New Cistern added for hospital expansion

Further to the communication last week, this is a reminder about the new cistern for Ashern Lakeshore General Hospital being installed in the ground on December 5. The cistern is a crucial piece of Fire Life Safety equipment that will contain water for the sprinkler system that is used in case of fire in the facility.

Road Closure on December 5 for the cistern to be installed

On December 5, the cistern will be placed in the ground by crane. As a result, Steenson Ave. will not be accessible from Main Street. Public and ambulance traffic going to and from hospital and surrounding area will be rerouted south down Steenson Ave. onto the back lane and up to Poplar Ave. then onto Main Street. Ambulances will be prioritized.



Reminder about parking

Parking for the public is located closest to the facility entrances. Staff and members of the public are being asked to not park on roadways surrounding the hospital for the duration of detours to ease the travel of ambulances during emergencies.



