

**For Immediate Release**  
Tuesday, March 24, 2020



### **COVID-19 UPDATE: CITY ADJUSTS PROGRAMMING AND SERVICES**

Welland – The City of Welland is making additional adjustments to programming and services to protect the health and well-being of the community. These decisions are being made in order to keep the public and City staff safe and minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus by following the advice of public health officials to increase social distancing.

- The Transit Terminal on East Main Street will close effective Tuesday, March 24 at 9:30 p.m.
- All Recreational Programming scheduled to begin on April 6 at the Welland Community Wellness Complex is cancelled until further notice. Participants will be notified a week in advance of resuming.
- All washroom facilities at Merritt Island have been closed

All outdoor playgrounds, parks, including the skate park remain closed and we ask for your co-operation in refraining from using these facilities.

During the closure of Civic Square, residents can make parking ticket payments using Visa or MasterCard through our online service provider, *Paymentus*, at <https://www.welland.ca/parking/onlinepayments.asp>. Cheques can be mailed to our office at 60 East Main St., Welland, ON L3B 3X4, or placed in the Civic Square drop box located at the first set of doors of the Civic Square (closest to Cross Street).

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