

Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464 2026 Newsletter

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Councillor Division 6:	Dwayne Brad	1-306-466-7266

2026 Mill Rate: There have been changes to the 2026 Tax Levy. Mill Rate set at 10.3 mills and Mill Rate Factors AG: 0.93, RES: 0.70, and COM: 1.6.

2026 Discounts & Payments: discounts for early payment of the municipal taxes are as follows: January to September 6%, October 4%, November 2%. Payments for taxes levied in 2026 are **due by December 31, 2026**. If unpaid by January 1, 2027, they are considered to be in **arrears**, and 1.5% compounding interest rate will be applied on the 1st of each month commencing in January 2027.

Tax Payment Options: We have several options for payments: **cash**, **cheques** (postdated are acceptable) and **debit**. You may also make payments online via **E-transfer** to rmleask.464@sasktel.net, or **electronic payments** through TD, BMO, or Credit Union branches. Please contact the R.M. office for further information.

Ratepayer Information Form: If you have not previously completed this form, please do so and return to the R.M. office. Contact information is **essential** for effective and immediate communication with ratepayers regarding municipal concerns and emergency situations.

Election: **November 9, 2026**, is the General Election date for Divisions 2, 4, and 6. Please see the website for resources regarding voting options and running for Municipal Council. (RM Council – Elections)

Development & Building Permits: A development permit approval is required for **ALL** development/improvements in the R.M. **prior** to beginning your project. Permit approvals may take from 2 to 5 weeks. Please contact the R.M. office for more information or refer to the website.

Rat Control: Rat poison is available to ratepayers. Contact the office or refer to the website for options and availability.

INFO AT A GLANCE

OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00AM-4:00PM

231 1ST AVE. SOUTH
BOX 190 LEASK SK S0J1M0

STAFF

ACTING ADMINISTRATOR:
ERIN ROBERTSON

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
WORKS: **JAYSON SMITH**

ADMINISTRATIVE ASST:
SHEILA KISZKA

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS
ARE HELD ON THE 3rd
WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH.
PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE
REGARDING MATERIAL
INTENDED FOR INCLUSION ON
THE AGENDA. DELEGATION
FORMS ARE MANDATORY FOR
PARTICIPATION; CONTACT THE
OFFICE OR REFER TO THE
WEBSITE FOR ACCESS (RM
**COUNCIL – POLICIES –
DELEGATION POLICY**)

PEST CONTROL OFFICER:
TANNER PASLAWSKI
1(306)-812-9226

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ALANA GUNSCH
1(306)-292-8987

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Transfer Station: Hours of operation are as follows:

Summer Hours: May 1st to Sept. 30th Saturdays & Mondays 3:00-7:00pm

Winter Hours: Oct. 1st to April 30th Saturdays 1:00-4:00pm

This service is for R.M. ratepayers only and fees apply (see website for rates). **Legal land location must be provided.**

Mass Text Messaging System: This service provides alerts relating to municipal issues, as well as emergency situations. A signed ratepayer information form submitted to the office is required for participation.

Provincial Traffic Safety Fund Grant Program: Speed Awareness Initiative continues with the presence of the solar radar signs in various locations throughout the municipality. This initiative was made in part with grant approval by the Government of Saskatchewan Provincial Traffic Safety Fund.

Fire Insurance Reminder and False Alarms: Please ensure you have firefighting insurance coverage on your property and home. Be advised the R.M. charges a false alarm, or “stand down” fee of \$500.00. If you have a security system, please contact provider to establish a working standard prior to dispatching fire services.

Emergency Preparedness at Home: Should an emergency occur, it is best to take caution and be ready to take care of yourself and your family for at least 72 hours. The link below from the Sask. Public Safety Agency provides a guide explaining steps to get prepared:

<https://www.saskpublicsafety.ca/at-home/emergency-preparedness-at-home>

Also, see website (RM464 Services – Do 1 Thing) for monthly objectives in which to be better prepared for an emergency or disaster.

2025 Auditor’s Report: As per Publication of Annual Financial Statements Policy, the RM’s financial statement and auditor’s report will be placed on the municipal website by September 1st of each year. (RM Council – Policies) & (RM Council – Financial Statements/Budgets)

ADDITIONAL INFO

WEBSITE ADDRESS:

RMLEASK.CA

PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE FOR UPDATES & INFORMATION ON VARIOUS MUNICIPAL ITEMS AND SERVICES, INCLUDING: FIRE BAN ORDERS, PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT, AGENDAS & MINUTES, BYLAWS & POLICIES, EMERGENCY MEASURES, THE ORGANIZED HAMLET OF PELICAN COVE AND ITS FINANCIALS. ALSO PRESENT ARE PRINTABLE FORMS, INCLUDING: RATEPAYER INFORMATION, DELEGATION, COMPLAINTS, EMAIL CONSENT, 293 EXEMPTIONS, PLUS MORE.

WHAT MUNICIPAL TAXES PROVIDE:

INFRASTRUCTURE
CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE
ROAD SIGNS
RCMP POLICING
FIRE DEPARTMENT
WEED INSPECTOR
PEST CONTROL
WASTE DISPOSAL & RECYCLING
DOCTOR RECRUITMENT
LIBRARY

CONTROLLED BURN LINE 1-866-404-4911

IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO LET SASK. ENVIRONMENT KNOW IF YOU ARE PLANNING A CONTROLLED BURN. PLEASE CALL NUMBER ABOVE TO PREVENT UNWANTED FIREFIGHTING CHARGES.