

Resort Village of Wakaw Lake Newsletter – 2018

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Office hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Office location: 126 1st Street S Wakaw, SK

Council Members:

Mayor – Maurice Rivard,

Deputy Mayor – Linton Davenport,

Councillors – Michelle McAuliffe, Lorne Thomson and Brad Gulka.

Administrator: Wanda Andreen

Council Meetings:

Council meetings are held monthly. Visit our website for upcoming meeting dates. If you would like to make a presentation at any meeting you are required to give 24 hour notice.

Website:

Council is in the process of developing a new webpage. We hope to have it up and running very soon.

Docks on public access:

Council of RVWL is developing a new process for back lot residents who want to put their boat dock on a public access. You must apply for a permit before erecting a dock and a yearly application will be required.

More information on the process and which public accesses are available will be forthcoming.

Address changes and emails:

If you have changed your mailing address or would like your email address added to our list, please let the office know either by phone or email.

Permits:

The timeline for the approval of permits is between 4-6 weeks.

Building permits are required when buildings are: erected, placed, altered, renovated, demolished, re-located, removed, used or occupied. If you are unsure whether or not you need a permit please call the office.

Development permits are also required for any work being done on your property.

Permit application forms will be available on the new website.

Jason Kent from MA Inspections provides building inspections for the RVWL. If you have any questions about your build he can be reached at 306-250-1092 or at office@mainspections.ca or visit their webpage at www.mainspections.ca

Beach:

A reminder that dogs are not allowed on the beach. This includes the grassy area around the beach.

Threat to our lake: Please note there is still a threat of infestations of zebra and quagga mussels: For more information visit environment.ca/invasive-species. It is in your best interest to keep our lake healthy.

Tax Notices:

Please note that there are discounts for paying your taxes early. This information is on the bottom of your tax bill.

Payments to the Resort Village:

We do accept, cash, checks or e-transfers for any payments. If you choose to do an e-transfer you can email them to rvwakawlake@gmail.com. Please make sure you provide the password.

We do not accept credit or debit cards because of the high cost associated with these services.

Do you have enough Fire Insurance:

Talk to your insurance provider about purchasing Voluntary Fire Protection to ensure you have adequate coverage in the unlikely event of a fire. Each owner is responsible for their own fire insurance on their property.

Fire Protection:

The resort village contracts its Fire Protection from the R.M. of Hoodoo. This fee for this service is included in your annual service fee.

If you have any type of emergency please call 911.

KEEP ALL LANES AND ROADS OPEN FOR EMERGENCY VEHICLES

Marking your Property:

Please make sure your property is cleared marked with your Block and Lot numbers.

Fireworks:

Permits are required prior to using fireworks as well as insurance of \$3,000,000.00. Please be aware that even if you have sufficient insurance in place but no permit and a liability issue occurs, your insurance maybe be void.

Boat Parking:

The Resort Village has set aside an area for rate payers to park their boat trailers behind Block 6 with access from Haig Street (no camper/ trailers or other items are permitted.) There is also space behind the west end of Irene Lane.

Also a note to those who park their boat trailers, please park so that others can use the space as well.

The boat parking area is meant for seasonal storage only. If you have a large lot please park your boat there. This would free up space for those with smaller lots.

Your property:

Please make sure that your property is maintained and kept clean and orderly. This will help keep any unwanted pests such as skunks out of the Resort Village. If you encounter any type of rodents you can contact the Local Conservation officer at 1-800-667-7561.

Garbage Bins:

REACT garbage bins are meant for regular household garbage. The items not permitted in the bins are to be taken to the Hoodoo landfill which is open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Any recycle items can be taken to Wakaw where the bins are located by the Recreation Center. Council is considering putting up security cameras at the bin locations. Hours for the landfills are posted on the website.