. (etransfers will be accepted)

If you are interested in becoming a Board Member for Community Living Espanola, please contact Debbie at 705-869-0442 ext 21 for further information.

**Kathy Lewis, Chair**

### NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

#### Water Tower Interior Cleaning & Inspection

The Town of Espanola has contracted Landmark Municipal Services to perform interior cleaning and inspection of the Espanola Water Tower. The work is scheduled to take place on September 15, 2020, however due to the draining, testing and refilling processes the water tower will be offline from September 12 – 18. During the tower shutdown the water distribution system will be fed directly from the water plant by the high lift pumps. Periods of lower-than-usual water pressure are expected for the duration of the project. The Town of Espanola would like to request water conservation during this time to prevent water shortages, minimize low pressure events and ensure adequate water supply in case of a fire.

Please report any water quality or very low pressure issues to Public Works at (705)869-1751 on weekdays from 8am – 4pm or during after-hours call (705)222-7932. Should you have any questions related to this matter, please contact the Public Works Office at (705)869-1751.

Joel Yusko  
Manager of Public Works  
and Leisure Services  
596 Second Ave.  
Espanola, ON P5E 1C4  
Email: jyusko@espanola.ca



### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

#### Parts & Service Manager

Algoma Chrysler Inc

Algoma Chrysler Inc (Espanola location) is seeking an experienced parts and service manager to join our dynamic team.

The ideal candidate should have superior organization skills, work independently and be detail orientated. Experience in the following fields is required: customer inquiries and booking appointments for repairs, warranty on vehicles, parts ordering, inventory control.

Salary will commensurate with experience. Employee benefit package is also available once probation period is complete.

If this meets your qualifications, we look forward to speaking with you. **You can apply by fax to 705-869-5606 or email to rainbowchrysler@eastlink.ca.**

## Espanola Minor Hockey Association 2020/ 2021 Registration



### ESPANOLA REGIONAL RECREATION COMPLEX



**NEW Registration dates:**  
**September 15 & 17 From 6:00 – 8:00 pm**

### New Online Registration!

**Can't make registration? No Problem!**

**Online registration is open now.**

**See our website:**

**[www.espanolaminorhockey.com](http://www.espanolaminorhockey.com)**

**Or our Facebook page:**

**Espanola Minor Hockey Association**

**For links and information about online registration.**

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES



**McCulloch INSURANCE**  
HOME • AUTO • RECREATIONAL • BUSINESS  
**705-869-4333**

#### McCulloch Insurance is looking to hire a Full Time Insurance Broker.

If you are interested please email [allen@mccullochinsurance.ca](mailto:allen@mccullochinsurance.ca) or drop off a resume at our office. Prior experience or an existing RIBO licence is an asset but not a requirement.



#### Olivadel Developments

P.O. Box 5022  
Espanola, ON P5E 1S1  
t: (705) 863-0487  
e: [office@olivadel.com](mailto:office@olivadel.com)  
[www.olivadel.com](http://www.olivadel.com)

### - NOW HIRING -

Brentwood Village is a new independent living community designed exclusively for retirees 55+, located on Yusko Crescent in Espanola.

- Licensed Carpenter \$28.00 / hour to start
- General Labourers
- Cleaner
- Painter

Seeking professionals with attention to detail and quality; only experienced need apply. References & CPIC required.

Must be able to lift over 50lbs/ be physically fit, work independently, and be part of a team.

**To apply call 705-863-0487, or by email [office@olivadel.com](mailto:office@olivadel.com)**

**PHASE 2 SOLD OUT!**  
**NOW SELLING AND LEASING FOR 2021.**



## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY MANITOULIN NORTHSORE VICTIM SERVICES



*In partnership with Police Services Manitoulin and North Shore, we provide coordinated and initial assistance to victims of crime, trauma, and tragic circumstances. This program has been in existence since 1997 and has assisted hundreds of victims. The work is both challenging and rewarding.*

### EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

To work out of our Little Current, Ontario, office  
(SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF TRAVEL WITHIN  
ONTARIO REQUIRED)

#### Position Requirements:

- Educational background in the field of Social Sciences / Social Work
- Sound knowledge of the justice system, victims and victim issues
- Demonstrated experience/education as a crisis intervention worker
- Knowledge and experience with budgeting and QuickBooks
- Good oral and written communications skills, and the ability to present information to large and small groups in accordance with the principles of adult education
- Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to maintain good working relationships with police services, volunteers, and a broad range of social service providers
- High level of commitment and energy to oversee a complex and demanding program
- Supervisory ability or experience
- Criminal Records Check
- Valid Driver's Licence
- Access to a vehicle
- Flexible hours – willing to work some evenings and weekends

