

# Newsletter January 2026

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS

Naturally Refreshed

## Renewal Reminders

### Business Licence Renewals

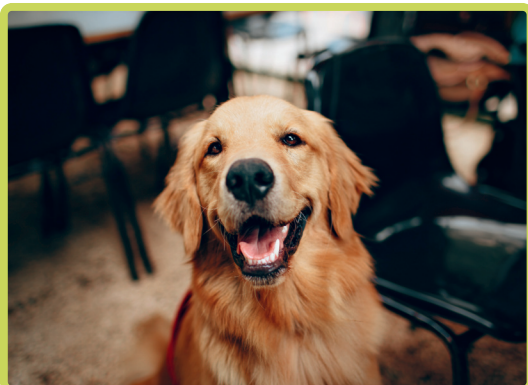
Business licence renewals are due by January 31, 2026. Ensure your licence is renewed on time and before late penalties are applied. Opening a new business in the Village? Apply for your business licence through the Village Office.

### Dog Licence Renewals

Ensure your dog is licenced for 2026! Dog licence renewal reminders have been issued through the FVRD - a 30% penalty fee will apply to payments received after December 31, 2025.

*Did you know all dogs four months and older require a dog licence in the Village of Harrison Hot Springs?*

**Register your furry friend at the Village Office or directly through the FVRD at [fvrd.ca](http://fvrd.ca)**



## Stay #WaterSmart this Winter

Stay safe during your winter weather adventures by being #WaterSmart! Be prepared before you begin your winter activities along Harrison Lake and surrounding waterways:



Ice is unpredictable and not without risk - keep away from unfamiliar paths or unknown ice.



Check local weather updates - weather along the lake can be unpredictable and windy.



Ensure you are prepared by wearing winter weather gear - dress in layers to stay warm and regulate body temperature.

## Get Into It Harrison!

**Get Into It Harrison** is the Village's online engagement portal where you can help shape and learn about the projects that impact you!

Register to share your ideas and engage with us at: [getintoitharrison.ca](http://getintoitharrison.ca)



**Featured projects include:**

- **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Plan**
- **Village Evacuation Plan**
- **Dike Upgrade Project, and more!**

# Village Office Holiday Closure

Please be advised that the Village Office will be closed from December 25, 2025 to January 1, 2026. **The Village Office will reopen on Friday, January 2, 2026 at 8:30a.m.**

For after hours utilities or public works emergencies only call: 1-866-924-5173

*The Village of Harrison Hot Springs wishes you a very merry holiday season!*

## Lights by the Lake

*Experience the magic of the season with Lights by the Lake! On now until January 11, 2026*

The lakeside lights up every year from late November to early January in true holiday fashion. As you stroll along the promenade, delight in the warm glow of the lights, charming winter window paintings, and holiday cheer. While your there, lace up your skates for a spin along the ice at the **Starlight Skating Rink** (located at the Boat Launch parking lot)!



## Upcoming Regular Council Meetings

**Monday, January 12, 2026**  
**Monday, February 2, 2026**  
**Tuesday, February 17, 2026**  
**Monday, March 2, 2026**  
**Monday, March 16, 2026**  
**Tuesday, April 7, 2026**  
**Monday, April 20, 2026**

Regular Council Meetings are conducted in-person and via Zoom. For more information on Regular Council Meetings, agendas, and minutes, please visit [www.harrisonhotsprings.ca](http://www.harrisonhotsprings.ca)

## Community Engagement – We want to hear from you!

### Evacuation Plan Survey - Open Until January 5, 2026

Share your thoughts on evacuation planning in the Village!  
*Community Engagement Event: January 21, 2026*

### Building Belonging Survey #1: Early Input

Share your thoughts on building belonging in the community!  
*Community Engagement Event: February 19, 2026*

Digital surveys are available through the project sites at [getintoitharrison.ca](http://getintoitharrison.ca) or scan the QR code. Paper copies are available at the Village Office. Require additional supports to complete the surveys? Please contact the Village Office for assistance.



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