



BULLETIN

from your municipal councilor

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Notre quartier, notre fierté!

In a context where the pandemic has hit us hard, I am pleased to send you, my newsletter. I hope that it will be a source of information for you, but above all a message of hope related to the fact that our activities are gradually returning to normal. This pandemic has left us all disoriented, powerless, and sometimes too isolated. Nevertheless, being at a distance, I have come closer to you by using the means at my disposal to answer your questions. I hope that my answers have brought you the necessary support. My website has facilitated communication and my email has served as a conduit. Together we will get through this! We need to look forward and take all the positives out of this crisis, such as moving away to be closer, doing things differently and especially recognizing that there are many advantages to staying in the Outaouais region.

With summer fast approaching, I invite you to take advantage of all the places and summer activities that your city has to offer. Get reacquainted with it and explore the little treasures that are on the territory. I hope you will take advantage of this time to gather with your family around. With summer fast approaching, I invite you to take advantage of all the places and summer activities that your city has to offer. Get reacquainted with it and explore the little treasures that are on the territory.

I hope you will take advantage of this time to gather with your family around a good meal on the barbecue, if of course the measures are appropriate for these events.

Have a good vacation!

My political functions

- ◆ President of the Planning Advisory Committee
- ◆ Chair of the Demolition Applications Committee
- ◆ Member of the Board of Directors of the Société de transport de l'Outaouais (STO)
- ◆ Member of the Commission sur le développement du territoire, l'habitation et l'environnement
- ◆ President of the Local Heritage Council

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Before and during the Covid

BEFORE...

Ville de Gatineau continued to act before the upheaval that turned our daily lives upside down. Here are some of the actions taken:

- ◆ Holding a public meeting concerning the green building by-laws
- ◆ Implementation of the mobile payment solution for parking
- ◆ Holding an open house on the urban planning by-laws for the City's sectors
- ◆ Adjustment of the by-law regarding the presence of dogs on the territory
- ◆ A by-law dividing Gatineau into 19 districts to maintain a balance in terms of voters. It should be noted that district 5 will then be called district 6 and district 6 and will keep its delimitation. The citizens of the Manoir-des-Trembles district will be part of district 6 at the next elections in November. I invite you to exercise your democratic right next November
- ◆ Road Safety Program 2019-2021 in collaboration with the Gatineau Police Service and the Ottawa Police Service
- ◆ Setting up a tactical economic development committee.



WHILE...

City Council members considered the problems inherent to Covid-19 and ensured the well-being of citizens by:

- ◆ Deferring the second tax payment scheduled for June 2020 to August
- ◆ Restricting access to and visiting municipal parks to respect social distancing, closing administrative offices while maintaining essential services and reducing interprovincial travel
- ◆ Opening a bin repair and delivery service for residual materials
- ◆ Altering the bylaw for day and night parking
- ◆ Providing a means for the population to attend Council meetings virtually
- ◆ Supporting parents in the opening of day camps
- ◆ Adapting to this new reality while considering the experience of citizens.

NOW...

This crisis has led us to change our ways of doing things and we have had to adapt to this reality. For your Councillor, this was a period that required an adjustment. Meetings were only held through virtual means, but we still made progress. You must understand that nothing was put on pause. We can begin to mourn past events while making a clearer analysis and learning from our mistakes. We must now move forward and support the economic development of our city.

We have been swimming in the unknown, now it is time to roll up our sleeves and visualize our city as we imagine it. There are projects that are in the works, being considered, being developed and others that will see the light of day. Let us be proactive and be at the heart of the action.

In our neighbourhood and more...

The **Marché Vieux Hull** is back for its 19th edition. The mission of the organization is to offer the Outaouais population and tourists' direct access to fresh produce from market gardeners, horticultural and agricultural producers and local products while facilitating the development of the Outaouais region's agri-food industry. Come and visit the market every Thursday at Moussette Park starting June 3 at 9:30 am.



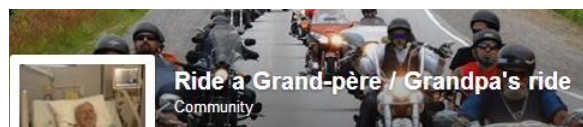
Food trucks will be part of the urban face. The Executive Committee has approved 17 locations and will also be possible in the 4 public markets of Gatineau. A call for proposals was launched in May to issue the required authorizations to the operators for a one-year period. Come support them and enjoy a good meal!