#### Primary Functions:

- Victim Services Program Development and Training
- Coordination with MAG, Police, Public and Community
- Organizational Activities including Ministry Reports and Budgets
- Supervising full-time and part-time staff

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS Friday, September 11, 2020, AT 4:00 PM**

Please submit resume, reference contact information with completed Criminal Reference Check to:

Victim Services Hiring Committee  
BOX 702  
Little Current, ON  
POP 1K0

Or can be emailed to **Elly Charette mnvs@vianet.ca**



## POSSIBILITÉ D'EMPLOI SERVICES AUX VICTIMES DE MANITOULIN ET NORTHSORE



*En partenariat avec les services de police de Manitoulin et North Shore, nous fournissons une aide coordonnée et initiale aux victimes d'actes criminels, de traumatismes et de circonstances tragiques. Ce programme existe depuis 1997 et a aidé des centaines de victimes. Ce travail est à la fois stimulant et enrichissant.*

### DIRECTEUR GÉNÉRAL / DIRECTRICE GÉNÉRALE

Pour travailler à partir de notre bureau de  
Little Current, en Ontario  
(CE POSTE EXIGE UN NOMBRE IMPORTANT DE  
DÉPLACEMENTS À L'INTÉRIEUR  
DE LA PROVINCE DE L'ONTARIO)

#### Exigences du poste :

- Formation dans le domaine des sciences sociales et du travail social
- Solide connaissance du système de justice, des victimes et des questions qui les concernent
- Expérience/formation démontrée en tant que travailleur d'intervention en cas de crise
- Connaissance et expérience de la gestion budgétaire et QuickBooks
- Bonnes compétences en communication orale et écrite, et capacité de présenter de l'information à de grands et de petits groupes conformément aux principes de l'éducation des adultes
- Solides compétences interpersonnelles et capacité de maintenir de bonnes relations de travail avec les services de police, les bénévoles et plusieurs fournisseurs de services sociaux
- Haut niveau d'engagement et d'énergie pour superviser un programme complexe et exigeant
- Capacité ou expérience en supervision
- Vérification de casier judiciaire
- Permis de conduire valide
- Accès à un véhicule
- Horaire flexible – disposé à travailler certains soirs et fins de semaine

#### Fonctions principales :

- Élaboration et formation de programmes de services aux victimes
- Coordination avec le ministère du Procureur général, la police, le public et la collectivité
- Activités organisationnelles, y compris les rapports ministériels et les budgets
- Supervision du personnel à temps plein et à temps partiel

**LA DATE LIMITE POUR POSTULER est le vendredi 11 septembre 2020, à 16 h.**

Veuillez envoyer votre curriculum vitae, les coordonnées de vos références et la vérification de casier judiciaire dûment remplie à l'adresse suivante :

Comité d'embauche des Services aux victimes  
C. P. 702  
Little Current (Ontario)  
POP 1K0

Un courriel peut également être envoyé à **Elly Charrette à mnvs@vianet.ca**





## TOWNSHIP OF SABLES-SPANISH RIVERS

Phone: (705) 865-2646 Fax: (705) 865-2736

Email: [inquiries@sables-spanish.ca](mailto:inquiries@sables-spanish.ca)

11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, ON, P0P 1P0

Website: [www.sables-spanish.ca](http://www.sables-spanish.ca)

### NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING Concerning Application for Consent

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers will hold a public meeting on **Wednesday, September 23, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.**, at the Massey and District Community Centre & Arena, 455 Government Road, Massey in order to consider a proposed application for Consent under Section 53 of the Planning Act, RSO 1990 as amended.

#### Consent File No. C-20-07

The purpose of this consent application is to provide for a new lot in the Rural zone. The effect will sever a residential lot from farm land. The property is described as May Township, Concession 4, Lot 8, Parcel 5199, at 76 Thaxter Road. The lands subject of this application is not subject of any other Planning Act application.

**TAKE NOTICE** that if you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers on the proposed application, you must make a written request to the Clerk of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers. To appeal the decision to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal, send an appeal form to the Clerk of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers outlining the reasons for the appeal. You must enclose the applicable appeal fee for each application appealed, paid by cheque, made payable to the Ontario Minister of Finance.

*If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting or make written submissions to the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers before the bylaw is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.*

*If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting, or make written submissions to the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers before the decision is made, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Tribunal, unless in the opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.*

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION regarding this application is available at the municipal office at 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey, during regular office hours.

*Public Participation in this Public Meeting will be conducted by electronic means. To attend remotely call 705-865-2646 for details and instructions. If you do not wish to provide input but would like to hear the audio recording, listen online on [www.sables-spanish.ca](http://www.sables-spanish.ca) (YouTube)*

Dated this 8th day of September, 2020  
Kim Sloss, Clerk-Administrator

### CLEAN-UP DAYS

Tipping fees at the Tennyson Landfill Site will be waived for all residential household waste on Friday, September 25th and Saturday, September 26th, 2020 from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm.

