

PRESS RELEASE

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## CANCELLATION OF INTEREST AND PENALTIES ON OUTSTANDING TAX ACCOUNT BALANCES

**Chelsea, April 8, 2020** – At the regular Council meeting held by videoconference on April 7, 2020, Council unanimously decided to cancel interest and penalties on outstanding tax account balances. The cancellation applies for the period extending from March 13 to July 1, 2020. Should the situation persist, council will assess other options for easing the tax burden for residents.

Postdated cheques already received will be cashed on the due dates unless residents request otherwise. We encourage all those who are in a position to make their tax payments to do so on the due dates in order to maintain the Municipality's cash flow.

## Delayed payment

If you don't think you will be able to make your payments on the due dates, please advise us as soon as possible by writing to h.cyr@chelsea.ca.

Please note that arrangements made with some taxpayers for late tax payments will remain in place. If you do not think you will be able to comply with your agreement, please notify us in writing at the above email address.

## Preauthorized debit payments

To stop pre-authorized debits and payments made through a financial institution, you must contact your institution directly to make the necessary changes.

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