VICTORIA, BC – City of Victoria property owners are reminded that even in the event of a continued postal disruption or strike, property taxes are due by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, July 4, 2011. Property owners are responsible to ensure they meet this deadline in order to avoid a penalty for late payment.

There are many easy ways to pay your property taxes other than mailing in your payment:

**Pay Online/ Financial Institution**
Most banks and credit unions accept property tax payments online or in person. Please use the Folio Number, located at the top left of your tax notice.

**Post-dated Cheques**
Cheques post-dated for July 4, 2011 are accepted. Cheques can be dropped off at the Public Service Centre at City Hall, or in the drop box located at the Pandora Avenue entrance of City Hall.

**Public Service Centre**
If you do prefer to pay your taxes in person, the Public Service Centre is open Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Cash, cheque and Interac are accepted. Credit cards are not accepted.

Thinking ahead to next year’s taxes, property owners may wish to enrol in the monthly, automatic pre-payment program. For 10 months, on the first day of the month, a fixed amount is automatically debited from a bank account. Once taxes have been determined the remaining balance will be debited on the due date in July.

For more information on 2011 property taxes please visit [www.victoria.ca](http://www.victoria.ca).

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