

Winter 2019 Newsletter

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The Council and Staff of the R.M. of Sherwood No. 159 would like to take this opportunity to extend best wishes for a healthy, happy and productive 2020!



2019 Christmas Hours

The R.M. of Sherwood No. 159 Municipal Office will be closed through the holiday season from noon (12:00 p.m.) on Tuesday, December 24, 2019 until Thursday, January 2, 2020 at 8:00 a.m. when regular hours will resume.

All payments received via Canada Post during this time will be processed according to the date they are post marked, and payments received in person up to and including January 3, 2020 will be posted as of December 31, 2019.

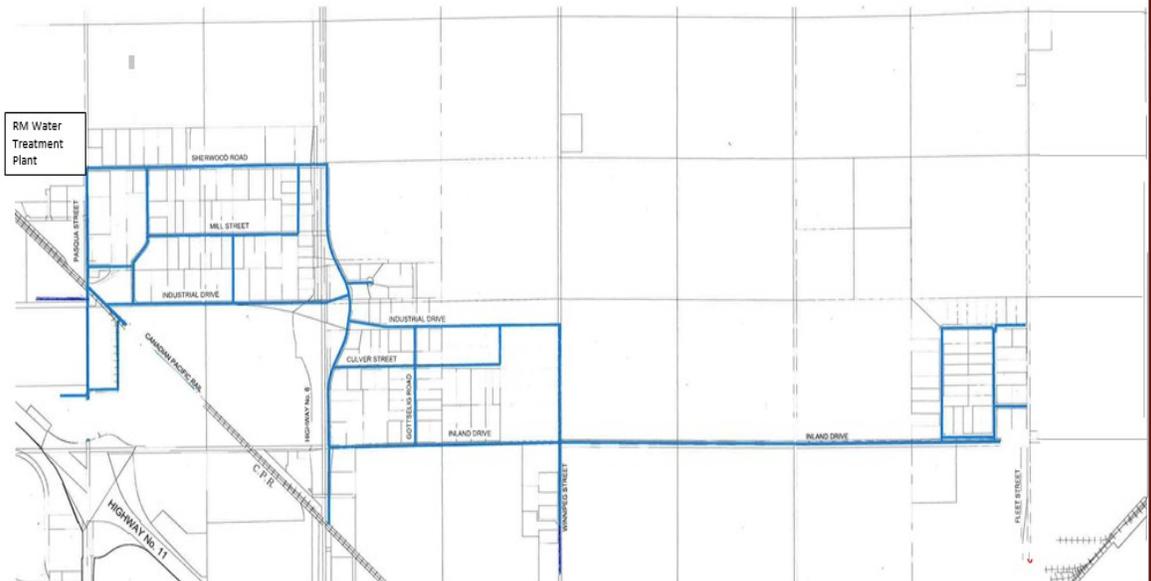
After this date, all unpaid taxes will be considered to be in arrears and will accrue a penalty of one percent (1%) per month.

Water Utility

Construction has been completed for the water distribution mains within the Sherwood Industrial Park.

Many service connections have already taken place as Bylaw No. 17/17 does require all properties within the RM to connect to the water system where available. The RM would like to encourage you to apply for your water connection as soon as possible, to allow for review and scheduling of inspection of installation. You may apply online at www.rmofsherwood.ca or call (306) 525-5237 to request an application. For any existing or new water service customers, **please be reminded that any water meter bypass device is illegal to have on your water service, Bylaw 17/17.**

RM of Sherwood #159
Distribution Water Mains Located Within Sherwood Industrial Park and Parker Industrial Subdivision.



For anyone wanting to connect to the potable water system, please contact the RM of Sherwood for a New Water Service Connection Application. Application and instructions are on the website www.rmofsherwood.ca.

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On November 9, 2020, municipal elections will be held for the following:

Reeve and Councillors representing odd-numbered divisions.

For more information if you are considering a term in office please visit:

<https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/running-for-municipal-office>

The following members have proudly formed a Watershed Association; known as **East Cottonwood Creek Watershed Association No. 21**, all having a mutual vision to preserve, restore, maintain and conserve natural water resources within the watershed area, while providing adequate storm water management and drainage to these lands with an outlet to East Cottonwood Creek.

Members:

- The RM of Sherwood No. 159
- The Global Transportation Hub
- The Ministry of Highways and Infrastructure
- The Grand Coulee Drainage District Representative Corporation
- Dream Development

While the association is in the very early stages of development, the members are committed to establishing the governance structure of the association, then moving to operations and financial planning.

More information will be provided once the board members have determined the scope of the associations operations.

Stay tuned for more information!

**Bulk Water at the
Water Treatment Plant**

1m³ = 220 imperial gallons
(approximately)



To purchase water, you may use a credit card or purchase a prepaid amount from the RM of Sherwood Municipal Office to use at any time. Water is sold in cubic metres (m³).

For more information on Bulk Water, please contact the Municipal Office at 306-525-5237.



Stay safe this winter: Always Remember

When you see flashing blue/amber lights, exercise caution while driving. Motorists are required to slow to 60 km/h when passing a snowplow or grader from either direction with its blue and amber lights flashing.

Slow down. Speed limits posted on the highways and on municipal roads are for ideal driving conditions, which are sunny summer days.

Look ahead. Leave plenty of space between you and the vehicle ahead of you. Remember to look far ahead as you drive so you can recognize hazards and have plenty of time to respond.

See and be seen. Turning your headlights on helps with visibility during the dark winter months and during inclement weather. It also helps other drivers see you.

Get ready. Prepare your vehicle for the tough winter months. Check and make sure that your battery, ignition system, lights, brakes, heating and cooling system and windshield wipers are all in working order.

Watch the weather. Check the weather before you leave your home. If conditions are bad the safest strategy is to avoid driving. If you must travel give yourself extra time and drive to the conditions.

Prepare yourself and your vehicle. Always be prepared for winter driving. Wear warm clothes, have a fully charged cell phone with you and equip your vehicle with a winter survival kit.

Maintain visibility. Clear snow and ice from all windows, lights, mirrors and the roof to help other drivers see you on the road and to assist with your own visibility while driving. After starting your vehicle, wait for the fog to clear from the interior windows before driving so you will have full visibility.

Snow Piling in the R.M. of Sherwood: A Reminder

Piling of snow from your premises into the ditches or anywhere within the road right of way is strictly prohibited. Piles of snow may hinder the public's right of passage along the road or will pose a threat or danger for those motorists who travel on the roadways which may result in an accident. During spring run-off, the piles of snow will potentially contribute to flooding of adjacent properties, we ask that snow piles be situated on your property adjacent to the road ditch.



Thank you!