

Monday, December 1, 2025

CANCELLED Finance and Labour Relations Committee

Date and Time: Monday, December 1 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Address: 1 Wellington Street, Stratford Ontario N5A 2L3

CANCELLED Board of Park Management Meeting

Date and Time: Monday, December 1 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Address: 353 McCarthy Rd, Stratford, ON N5A 7S7

Tuesday, December 2, 2025

CANCELLED Finance and Labour Relations Committee

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 2 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Address: 1 Wellington Street, Stratford Ontario N5A 2L3

Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 2 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Address: 353 McCarthy Rd, Stratford, ON N5A 7S7

Wednesday, December 3, 2025

Court of Revision

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 3 4:30 pm

Thursday, December 4, 2025

Communities in Bloom Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, December 4 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Address: 353 McCarthy Rd, Stratford, ON N5A 7S7

Energy & Environment Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, December 4 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: 353 McCarthy Rd, Stratford, ON N5A 7S7

Sunday, December 7, 2025

Santa's Parade of Lights

Date and Time: Sunday, December 7 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Address: City of Stratford

Santa Claus is coming to town.

Stratford's annual Parade of Lights will be held on Sunday, Dec. 7, starting at 5 p.m.

The parade will take a scenic route around the Avon River, beginning at Hillcrest Drive and William Street, moving east along William Street to Lakeside Drive North, across the Festival bridge, then west along Lakeside Drive to the area in front of the Tom Patterson Theatre. Santa will be in the last float.

Non-perishable food donations will be collected along the parade route.

New this year, the parade will offer a sensory-friendly area on William Street, between Hillcrest Drive and Denison Street. Along that stretch, floats will not use sirens or intense flashing lights or strobes.

Also, the timing and location of the tree lighting has changed. A permanent tree on William Street across from Haig Street has been selected, and the lighting will take place there at approximately 4:45 p.m., just before the start of the parade.

For the safety of parade participants and spectators, a number of temporary road closures will be in place from approximately 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday. The closures include:

- William Street from Mornington Street to Martin Street
- Hillcrest Drive from Delamere Avenue to William Street
- Denison Street
- Lakeside Drive North from Martin Street to Lakeside Drive
- Lakeside Drive from Lakeside Drive North to Waterloo Street
- Veterans Drive from Waterloo Street to York Street

We urge all motorists to drive cautiously when travelling near the parade route, and obey all road closure signs.

Those driving to the parade and parking nearby are asked to please be respectful of residents in surrounding neighbourhoods, and take care not to block or interfere with driveways.

The parade is co-ordinated by the Stratford and District Saddle Club, Bethel Pentecostal Church and the City of Stratford.

For more information, please visit www.stratford.ca/santa

Monday, December 8, 2025

Committee of the Whole In-camera

Date and Time: Monday, December 8 6:00 pm

Regular Council

Date and Time: Monday, December 8 7:00 pm

Finance and Labour Relations Committee

Date and Time: Monday, December 8 7:05 pm

Infrastructure, Transportation and Safety Committee

Date and Time: Monday, December 8 7:10 pm

Tuesday, December 9, 2025

Heritage Stratford Advisory Committee Meeting

Date and Time: Tuesday, December 9 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 353 McCarthy Rd, Stratford, ON N5A 7S7

Thursday, December 11, 2025

Property Standards Committee

Date and Time: Thursday, December 11 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Address: 1 Wellington Street, Stratford Ontario N5A 2L3

Planning and Heritage Sub-committee

Date and Time: Thursday, December 11 4:30 pm

Wednesday, December 17, 2025

Committee of Adjustment

Date and Time: Wednesday, December 17 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Address: 1 Wellington Street, Stratford Ontario N5A 6W1

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