

# COUNCILLOR'S CORNER



Seasons Greetings, everyone.

It is December, and that means the Christmas season is all around us! It means a little more caring, sharing, and compassion. This year, even more so.

The COVID-19 situation has created so many new phrases, most of them not very optimistic. Many are suffering from "COVID fatigue," myself included. There seems to be a never-ending stream of

negative news with very little positive to balance it out.

This season let's try to be a little more upbeat, a little more caring, and forgiving - and most importantly, carry that into the new year. Find each good thing and partake in it. Not everything is cancelled. Tayles Park lighting did not have an event, but the lights and music are there. Go enjoy them. The Blackfalds Chamber's Passport to Christmas is still on; shop local to support those around you.

As of this writing, The Blackfalds Fire Department was even planning on escorting Santa and Mrs. Claus around town to support the local Food Bank; please give them a hand. As a side note, the Blackfalds Food Bank is moving to "new to them" facility in the near future. Contact them for any extras that they may be in need of.

Try out a new holiday tradition. Drive around our community looking at everyone's decorations.

Let's have a safe and happy holiday season. Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

*Ray Olbert*

Councillor

December 2020

## UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS:

### Regular Meetings

December 8 | 7:00 p.m.

January 12 | 7:00 p.m.

### Standing Committee

January 18 | 7:00 p.m.

Regular Council (RCC) and Standing Committee meetings (SCC) are closed to the public until further notice.

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*All meetings are held in Council Chambers  
Civic & Culture Centre  
5018 Waghorn St.*



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