



Chapple Municipal Newsletter

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Deposit of snow on roadway

Please refrain from pushing the snow from your property onto municipal roads as per Highway Traffic Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. H.8

181 No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing so to do from the Ministry or the road authority responsible for the maintenance of the road. R.S.O. 1990, c. H.8, s. 181.

The 2026 Interim Property Tax Bill are due on or before Tuesday March 31, 2026

Property Taxes and Utility Billing.

Payments can be made by:

Cash or **cheque** dropped off through the envelope slot on main entrance door;

By **cheque** mailed to PO Box 4, Barwick ON P0W 1A0; Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)

E-transfer through your online banking;

Link-up payment through **CIBC bill payment** options; and by using the **E-Payment** option located at the top of our web page <https://www.chapple.on.ca>

A Sea Can has been placed at the Shenston Landfill for residents to re-purpose items. Please "give" or "take" items that you feel could be re-purposed.

PLEASE NO CLOTHING!!

No snowmobiling on the Well Field

open area behind the Cenotaph

WASTE RECOVERY SITES HOURS OF OPERATION:

Shenston Dump: (On Huziak Road)

Monday	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Friday	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Richardson Dump: (On Teeple Road)

Saturday	9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
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DUMP CARDS ARE REQUIRED PLEASE PRESENT TO GATE ATTENDANT WHEN ENTERING

If you do not have a dump card please contact Municipal Office

Mark your Calendars

Wednesday, January 28, 2026- Next Council Meeting starting at 6:00 P.M. – User Fee Final Review

Wednesday, February 25, 2026- Next Council Meeting

Monday, February 16, 2026 – Office will be closed for Family Day

Wednesday, March 25, 2026- Next Council Meeting

SORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR LANDFILLS

House hold

house hold garbage
Cement – cement blocks, large chunks of broken cement
plastic, glass,
Shingles, insulation, drywall
all household furniture i.e. treated, painted, stained or upholstered furniture
Plywood – OSB, press board, MDF board (anything that contains a glue product)
Treated Construction Lumber – 2x4's etc.
EMPTY paint & aerosol cans
EMPTY – CLEAN oil containers

Tires

must be reported to dump attendant & *tire drop off ticket* is to be completed
tires must be placed in tire pile

Propane Tanks

must be *completely* empty & put in a separate area beside the metal

Electronics

TV's, computers, printers, tablets etc. to be placed in the electronic bin

Burnable

clean wood – tree branches, limbs & leaves
NON-TREATED
construction wood, pallets, wood crates, cardboard

Ashes

must be cold *NO HOT*
COALS
must be dumped in the ash pile

Wire

page wire, barbed wire, cables to be rolled & put in a separate area beside the metal pile

Metal

all metals
vehicles & their metal parts
air conditioners – including portable, central air units
freezers, refrigerators
ALL MUST BE TAGGED BY A QUALIFIED TECHNICIAN

Creosoted Wood, railway ties, bridge timbers MUST be taken to the Richardson Landfill ONLY (for a fee)




WE WILL NOT ACCEPT

- new or used oil i.e. motor oil, hydraulic oil etc. - dirty oil containers or their lids (they must be clean), - used oil filters
- no fuel or oil tanks unless they are clean and dry
- paint cans/aerosol cans that have paint in them – must be empty or the paint must be dry/solid - air conditioners/appliances with Freon

BURN PERMITS

Are to be purchased online
<https://chapple.burnpermits.com>
Permits are needed from January 1st to December 31st





Update your mailing address online with MPAC

As a property owner, you will receive notices from the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) about your property's assessed value. If you own a property in The Township of Chapple but want to receive all your notices at a different mailing address, you can easily update your information with MPAC. Visit <https://www.mpac.ca/en/MakingChangesUpdates/ChangingYourMailingAddress>




Fitness Center Update:

Single/yr: \$100 plus \$20/fob
Single/Mth: \$40 plus \$20/fob
Single/6 Mth: \$60 plus \$20/fob
Family: \$150/year plus \$20/fob
Replacement FOB \$25 / FOB





Alert Ready is Canada's emergency alerting system. Alert Ready delivers critical and potentially life-saving alerts to Canadians through television, radio and LTE-connected and compatible wireless devices. The Alert Ready system was developed with many partners, including federal, provincial and territorial emergency management officials. Environment and Climate Change Canada, Pelmorex, the broadcasting industry and wireless service providers. Together, these partners work to ensure Canadians receive alerts immediately and know when to take action to stay safe.

 **Make a Plan** **Build a Kit** **Stay Informed**

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CARBON MONOXIDE CAN BE DEADLY!

Over **65%** of all carbon monoxide deaths and injuries in Ontario occur in **homes**.

Symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning Carbon monoxide can cause health problems before you even notice that it is present. Breathing it in reduces your body's ability to carry oxygen in your blood. Exposure to the gas can cause carbon monoxide poisoning (CO poisoning) and can be dangerous to your health.

At Low Levels, effects include flu-like symptoms: tiredness, headaches, shortness of breath, impaired motor functions, such as: muscle weakness or partial or total loss of function of a body part (limb or limbs)

At High Levels or if you are exposed to low levels for long periods of time, you can experience: dizziness, chest pain, poor vision, difficult thinking **At VERY High Levels:** convulsions, coma, or death.

Preventing carbon monoxide poisoning

Keep your home and cottage air clean and free of carbon monoxide by: - preventing indoor smoking, keeping the door between your house and the garage closed, not idling vehicles in the garage, even when the garage door is open.

Regular appliance maintenance and inspections

Ensure appliances are well maintained and inspected by a professional at least one a year. This should include furnaces, fireplaces, gas stoves & water heaters. **Regularly examine** propane & natural gas-powered appliances, such as: stoves, heaters & refrigerators. **Check for:** leaks, cracks, blocked vents, improper installations, poor connections of gas lines to appliances & vents, breaks or tears in connections tubes, corroded or disconnected venting pipes.

Inspect exhaust vents during and after a snowstorm to make sure they are not covered with snow.

Do this for your dryer, furnace, fireplace & chimney heat recovery ventilator and wood-burning or gas stove. **INSTALL AT LEAST ONE CARBON MONOXIDE (CO) ALARMS** in addition to your smoke alarm. Your smoke alarm will NOT warn you of high carbon monoxide levels in your home. **TEST CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS REGULARLY** replace batteries and the alarm itself as recommended by the manufacturer. If your alarm sounds leave your home immediately, once outside call 9-1-1. Return to your home **ONLY AFTER** the problem has been fixed by a professional.

For more information contact your local fire department.

NEVER use:

- gas powered machines in the garage, such as: trimmers, generators, lawnmowers, snowblowers, bar-b-ques or portable fuel-burning camping equipment inside a home, garage, vehicle, camper or tent, kerosene or oil space heaters and lamps in enclosed areas unless they are specifically designed for indoor use.

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