



MAYOR'S REPORT – FEBRUARY 11, 2019

WIND STORM

The past 36 hours have been very challenging for this city as we got hit with record-breaking high winds.

I want to thank all of our staff who went above and beyond to ensure residents stayed safe and a special thank you to Canadian Niagara Power and your employees who worked in extreme conditions to get the power back on.

Work will be continuing throughout the city over the next week to remove all downed trees from hydro lines, so please exercise caution when driving and walking down the street.

Also, please stay away from the high waters in Lake Erie and the Welland Canal.

PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN

We want to hear from you about the future of parks and recreation in Port Colborne.

The final day for responding to our survey is this Thursday, February 28 - so complete it on our website or pick up a copy at City Hall.

Your PORTicipation is important to the success of the survey.

MARCH BREAK CAMPS

Spots are still available in the March Break Active Camps for kids 6-13. Check it out on our website at [ONLINE PORT](#).

MARINER'S SERVICE AND TOP HAT CEREMONY

It's now official – the Welland Canal will be opening on Friday, March 22.

With that, St. James and St. Brendan Church will be holding their annual Mariner's Service on Sunday, March 17th. Watch for details.

Then on Friday March 22 at 8:00 a.m. we will be holding our Fair Trade Pancake Breakfast followed by the Top Hat Ceremony at 8:30 at Lock 8 Park.

Hope to see you there.