



Town of Elrose **NEWSLETTER**

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October 2020

The Town Office will be open to the public Tuesdays to Thursdays from 9:00am until 12:00pm. Only one person at a time will be allowed into the office.

Fire Prevention Week – October 4-10, 2020 “Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen!”

Fire Prevention Week 2020 campaign highlights this year's focus on cooking safety and preventing kitchen fires at home. Unattended cooking is the leading cause of home fires. See reverse of newsletter for more information and tips on how to prevent fires in the kitchen.

Property Tax Payment Discount

From October 1st to the end of the year you can take advantage of a 3% discount, on the Municipal portion of the current year taxes. It will be applied to all payments received into the office October 1st through December 31st.

Just a reminder:

- **Social Distancing Payment Options** are as follows:
 1. Place payment through the mail slot on the front of the Town Office. Receipts will be mailed.
If making a payment of cash, please put thru mail slot during business hours
 2. Make an online payment (with RBC & PCCU)
 3. Send an e-transfer to: townofelrose@sasktel.net
 4. Mail a cheque.

****Please reference either your Utilities Account Number or Property Tax Roll Number on your payment****
If you have any questions or concerns please call us at (306) 378-2202 or by email townofelrose@sasktel.net

- **eTransfers** - We can once again can accept e-Transfers payments! Send all e-Transfers to townofelrose@sasktel.net and reference your utility account number, property tax roll number or invoice number.

FORM H (Section 66 of the Act)

Notice of Call for Nominations Town of Elrose

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office(s) of:

Mayor: Town of Elrose
Councillors: Town of Elrose
Number to be Elected: 6

will be received by the undersigned on the 7th day of October, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Town of Elrose Office, and during regular business hours from September 22nd to October 6th, 2020.

Nomination forms may be obtained at the following location(s): Town of Elrose Office, 101 Main Street, Elrose, SK

Dated this 21st day of September, 2020.

Connie Henning
Returning Officer



Cooking Safety

Cooking brings family and friends together, provides an outlet for creativity and can be relaxing. But did you know that cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries? By following a few safety tips you can prevent these fires.

"COOK WITH CAUTION"

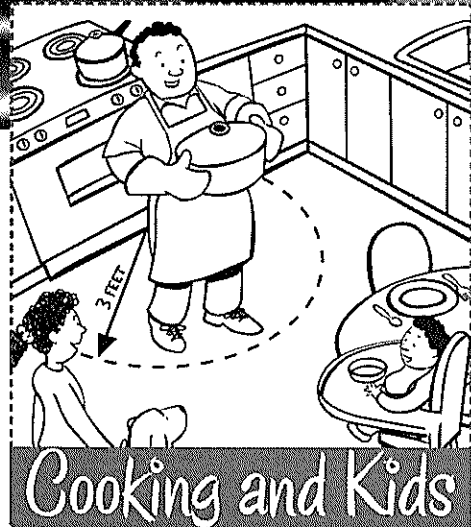
- Be on alert! If you are sleepy or have consumed alcohol don't use the stove or stovetop.
- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, boiling, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- If you are simmering, baking, or roasting food, check it regularly, remain in the home while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- Keep anything that can catch fire — oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains — away from your stovetop.

If you have a small (grease) cooking fire and decide to fight the fire...

- On the stovetop, smother the flames by sliding a lid over the pan and turning off the burner. Leave the pan covered until it is completely cooled.
- For an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the door closed.

If you have any doubt about fighting a small fire...

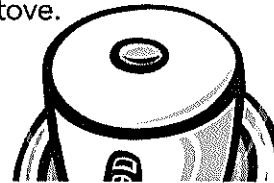
- Just get out! When you leave, close the door behind you to help contain the fire.
- Call 9-1-1 or the local emergency number from outside the home.



Have a "kid-free zone" of at least 3 feet (1 metre) around the stove and areas where hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

FACTS

- ❗ The leading cause of fires in the kitchen is unattended cooking.
- ❗ Most cooking fires in the home involve the kitchen stove.



NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION
The leading information and knowledge resource on fire, electrical and related hazards