A notice of proposal has been submitted to City Council for the City of Gatineau to acquire the Moore Farm. This acquisition could benefit the entire population as well as associations. There are further developments to come on this file.



The City of Gatineau has adopted a by-law concerning noise on the territory in Gatineau. It is forbidden for any person to use or allow the use of a sound device in such a way that the noise is perceptible outside the building where the device is located and is of such a nature as to disturb the peace, well-being, comfort, public tranquility, or that of the neighbourhood. With the summer season fast approaching, I ask you to respect the rules and act as good citizens. Some noises are aggressive and disturb the neighborhood. To learn more about this by-law, please visit the City's website.

It is with great honour that I have accepted the honorary presidency of the "Ride to Grandfather" event that will be held on July 17 in support of the University of Ottawa Heart Institute Foundation. This event is organized by a very dynamic volunteer and supporter, Mr. Daniel Shipman, who is celebrating his 10th anniversary of a heart transplant. If you feel like it, support this cause too! www.ottawaheart.ca



A special thank you to everyone who works with the associations.

Thank you for your support and for helping to energize your community. Get involved and be part of one of these associations, it is rewarding!



**Association récréative
Les jardins du Château**

Projects Status of Work

Projects	Work Status			
	Pre-project	Start-up	Plans and specifications	Start
Road Network				
Local streets rehabilitation 2020 - Group A - Maybury Street - des Trembles Blvd.				●
PVélo - Bicycle Program 2020-2025 - Rehabilitation of the multi-use pathway near the pool on des Trembles Blvd.				●
PVélo - Bicycle Program 2020-2025 - shoulders, pavement, and markings - Lucerne Blvd - from Champlain Bridge to Saint-Dominique Street		●		
2020-2021 Road Network Rehabilitation Program (including Bike Plan 2020-2025 bike links) - Berri St.: from Montclair Blvd. to Allumettières Blvd.		●		
PVélo - Bicycle Program 2020-2025 - multi-purpose path on Lucerne Blvd. (docking for aqueduct replacement) - Lucerne Blvd. - from St. Dominique Street to Belleau Street	●			
2020-2021 Missing Sidewalk Construction Program - Alexandre-Taché Blvd. - from St-Dominique St. to Jean-de-Brébeuf School	●			
Sidewalk Construction Program 2020-2021 - Alexandre-Taché Blvd. - from Saint-Raymond Blvd. to STO Park & Ride	●			
Water and sewer systems				
Water main loop on des Grives Blvd. (including cycling links in the Bicycle Program) 2020-2025 - des Grives Blvd. south of des Allumettières Blvd. intersection to the west end of Louise-Campagna Blvd.				●
Sewer separation, Saint-Jean-Bosco sector north of des Allumettières Blvd. (overflow eliminated) - phase 7 - Montmorency, Richelieu, and Davies streets				●
St. Joseph Blvd.- rehabilitation of water and sewer services, street foundation, paving, lighting, and urban development			●	
St. Joseph Blvd. Program - construction of a new storm drain			●	
St. Joseph Blvd. Program - water, sewer, street foundation, paving, lighting and streetscape upgrades and undergrounding (including bicycle links in the 2020-2025 Bicycle Master Plan - St. Joseph Blvd. - between Montcalm Street and Alexandre-Taché Blvd)			●	
Aqueduct replacement in the Val-Tétreau sector, phase 1 (including bicycle links in the 2020-2025 Bicycle Master Plan) Lucerne Blvd. - Belleau and Lanaudière streets		●		
Replacement of the asphalt surface of the skateboard site and the skating rink. Evaluation of the possibility of lowering two 7-foot basketball hoops to encourage play among children under 10 years of age. Single white lining for both courts.		●		
Parks				
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Caption :

Pre-project :	project definition
Start-up:	preparation - validation of parameters
Start:	during the present year
Plans and specifications:	call for tenders

Thank you to all of the City of Gatineau's service teams for their support and work in completing all of the administrative and field work.



RÉDUIRE, C'EST POSSIBLE!



Reducing is possible!



Our neighbourhood. Our pride!