

**MONTAGUE TOWNSHIP
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTRE
MARCH 5th, 2021 MINUTES**

The Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) meeting was opened at 1:05 pm on Friday, March 5th, 2021 through Zoom meeting by Miles Greer, Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC)

Members Present:

Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC) Miles Greer
Acting Clerk Administrator/Public Information Officer Joanna Bowes
Administrative Assistant Kristy Warwick
Public Works Manager Stephen Rothwell
Reeve Bill Dobson

Members Absent:

Treasurer Andrew Hodge

1. Minutes from the previous meeting:

No comments

2. Township Updates

The EOC met to discuss the recent spike in COVID-19 cases in the Lanark East area. The EOC made the decision that the office will close as of Monday, March 8th until further notice to protect office staff, the Public Works department, and the Montague Fire Department from the new variants of COVID-19 and the spike in cases. Staff are available Monday to Friday between the hours of 9:00AM to 4:30 PM by phone and email.

The EOC confirmed that Rosedale Hall will close until further notice. This step is being taken to reduce the risk posed by gatherings.

The EOC will continue to monitor for any updates from the health unit and the province. Staff will notify the public by posting on the Township website, Facebook page and on the municipal sign.

The EOC did not declare an emergency at this time.

The next EOC meeting will be at the call of the chair.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:27 pm.