



RM OF MEETING LAKE No. 466

JULY, 2018

NEWSLETTER

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Office Hours:
Monday to
Thursday
9:00 am –
4:00 pm
open during
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**Regular
Council
Meetings:**
Every second
Thursday of the
month

May – October
commence at
8:30 am

November – April
commence at
11:00 am

MUNICIPAL MILL RATE

THE MUNICIPAL MILL RATE FOR 2018 IS SET AT 8.0.

RECYCLE PLASTIC GRAIN BAGS

Plastic Grain Bags are now being accepted at the 16 to 43 Waste Management facility west of Hafford www.16-43wastemangement.ca and at the Collection Site located in the Town of Spiritwood www.townofspiritwood.ca . Please check their websites for hours of operation and requirements.

Please be aware of the safety issues and consequences of a ratepayer pushing snow from a driveway on to the municipal road or shoulder. Piles of snow left on or near the road can freeze creating a hazardous situation for vehicles and snow removal equipment. This hazard exposes the risk of serious bodily injury and poses the risk of liability for the resulting damages to the party who pushed the snow on the road. Please keep our roads safe.

*****DEVELOPMENT PERMIT*****

Under the Zoning Bylaw, the RM of Meeting Lake No. 466 now requires permits to be completed for any new development, construction or demolition on existing properties. Forms available on-line and at the RM office.

*****BUILDING PERMIT*****

A building permit is separate from the development permit. A building permit refers to the building construction and compliance with the National Building Code and is governed by the RM Building Bylaw. Permit application forms are available at the RM office and on-line. Permits will not be issued until all applicable fees are paid.

Council is requesting that ratepayers do not farm/crop main grid municipal road allowance. Starting in the 2019 mowing season crop will be cut with mower if it is within the one pass of 15 feet, shoulder cut.

Mowing ditches help control bush and noxious weeds, visibility and reduces drifting on the roads during the winter months.

If an individual desires to address council on an issue at a meeting, please call the RM office to be scheduled in as a delegation on the agenda.

Approved Regular and Special Meeting Minutes are posted on line. Council approves previous minutes at the next regular council meeting.

CONTROL BURN CENTRE
1-866-404-4911

Landfill Hours:

May 1 - October 31

Monday
8:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wednesday
8:00 am - 12:00 pm
Saturday
8:00 am - 12:00 pm

November 1 - April 30

Monday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wednesday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Saturday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Closed Statutory Holidays

NOXIOUS WEEDS

PLEASE BE AWARE OF AND IMMEDIATELY REPORT ANY NOXIOUS WEEDS TO THE RM OFFICE. KEEPING THESE DIFFICULT AND INVASIVE WEEDS OUT OF OUR RM IS TO EVERYONE'S BENEFIT.

Animals Roaming at Large

Keeping animals within your property is the responsibility of the owner. If your animals are roaming within the R.M., action may be taken to restrain the animals and all costs incurred in doing so will be the responsibility of the animals' owner.

Approaches

Contact your councillor or RM office prior to building any approaches along right-of ways, as APPROVAL is REQUIRED by council prior to any construction and will be billed for any unauthorized work.

DRAINAGE

The construction and operation of most drainage works requires the approval from Water Security Agency. Please discuss with staff at the Water Security Agency regional office at 306-446-7450 prior to any drainage.

MUNICIPAL MAPS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE COST OF \$12.00 EACH. MAPS CAN BE MAILED OUT FOR AN ADDITIONAL \$2.00.

All organic farmers are encouraged to register all their organic lands to the RM office as to let commercial pesticide applicators take the necessary precautions to avoid spray drift onto such lands.

The RM of Meeting Lake does not cover the cost of application on dust control products. Residents interested in purchasing and applying approved dust control products may do so at their expense. Please contact the RM office of location where dust control products were applied so that the grader operator will refrain from grading that portion of road.

Controlled Burning

Always report your planned control burn to avoid possible fire call costs. When burning grass, bush piles, stubble, etc. please be sure you are well-prepared and that you have fire guards in place. Call these burns into the Control Burn Centre at 1-866-404-4911.

WHEN RECYCLING

Please remember plastic film recyclable materials are no longer allowed to be recycled. Example of plastic film – grocery bags, garbage bags, plastic shrink wrap, cellophane packaging, cereal bags, pellet wrap, etc.

