



February 28, 2017

CITIZENS INFORMATION

PET LICENSE RENEWAL

All pets within the City of Portage la Prairie must be vaccinated for rabies and must have a pet license/tag. There is a fine of \$100.00 for failure to obtain a pet license. Pet tags are available for pick-up **without a fee until March 31, 2017**. A copy of a current rabies vaccination must be submitted. Beginning April 1, 2017, pet license fees will be follows:

For each spayed or neutered dog or cat	20.00
For each non-spayed or intact dog or cat	50.00
Restricted Animal	150.00
Dangerous Animal	250.00
Service Animal	5.00
Transfer to new owner	No Charge
Replacement License	10.00

2017 PROPERTY TAX PREPAYMENT

Taxes may be prepaid up to 90% of the previous year's net tax levy in multiples of \$10.00. The following rates of discount apply:

March	0.44%	April	0.33%
May.....	0.22%	June.....	0.11%

Taxes are at par for the month of July and penalties begin August 1, 2017 at a rate of 1.25% per month.

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next regular meeting of Council will be held Monday, March 13, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

All are welcome.

2017 BUDGET

The City of Portage la Prairie 2017 Budget was approved at the February 27 Council meeting. The Budget Speech is included in the minutes from that meeting and is posted on our website under "Government" for your information.