



## We Want Your Input on the Town of Ponoka Budget



### View the Online Budget Open House

Visit [LetsTalkPonoka.ca](https://www.lets-talk-ponoka.ca) and click on 'Budget Consultation 2024.'



### Take the Citizen Input Survey

Available online at [LetsTalkPonoka.ca](https://www.lets-talk-ponoka.ca). Paper copies can be picked up and dropped off at the:



- Ponoka Town Office (200, 5604 50 Street);
- Ponoka Arena Complex (4410 54 Street);
- Ponoka Aquaplex (5315 46 Avenue); and
- Coffee with Council events.

Completed surveys can also be mailed to the Town of Ponoka (#200, 5604-50 St, Ponoka, AB, T4J 1G5) or dropped in the drop box located just inside the west doors of the Ponoka Civic Centre.



### Attend Coffee with Council

**Monday, August 21 from 3 to 7 p.m.** at the Ponoka Community Market (5110 48 Avenue).

You can ask questions and share your ideas on the Budget with members of Town Council.



### Town Facility Hours for Heritage Day (Monday, August 7)

- The Ponoka Aquaplex and Ponoka Arena Complex will be open for programming throughout the August long weekend. To view the facility schedules, please visit the Town of Ponoka's website at [ponoka.ca/p/recreation](https://ponoka.ca/p/recreation).
- The Town of Ponoka Waste Transfer Station will be open on Saturday, August 5 and closed on Monday, August 7. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, August 8.
- The Town Office at the Ponoka Civic Centre will be closed on Monday, August 7. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, August 8.

## ~ TOWN NEWS ~

- **Property Taxes Due July 31** – If you have not received your 2023 combined assessment and property tax notice yet, please contact the Town of Ponoka Tax Clerk at 403-783-0127 or by email at [taxes@ponoka.ca](mailto:taxes@ponoka.ca). Property owners are responsible to ensure their taxes are paid on time and to contact the Town if they do not receive their tax notice. Penalties will be applied after July 31 for unpaid taxes.
- **Payment Dates for Monthly Property Tax Payment Plan** – Citizens who pay their property taxes through the Town of Ponoka's Monthly Property Tax Payment Plan can now select a payment date of either the first or 16th day of each month. To change your payment date or to ask questions, please contact the Town Tax Clerk at 403-783-0127 or email [taxes@ponoka.ca](mailto:taxes@ponoka.ca).
- **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on July 26, 27 and 28 – depending on your Zone.
- **Green Carts and Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on August 2, 3 and 4 - depending on what Zone you live in.
- **Missed Pickups** – If your curbside recycling, compost (green cart) or waste (grey cart) was not picked up on your designated collection day, please contact E360S dispatch at 403-341-9300 or by email at [rddispatch@e360s.ca](mailto:rddispatch@e360s.ca). For more information on the curbside waste collection program, please visit the Town website at [www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management](https://www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management) or call the Town office at 403-783-4431.

## ~ UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS ~

- **Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, August 8 at 6 p.m.**
- **Next PRIORITIES AND INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING: Tuesday, August 15 at 6 p.m.**
- The public is welcome to attend all Regular Council and Council Committee meetings. Meetings will be held in Town Council Chambers on the third floor of the Ponoka Civic Centre (5604 50 Street).



## TOWN OF PONOKA COMMUNITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE AUGUST 18 TO 20

Enter your garage or yard sale on the Town's community-wide garage sale map.

- Email [recreation@ponoka.ca](mailto:recreation@ponoka.ca) or call 403-783-0131 by Friday, August 11 with your name, physical address, and the dates and times of your garage sale.
- The event takes place from Friday, August 18 to Sunday, August 20. You can choose to operate on one, two or all three days.
- You can also post your garage or yard sale to the outdoor bulletin board at the Ponoka Arena Complex
- The online garage sale map will be posted at [ponoka.ca](https://ponoka.ca) the week of August 14 under 'Latest News and Notices.'



## Hometown Weekly Town of Ponoka News and Events

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