

# TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM

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## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT – MAY 2018

May was a month with mostly rainy days. In fact the weather station at LVIA recorded at least a trace of rain being recorded on 20 days of the month. While the total rainfall for the month was only about 5 inches it was spread out over many days. This wet weather really made the grass start to grow. So most of our time was spent cutting grass in all of our parks, detention ponds and open spaces. We also had the street sweeper out as well as the radial arm mower cutting the roadsides.

Additional work we were able to do was complete the grooming and grading of the ball fields, top off the mulch in the outdoor fitness stations at Municipal Park, detention pond fence repair and we installed a bench outside of the entrance to the Community Center that was donated by the Lion's Club. We also had a few small sinkholes to deal with, one along our Bike Path by Chetwyn Park and another on Derby Lane.

The Yard Waste Recycle Center had a total of 1398 visits for the month.

Respectfully submitted,

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