

# TOWN NEWS—APRIL 2025

## TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Regular Council Meeting will be held  
**April 14th & 28th** in the Council Chambers at the  
Town Office

## TOWN OFFICE & PUBLIC WORKS

**CLOSED**—Good Friday April 18th  
**OPEN**—Easter Monday April 21st



## SPRING CLEAN-UP

Spring is here meaning it's time for the annual  
Spring Clean-Up!

Every Tuesday Public Works will pick up any  
acceptable listed items below. You may set items  
out on Monday but please be mindful that they will  
be collected on Tuesdays.

**These items have a cost associated with them and will be added to your utility bill.**

If you have any questions please call the Town Office 403-549-3761 or ask a Public Works Employee.

### Acceptable Items:

- Couches, love seats, mattresses, box spring, chairs, tables, and armchairs;
- Dryer, washers, stoves, water tanks, refrigerators, freezers, a/c units, water coolers;
- Wood items including fences and decks;
- Metal and construction waste which is not heavier than 50lbs and no longer than 6ft;
- Electronic waste including TVs, computers, computer monitors, keyboards, and associated cables.

### Unacceptable Items:

- Toxic waste, highly combustible items or explosive materials, biomedical waste, raw sewage or septic pumping and radioactive waste;
- Hot ashes which are not properly quenched and appear hot likely to cause a fire;
- Compressed propane or butane cylinders;
- Toxic household hazardous waste including solvents, oven cleaner, paints, automotive fluids, wet cell batteries, pesticides, herbicides or any material commonly referred to as household, commercial or industrial hazardous waste;
- Biomedical waste including needles or syringes, lancets or any sharp items used in home medical care;
- Dead animals or animal parts from hunting or trapping;
- Radioactive waste.

SPRING AND FALL CLEAN-UP	FEES
Couches, love seats, mattresses, box springs	\$10.00 each
Chairs, tables, armchairs	\$5.00 each
Dryers, washers, stoves, water tanks	\$5.00 each
Refrigerators, freezers, a/c units, water coolers	\$30.00 each Freon charge
Wood Items	\$10.00
Aluminium Patio Sets	\$5.00
Discretionary Charge for Labour Intensive & Bulk items	\$5.00 - \$10.00

**POOR CELL SERVICES**

The Town is aware that the cell service in Stavelly is very poor. We are asking all residents to complete this complaint form with Telus.

Follow the link below and search for you address, click the “Report an Issue” button under the map. Press “Select the location” and use the map to drop a pin. Confirm the location by clicking “Confirm the location” prompt at the top of the map. Fill out the feedback form as requested. You will receive a confirmation code via text after clicking next, add this code to the following page and submit the issues.

**\*\* THIS CAN’T BE COMPLETED ON A CELLPHONE \*\***

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[https://www.telus.com/en/mobility/network/coverage-map?INTCMP=VAN\\_coverage](https://www.telus.com/en/mobility/network/coverage-map?INTCMP=VAN_coverage)



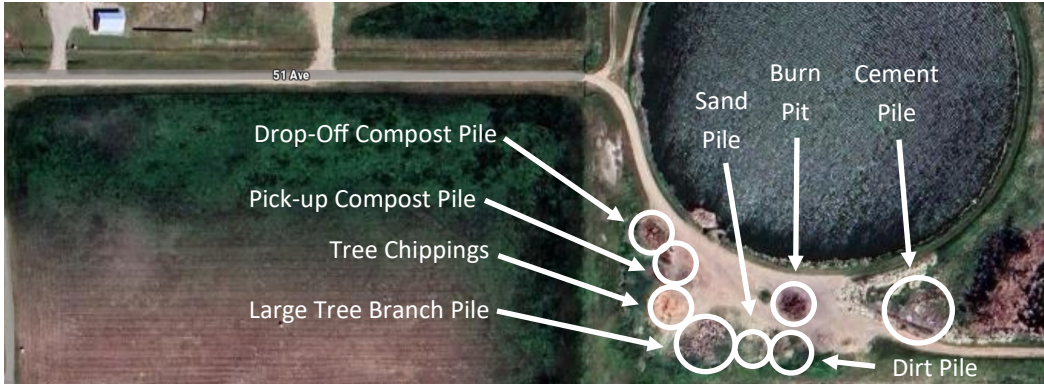
**REMINDER TO PEDESTRIANS**

Please be mindful of designated crosswalk areas within Town for your safety and safety of others. Drivers are more likely to stop and be aware of pedestrians when they cross in designated areas.

The Town is installing flashing crosswalk indicators on 55th Ave due to increased traffic. Once installed we encourage all residents (including children) to utilize this safety feature.

**LAGOON MAP**

**Drop-Off Compost Pile—**  
Residents are allowed to drop off any compost items  
**Pick-up Compost Pile—**  
Public works breaks down the dropped off compost pile & restacks same here



**Tree Chipping—**Wood chippings  
**Large Tree Branches—**Anyone can use this wood as firewood, NO FENCES OR DECKS, branches ONLY  
**Sand Pile—**Repurposed sand from Public Works and/or Ag Society  
**Burn Pit—**Tree Branches 4 inches or less, Public Works burns 2-3 times a year  
**Dirt Pile—**Repurposed dirt, be mindful of how much you take, this is for everyone  
**Cement Pile—**Old cement

Anyone may contribute and/or take from the piles at the lagoon. Gravel can be purchased at a fee of \$30 per backhoe bucket.

**STAVELY FIRE UPDATE**

**Spring Cleanup & Burning**

As spring arrives and cleaning begins including outdoor burning, we encourage you to follow these tips:

- **Clear debris:** Remove leaves, branches, and other dry vegetation that can easily ignite.
- **Safe burning:** If burning is permitted, ensure same is in a safe, clear location. It is important to have water and fire extinguishers readily available.
- **Check equipment:** Ensure gas BBQs and other outdoor equipment are in good working order and free of debris.

**Wildfire Preparedness**

The importance of being prepared for wildfires is always a concern, here are some tips when preparing:

- **Create a defensible space:** Clear vegetation around homes & buildings to reduce the risk of wildfire spread.
- **Develop an evacuation plan:** Know where and how to get to your destination in case of a wildfire.
- **Stay informed:** Monitor weather conditions and wildfire alerts from local authorities.

If you have any further questions or concerns regarding fire safety and prevention, please feel free to reach out to the Stavelly Fire Department at 403-549-3965 or email [fire@stavelly.ca](mailto:fire@stavelly.ca)