

R.M. OF PREECEVILLE NO. 334

2025 NEWS LETTER



Office Hours:

Monday to Friday

8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Closed Monday May 19th for Victoria Day

Tuesday July 1st for Canada Day

Contact Information:

Phone: 547-2029

Fax: 547-2081

Email: rm334@sasktel.net

Municipal Website – coming soon!

Council:

Reeve: Johnny Petryshyn

Division 1- Cory Paul

Division 2- Dale Parkin

Division 3- Wayne Mastrachuk

Division 4- Rick Pristie

Division 5- Reg Yaremchuck

Division 6- Gabe Goodsman

Controlled Burn Line: Call 1-866-404-4911 to inform the dispatcher you will be lighting a “controlled Burn”.

Preeceville Primary Health Care – Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 8:30am- 6:30pm; Sat. & Sun.

8:30am- 4:30pm; call: 306-547-3098 to book an appointment with one of the doctors. There is a walk-in clinic on Wednesdays at the medical center. Registration starts @ 8:15am. First come first serve. Limited spaces available.

Emergency Room – OPEN Hours Monday to Friday 8:00am – 8:00pm. Saturday and Sunday 8:00am – 4:30pm.

Sturgis & District Lady Lake Regional Park

Swimming lessons @ Lady Lake, call or text the instructor Alexander Neilson (306)460-5929 for more info

Parkland Regional Waste Management Landfill Hours of Operation:

May 1st – October

Tuesdays, Thursdays: 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM

& Saturdays: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

October – May:

Tuesdays, Thursdays: 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

& Saturdays: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

For more info, please call the landfill @
(306) 547-5433



RM of Preeceville, No. 334 WELL DECOMMISSIONING CAMPAIGN

All Landowners are Eligible

Please call (306)-783-1696 before October 31, 2025 to sign up.

Old, abandoned wells are a threat of contamination to our groundwater aquifers and a safety concern to landowners. The AWSA has been decommissioning wells since 2009 and have sealed more wells in our watershed than the rest of the province combined!

If you have an old, large diameter well on your property, contact the AWSA to arrange for its proper decommissioning.

Groundwater is a critical resource in the Assiniboine River Watershed because approximately 99% of our residents rely on groundwater for their drinking water. **Protection** of our aquifers is paramount, and one of the best practices to ensure safe source waters throughout our watershed is the **decommissioning of abandoned wells**.

Over the years, many wells on properties become **abandoned** without being properly decommissioned. These abandoned wells are a **hazard to groundwater** and a **liability** for property owners.

Decommissioning your abandoned wells can **increase your property value!**

The AWSA has experienced contractors that will decommission your well according to the Saskatchewan Water Security Agency standards. Best of all, we take care of and coordinated every step of the process, and in most cases, it only costs the landowner \$300 per well!

Fence Lines:

Fences along municipal right of ways can be placed on your property line, all other structures, brush and/or stone piles, hay yards and other objects are to be placed 150ft from the centre line of the municipal road adjacent to your property.

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Municipal Garbage Bins:

These bins are for bagged household garbage only. They are paid for by the R.M. ratepayers and are there for R.M. residents' only. You must live in the RM to use these bins and should you dispose of any non-household garbage you risk being identified and invoiced for this usage.

Dust Control:

Dust control in the RM will be applied at the end of May weather depending. Please contact our office if you require dust control this year, if we haven't contacted you. If you have been contacted and have not signed your contract please send it in as soon as possible.

The dust control is metered during application therefore if the flagged or applied amount is longer, additional charges shall be invoiced to the applicant/owner.

Gravelling:

Gravelling is being carried out in divisions 1, 3 & 5 with spot gravelling in divisions 2, 4 & 6 this year. Gravelling is to commence around the end of June depending on the contractor's schedule. Should you wish to purchase gravel for your lane way while the gravelling is being carried out, please contact the municipal office to have your name added to the ratepayer gravel request list.

Sask Power/Shand Greenhouse Seedling Application

Tree and shrub seedlings are provided free-of-charge to Saskatchewan not-for-profit organizations, service clubs, conservation groups and individual landowners. For qualifications please check out the website at [Shand Greenhouse](http://ShandGreenhouse) or call 1-306-634-9771. Application will be available on August 1, 2025 at 9:00am until seedling supply runs out or February 1st whichever occurs first.

Assessment Re-Evaluation Year:

This is a re-evaluation year so all ratepayers should have received an Assessment Notice for 2025, this is not your Tax Notice. Taxes are calculated from the information on this notice so please double check the information to determine if it is correct. The appeal process allows the owner of a property to appeal their property if there is an error in the valuation, classification, contents of the assessment roll or the assessment notice of the property. The appeal must be received by the office prior to May 28, 2025. If you require more information, or do not understand the form, please contact the office to discuss your concern. If you believe there is an error, please fill out the back of the Assessment Notice with as much information as you can provide and send both the appeal and the \$200.00 assessment fee to the office.

Corrections cannot be made once taxes have been levied. Being the property owner, it is your responsibility to review your assessment notice and make any appeals prior to the final date for appeal. If you do not understand any part of it, please contact either this office by the contact information above, or SAMA at 1-800-498-0576. Detailed information is available at www.samaview.ca.

Pest Control

The municipal pest control office is Vince Bailey, who will be carrying out inspections of all yard sites throughout the summer. If you feel you need an inspection earlier, please contact the municipal office.

