



FIGHT F.O.G.

HELP KEEP FATS, OIL & GREASE OUT OF YOUR DRAIN

What's the big deal about flushing paper towels, tissues, wipes, fats, oils & grease down your toilets & drains?

The Town cautions residents that only toilet paper should be flushed and not other kinds of wipes or paper products. Even wipes that are marketed as "flushable" wreak havoc on the Town's sewer pipes as they take too long to decompose.

Fats, Oils & Grease, known collectively as FOG, represent the most serious enemy of our sewer lines.

When FOG is dumped down the drain, it forms large, thick grease balls that clog pipes. Paper towels, tissues & wipes combined with FOG are a destructive combination.

When FOG forms grease balls that stick to the pipes and paper products that take too long to decompose are flushed, it causes horrible blockages in the sewer pipes and/or causes problems at the sewage plant.

DO NOT:

- Pour fat, oil or grease down drains or garbage disposals.
- Use hot water to rinse grease off cookware, utensils, dishes or surfaces.
- Flush paper towels, tissues or flushable wipes.

Please pour grease in an empty can and dispose in the garbage. Please only flush toilet paper down your toilet.

HIGHER THAN NORMAL WATER CONSUMPTION?

Check for leaks....most leaks are unnoticeable. Take a night water meter reading when you are done using water for the day, followed by a morning reading. Meter movement overnight may mean a plumbing issue.

One of the most common issues is a leaking toilet. A good test to use is the dye test. Put a few drops of food coloring in the tank of your toilet. Do not flush your toilet for at least 30 minutes. Food coloring should not appear in your toilet bowl. If the food coloring does appear, then your toilet is leaking.

Contact Us

Give us a call for more information or if you have any questions.

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Office Hours

Monday to Friday
8:00 am — 12:00 pm
1:00 pm — 4:00 pm

Closed for all statutory holidays.

Waste Management Hours

April through September

Monday 1:00 pm — 3:00 pm
Wednesday 5:00 pm — 7:00pm
Saturday 11:00 am — 4:00 pm

Radville Public Library Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

10:00 am—1:00 pm
2:00 pm—6:00 pm

Notify By Network

To sign up for this FREE service, text "subscribe" to (306) 500-1919. Notifications for emergencies, reminders and important messages are provided through this service.

The Town Office would like to thank all those who gave our staff positive comments after the last couple snow storms. Whether it was on Facebook, relayed through Council members, calls to the office or a friendly comment on the street, these positive words go a long way to encourage staff members that are bombarded with continued criticism.

Snowfall often begins on days off or in the very early hours of the day. The Town Staff work long hours to get the streets cleared for the citizens of Radville and we appreciate those who appreciate the hard work put into the snow removal.

When Town employees are busy cleaning the streets or doing any other work on the streets, please take precautions when passing the Town equipment. If you happen to see the crews working on the streets please find an alternate route until the work is complete. For your safety and that of the staff please stay clear.

E-Transfers Accepted

The Town is starting to see more and more customers paying their bills by e-transfer. This can be a much more convenient way for some of our customers to pay their bills.

We would like to ask that you use the message option in the e-transfer to specify what you are paying. We receive payments for utility bills, taxes and account receivables. If you specify what you are paying, there is less room for error.

E-transfers can be sent to either town.radville@sasktel.net or town.radville2@sasktel.net



COMING SOON!!!

The Town will be soon be able to accept payments by credit card through our OptionPay system.

PROTECT YOUR ELM TREES

DO NOT PRUNE ELM TREES BETWEEN APRIL 1 & AUGUST 31

To reduce the risk of Dutch Elm Disease (DED), pruning of elm trees will once again be prohibited throughout Saskatchewan from April 1 to August 31.

Elm bark beetles that spread the disease are most active during this time of year. Fresh cuts from pruning can attract the insects and increase the chance of a DED infection.

Proper elm tree pruning outside the annual ban period helps keep trees healthy and better able to resist all diseases, including DED. Removing dead and dying elm wood through pruning also helps reduce places for beetles to breed, and curbs their population. Throughout the year, including during the ban period, DED-infected elms should be removed promptly.

Provincial regulations require commercial pruners of elm trees to complete a recognized training program or be under the supervision of someone who has. Improper pruning techniques can spread many tree diseases, including DED.

Because of the risk of spreading DED, transporting or storing elm firewood is illegal. Elm Wood must be disposed of promptly, using the method and locations chosen by each municipality.

For more information about Dutch Elm Disease Control regulations and safe elm wood disposal, contact 1-800-SASK-ELM (727-5356).

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council meetings are **Open to the Public**. Meetings are normally held the 2nd and 4th MONDAY of each month. If a Statutory Holiday falls on a regularly scheduled Council meeting, the Council meeting will be held on the Tuesday.

The Council meetings for the balance of 2022 are as follows:

March 14 & 28	April 11 & 25	May 9 & 24
June 13 & 27	July 11	August 8
September 12 & 26	October 11 & 24	November 14 & 28
December 12		



MAY 28, 2022
11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

FREE WASTE MANAGEMENT DAY

CLEAN UP YOUR YARD, GARAGE OR HOME AND TAKE THE UNWANTED RESIDENTIAL ITEMS TO THE WASTE MANAGEMENT AREA FREE OF CHARGE.

SHINGLES AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL ARE NOT CONSIDERED RESIDENTIAL ITEMS AND WILL BE CHARGED ACCORDINGLY.