**Tipping fees will still apply for commercial or construction and building materials (ie. shingles, siding, drywall, used lumber)**

**Please ensure all loads are properly secured and covered to prevent debris from blowing out of your vehicle or trailer!**

### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY

**Saturday, September 26, 2020 – 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**  
**Espanola Public Works Yard – 596 Second Avenue, Espanola**

Once again we will be partnering with the Town of Espanola in holding a Household Hazardous Waste Day. On our own the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers cannot provide this service within our municipality as we do not hold a certificate of approval from the Ministry of Environment to accept hazardous waste. We thank Espanola for hosting this event to provide the service for our residents. Please watch for flyers for more information.

### Employment Opportunities

#### PART-TIME PARKS & RECREATION OPERATOR

This is a seasonal, part-time position encompassing 24-30 hours per week. The days of work may vary from week to week depending on facility scheduling.

The successful candidate will possess excellent organizational and leadership ability, knowledge of equipment, vehicles and materials used in the recreation area. Skills in ice-making, refrigeration and other mechanical maintenance for municipal recreational facilities will be considered an asset. A criminal records check/vulnerable sector check is required from the successful candidate.

#### CASUAL PUBLIC WORKS OPERATOR/LABOURER

- Must possess a valid DZ licence
- Must have equipment operating experience
- Must be willing to work on an as-needed basis, including accepting call-outs as dictated by road conditions and weather,
- Must be willing to submit a criminal records check
- Road testing will be included in the interview process

The following will be considered an asset: AZ licence, Secondary School diploma or equivalency, Common Core Surface Miner training, snowplowing experience.

As this is a Casual position on an on-call basis there will be no guarantee of hours.

**Applications shall be accepted by the undersigned until 12:00 p.m., Monday, September 21, 2020. E-mail and faxed resumes accepted.**

Kim Sloss, Clerk-Administrator

We thank all applicants for their interest but advise that only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. In accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, the information gathered is collected pursuant to the Municipal Act and will be used for the purpose of candidate selection. The Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers welcomes and encourages applications from people with disabilities. Accommodations are available upon request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process.

### HYDRANT FLUSHING - MASSEY

Massey residents, please be advised that the Public Works Department will be flushing hydrants starting on September 14th and continuing through to September 25th, 2020 as weather permits.

Flushing may cause temporary discolouration of water or loss of pressure. Before using, please run your tap until the water is clear and refrain from doing laundry while flushing is occurring in your area. We apologize for the inconvenience that this may cause.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Public Works Department at 705-865-2646 or 705-865-2358.

### PROPERTY TAX BILLS

Tax bills are due September 30th. If you have not received a tax bill, please contact the Township Office to confirm your mailing address to avoid misdirected mail. We would also like to remind you that we offer payment through online banking, pre-authorized debit as well as e-billing. If you wish to receive more information on any of these options, please give us a call!

### WATER BILLS

Water bills were sent out at the beginning of July and are due by September 30th. To help manage your account, we offer monthly and quarterly preauthorized payments. You also have the option to make payments using online banking. If you have questions regarding these forms of payment, please contact the municipal office.

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## Canadian Navigable Waters Act

Eastlink hereby gives notice that an application has been made to the Minister of Transport, pursuant to the Canadian Navigable Waters Act for approval of the work described herein and its site and plans.

Pursuant to paragraph 7(2) of the said Act, Eastlink has deposited with the Minister of Transport, on the on-line Navigable Waters Registry (<http://cps.canada.ca/>) and under NPP File Number 2020-402786 a description of the following work, its site and plans:

Laying of Submarine fibre cable across Spanish River at Town of Massey, Township of Sables Spanish Rivers, District of Sudbury, Province of Ontario with coordinates **46° 12' 26.64" N x 082° 3' 57.96" W. Between foot of Carlalbert St and Lee Valley Rd.**

Comments regarding the effect of this work on marine navigation can be sent through the Common Project Search site mentioned above under the Comment section (search by the above referenced file number) or, by sending your comments directly by email at **NPPONT-PPNONT@tc.gc.ca** or by mail to Transport Canada, Navigation Protection Program, 100 South Front Street, 1st Floor, Sarnia, Ontario, N7T 2M4.

Comments will be considered only if they are in writing (electronic means preferable) and are received not later than 30 days after the publication of the last notice. Although all comments conforming to the above will be considered, no individual response will be sent.

Posted at District of Sudbury, Ontario this 8th day of September, 20 20  
(City, Province) (day) (Month) (year)  
Eastlink  
(full name of owner)

