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PUBLIC NOTICE

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all garage sales, regardless of duration, <u>are strongly discouraged</u> from being held until the Provincial restrictions are relaxed. *Please note* all municipalities within Sturgeon County are following a similar practice to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

- Garage sales are a non-essential service
- Garage sales encourage mass or public gatherings and physical closeness
- Garage sales deal with cash handling and provide an opportunity for surface disease transfer
- Garage sale goers often go from sale to sale or community to community
- Safety and security of patrons, sanitizer use, and disinfecting protocols cannot be easily monitored
- Inside a garage may not allow for appropriate physical distancing
- Garage sale items are mainly used, previously handled, and do not have exterior wrapping or protective coverings.

Let us all do our part to get through this pandemic as quickly and safely as possible.

Larry Davidson Town Manager