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The Corporation of the Town of Marathon Pandemic Planning COVID-19 Update – Penn Lake Park and Day Camps

MARATHON, ON; June 10, 2020 – The Town of Marathon remains diligent in monitoring the situation as it pertains to COVID-19. We continue to evaluate all Public Health Agency communications as well as communications from other Federal and Provincial Government Health Authorities. The health and well-being of our residents is of great importance.

The Emergency Control Group met on June 9 to review the Provincial Stage 2 Regional re-opening guidelines issued on June 8. Based on the information from the Province, the following decisions have been made:

- Penn Lake Park campground, comfort station, and washrooms will open to the public for use on June 12. Reservations will be required and no self-registrations will be allowed. The playground equipment will remain closed. Travellers from out of province or listed to remain in Stage 1 as identified by the Province of Ontario will not be able to make camping reservations.
- Planning has begun to offer child day camps in the month of July based on the COVID-19 guidance provided by the Ministry of Health. More information, including health and safety protocols and registration information will be provided in two weeks via the Town website.

“While we continue to open our recreation facilities and programs based on guidance from the Province, physical distancing and making smart health and safety decisions must continue to be top of mind.” Mayor Rick Dumas.

For more information, please contact the Municipal office during the regular business hours of 10:00am to 4:00pm at 229-1340; after hours 229-6125. We encourage our residents to visit our Municipal website (www.marathon.ca) and Municipal Facebook page for updated information.

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