





TAX DUE DATE

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IMPORTANT REMINDER

TO HALTON HILLS TAXPAYERS

The second instalment of the 2018 Interim Property Tax Bill is due on April 26, 2018. For further information please visit our website at www.haltonhills.ca

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

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Destroy Nuisance Weeds - Giant Hogweed

Giant Hogweed has been found in the Town of Halton Hills. This is a giant plant that looks like "Queen Anne's Lace" but is Very Dangerous to handle. If you find it, please do not touch it with your bare hands and keep children away from it. Remove early in the growth season (April/May) to eliminate spread.

For further information on Giant Hogweed please visit www.ontarioinvasiveplants.ca

Community Standards By-law 2008-0138 No. Part 3, Section 8 states "Property Owners are required to destroy and remove all nuisance weeds and weed seeds on their land."

For a list of nuisance weeds please refer to www.haltonhills.ca/bylaws.

Any person who fails to destroy and remove all nuisance weeds and weed seeds is guilty of an offence.

As a result, the Town of Halton Hills may enter upon your property to do the work required.

The Town may recover the costs of doing any work or matter by action and adding the costs to the tax roll and collecting it in a like manner as property tax.

Please note that dandelions, burdock and goldenrod are NOT considered nuisance weeds





Destroy Noxious Weeds

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons in possession of land, in accordance with The Weed Control Act R.S.O. 1990, c. W.5., that unless weed seeds and noxious weeds growing on their lands within the Town of Halton Hills are destroyed by June 1, 2018 and throughout the season, the Town of Halton Hills may enter upon the said lands and have weeds destroyed, charging the costs against the land in taxes as set out in The Weed Control Act. The Town earnestly solicits co-operation of all property owners.

The purpose of the Weed Control Act is to reduce the impact of noxious weeds on land used for agricultural or horticultural purposes.

The Weed Control Act does not apply to noxious weeds or weed seeds on lands that are far enough away from any land used for agricultural purposes that they do not interfere with that

Please be advised that the list of Noxious Weeds has been revised to the following:

Sow Thistle Black Dog-Strangling Cypress Spurge Kudzu Dodder Leafy Spurge Tansy Ragwort **Bull Thistle** Dog-Strangling Vine Poison Hemlock Wild Chervil Canada Thistle European Buckthorn Poison Ivy Coltsfoot Wild Parsnip Giant Hogweed Ragweed Common Barberry Woolly Jointed Goatgrass Serrated Tussock Common Crupina Cupgrass Smooth Bedstraw Knapweed

Please note that dandelions, burdock and goldenrod are **NOT** considered noxious weeds under The Weed Control Act.

Any concerns or inquiries should be directed to: Kelly Withers, Enforcement Coordinator - Lead Customer Service Specialist 905 873-2601 ext. 2330

Dated at the Town of Halton Hills this 12th of April 2018. Suzanne Jones, Clerk & Director of Legislative Services

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