

# 2024 NEWSLETTER



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#### RESORT VILLAGE OF PASQUA LAKE

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

We say good-bye to one of our Organized Hamlets. On January 1, 2024, the Organized Hamlet of Pasqua Lake transitioned to become the Resort Village of Pasqua Lake. We wish them all the best.

#### OFFICE HOURS

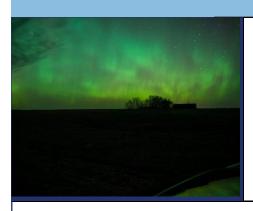
Monday 9:00-4:00 Tuesday 9:00-4:00 Wednesday 9:00-4:00

Thursday Closed to the Public

Friday 9:00-4:00

#### RATEPAYER APPRECIATION **BBQ**

Please join us for a burger, hotdog, and pop. Saturday Sept 28th, 2024, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM. Public Works Shop 177 Company Ave N Fort Qu'Appelle. Please bring a non-perishable food item for our local community



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#### **WAYS TO PAY**

E-Transfer to office@rm187.com

Cash

outreach food bank.

Cheque

Online Bill Payments

#### 2024 Municipal Election

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 13<sup>™</sup> 2024 Nomination day is October 9<sup>™</sup> 2024

Deadline for filing nomination papers October 9th 2024 4:00 P.M.

Division 3-Nomination forms must be signed by at least two voters of the division in which they are qualified to vote in.

Reeve-Nomination forms must be signed by at least two voters of the rural municipality.

## Facebook

The RM Council has added another way to provide information to you; We now have a Facebook page.

You can find us under Rural Municipality of North Qu'Appelle No. 187.

#### **RM Website**

The RM website is updated frequently.

If you are looking for information on council meetings, building and development, public notices, and other information check out our website at http://rmnorthquappelle.ca



Railway ties are often used in residential landscaping such as borders around gardens, decking and retaining walls.

However, railroad ties are typically coated in Creosote, a chemical used to preserve wood and as a pesticide. Creosote has been found to be a probable human carcinogen and so any direct or indirect contact should be avoided. By using

railway ties along water bodies or shorelines, the creosote can infiltrate into the soils and water, and then come into contact with humans and animals.

NVWMA accepts railway ties for a fee.



The RM Council has begun prioritizing bylaw enforcement.

Our bylaw enforcement officer may be dispatched to various locations, as required.

#### Changes in RM Staff

- Council would like to announce that on August 1<sup>st</sup> Charmain Wowk is moving into the Acting Administrator position. Charmain has been with the RM since 2021 and has been working towards obtaining her Undergraduate Certificate in Local Government Authority.
- Gwen Lowe is moving into the Assistant Administrator position. Gwen will continue to guide us towards success
  as the new staff gain knowledge and experience. The RM would like to thank Gwen for all her hard work while in
  the CAO role.
- In February, Rebecca Zacharuk joined the office as the Office Assistant.
- In July Public Works engaged a summer student to assist in various labour jobs. Welcome Jack.

### APAS-THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION OF SASKATACHEWAN

Did you know you're an APAS member?

APAS partners with a wide variety of businesses and service providers to offer special pricing and discounts to all ratepayers in participating RMs. Some of the rewards include discounts on hotels, vehicles, merchandise, insurance and much more!

#### **Quick Facts**

- 131 member RMs
- 230 days Board members advocated for Sask farm interests
- 439 farmers engaged in farm policy discussions
- 12 government policy submissions
- \$19.4M New investment in SK programming per year in the new Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership (SCAP) agreement a 25% increase

#### Your Municipal Council





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# Inspection of Natural Gas Lines in Your Area

SaskEnergy and TransGas will be out in your area inspecting their gas lines from July 8-August 23, 2024.

Please stay back and slow down while passing to allow them to do their work safely.

Trans Canada Trail Maintenance

Hwy 56 between Fort Qu'Appelle and Lebret

Valley Lawn & Tree Services will be on the trail this summer cutting grass and trimming trees.