



## Council Meeting Schedule

**July 23 (New Date)**

August 13

September 3

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for a full list of Council  
Meeting dates



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## Wawa Receives Over \$350,000 from NOHFC



The Ontario Government is providing more than \$350,000 through the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation

(NOHFC) for updates to the airport terminal and Michipicoten Golf Course. "The Municipality of Wawa thanks NOHFC for its financial contribution to the Wawa Municipal Airport upgrades. This critical funding will support terminal building improvements and make accessible its washroom facilities, as well as purchase a sand dome for improved runway operations. The airport provides a critical service to the community, including Alamos Gold Inc., who has also contributed to this project." said Mayor Pilon. The Municipality acknowledges and thanks Alamos Gold Inc. for also making a financial contribution to the project. Funding provided to support the needed repairs to the golf course clubhouse, accessible decking and irrigation pump, will ensure residents and visitors can golf and have access to the clubhouse.

The golf course attracts and retains visitors to the community, contributing to the local economy and, with the support of NOHFC, will be around for years to come. The Municipality was proud to obtain this funding for the golf course.



## Thank You Ontario Trillium Foundation!

On Monday, June 17, 2024, MPP Michael Mantha visited Wawa to announce that the Municipality of Wawa was successful in receiving a Community Investment Grant from the



Ontario Trillium Foundation for a safe running and walking track. A grant, in the amount of \$130,000 covered 100% of the project costs. The track is important for hosting regional school events, providing youth recreational choices and is a place where people can gather for events. The new four lane, 400m track was installed in 2024. Wawa Mayor and Council would like to thank the Ontario Trillium Foundation, MPP Mantha and municipal staff for making the project possible.

## Council Decisions

- Accepted Staff Recommendation to issue an RFP for the 2024 Broadway Murals Project
- Approved the vesting of three properties that were unsuccessful in a tax sale
- Entered into an agreement with High Falls Contracting for the replacement of the washroom complex at the Harry McCluskie Municipal Marina
- Awarded construction of Airport Sand Shed to Mike Moore Construction for a 40 X 40 fabric tarp shed with landscape concrete block foundation
- Approved equipment purchase of previously owned mid-size loader
- Sponsored Wawa Music Festival for \$1,500.
- Accepted Staff Recommendation to award contract for MMCC Arena Scoreboard to Echotech

For More Council Decisions Visit: [wawa.civicweb.net](http://wawa.civicweb.net)

**DOWNTOWN WAWA**  
 **CANADA DAY**  
 Monday, July 1, 2024  
**Schedule of Events**

**11 AM**  
**GOOSE NEST MARKET AND STREET FAIR**  
 Artisan crafts, baked goods, produce, farm products, food, beverages, cotton candy, nachos and more  
**CLIMB'N FUN!**  
 Foam Cannon, Gyroscope and Rock Wall!  
**3 PM**  
**WAWA MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
 Local talent and Rita Visser & the Day Dreamers!  
**NATURALLY SUPERIOR ADVENTURES**  
 Voyageur Canoe Rides and SUP Instruction

11:45 AM **CHILDREN'S BIKE DECORATING CONTEST AND PARADE**  
 Meet at the road closure at the Broadway and Gold St intersection and parade down Broadway to the Music Stage. Prizes for best decorated! 11:45 registration, 12 PM parade.  
 12:00 PM **OPENING REMARKS/LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**  
**DUSK** **FIREWORKS**  
 Dr. Roses Beach - put on by the Wawa Volunteer Firefighters

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## LIBRARY SUMMER PROGRAMS 2024 JULY 2 - AUGUST 23

Wawa Public Library - [www.wawa.olsn.ca](http://www.wawa.olsn.ca)  
 Stories, Crafts, Crocheting, Drawing, Games!

\$3,000  
 Largest  
 Salmon!

## WAWA SALMON DERBY AUGUST 23 - 25



Early Bird Registration Until July 8  
 5 Day Pre-Fishing Contest (August 17 - 21)  
[www.wawasalmonderby.com](http://www.wawasalmonderby.com)



## WAWA MUSIC FESTIVAL

JULY 26 - 28

\*3 Stages \*3 Days



<https://www.facebook.com/wawamusicfest/>  
<https://wawamusicfestival.ca/>

## New Marina Washroom Facility and Playground

High Falls Contracting is constructing a two stall washroom and shower complex at the municipal marina. This facility is made possible by funding received by small craft harbours and will be constructed of sealed concrete block to resist flooding. The washroom is currently under construction and is expected to be completed before July 1, 2024. The marina playground equipment donated by Harvey and Cindy West is ready for use and is being enjoyed by many. The new equipment provides a fun space where residents and visitors to Michipicoten River Village can gather and play together.



**Wawa Ontario** **MMCC**  
**IMPROVEMENTS**

MMCC will be undergoing modernization renovations & HVAC replacement; this includes extensive work to the ceilings, flooring in most rooms, new signs & movement of gym equipment to lower level.

**July 2 - September 9 Fitness Area & Gym CLOSED**

Room Rentals Limited (Arena & Curling Surface Avail.)  
 Current Fitness Memberships paused during the closure & reactivated in the fall at your request.  
 Marina Slips still available at the Proshop.  
 705-856-2244 ext. 240



### Summer Hours

Municipal Office (40 Broadway Ave.)

June, July & August

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

CLOSED: Saturday and Sunday



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