Do you own a Short Term Rental?

Owners/operators of residencially-zoned short-term (periods of less than 28 consecutive days) rentals in the Municipality of Grey Highlands are required to obtain a licence to operate. This allows the Municipality to collect information needed for safety and enforcement purposes, with an aim to:

- Protect the character, amenities, and quality of the community.
- Create accountability for and to ratepayers, short-term accommodators, and visitors.
- Create a level playing field for all STA owners and operators and provide enhanced consumer protection.
- Ensure occupants are provided with safe accommodations in terms of fire and building safety.
- Ensure STA owners and operators are made aware of their responsibilities to comply with Municipal By-laws and other regulations.
- Permit responsible short-term accommodation across the Municipality.

Additional details, including a step-by-step guide to the registration process, can be found at greyhighlands.biz. Email: sta@greyhighlands.ca for more information.

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Economic Development

Economic development remains one of the highest priorities for the Municipality of Grey Highlands and forms a foundational component of its 2019-2022 Strategic Plan. Recognizing that businesses are struggling with their own future and viability, particularly considering COVID-19, staff are working diligently to connect with businesses and provide a one-stop source of information. The launch of GreyHighlands.biz, the Municipality’s dedicated economic development website, has proven to be an invaluable platform for hosting up-to-date economic development resources, as well as specific COVID-19 information.

Programs include:
- Business Retention and Expansion Programs
- Community Improvement Plan
- Community Grant Program
- COVID-19 Business Recovery
- Digital Main Street
- Investment Attraction
- [re]IMAGINE Grey Highlands Public Engagement Initiative
- Short-Term Accommodation LICencing
- Streetscape and Downtown Revitalization
- South Grey Museum

For more information, email: ecdev@greyhighlands.ca or call 519-986-1216 x 107.

COVID-19 Update

Office Update
To implement safety measures and improve customer service, we are making changes to the office lobby. In the meantime, we are happy to help you at our new Customer Service window to the left of the main doors. Staff continue to work at full capacity and are here to help!

Parks and Facilities
At this time, all outdoor recreational parks and playgrounds are open. Halls and facilities are still closed. Please check the website for the latest information.

Council Meetings
Council meetings will continue to be live streamed whether virtual, hybrid, or in Council Chambers. Meetings can be viewed on our YouTube Channel.

Stay informed on the latest COVID-19 updates at greyhighlands.ca/covid-19

Property Tax
Final 2020 installment payment due dates are September 28 and November 26. It is the responsibility of the taxpayer to ensure that the Municipality has the correct mailing address on file. Please contact taxes@greyhighlands.ca or call 519-986-1216 x 197 if you need to update or confirm your mailing address.

2021 Budget
Submit your comments for Council’s consideration regarding the 2021 budget by emailing: finance@greyhighlands.ca by October 15 2020.

Self Serve Options
We offer many self-serve options for looking up tax and property information and online payment options. Visit greyhighlands.ca/eservices

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