2023 RATEPAYER NEWS LETTER

2023 Mill Rate and Minimum Tax

Uniform Mill Rate	6.7 mills
Mill Rate Factor Com	2.40
M Mill Rate Factor Res	1.45
Mill Rate Factor Ag	1.2
Minimum Tax land	100.00
Minimum Tax Improv.	100.00
Mill Rate Library	.13 mills
Crutwell	
Uniform Mill Rate	3.8 mills
Minimum Tax land	300.00
Minimum Tax Improv	400.00
Holbein	
Uniform Mill Rate	4.5 mills
Minimum Tax land	50.00

Minimum Tax land	50.00
Minimum Improv	350.00
Additional Lots	50.00
Mill Rate Factor Com	200%

Sturgeon Lake Regional Park

Uniform Mill Rate	5.1 mills
Lease Fee	770.00

Website: www.rmofshellbrook.com

Council sets the direction of taxes levied to ensure that operational funding is sufficient to provide capital to cover infrastructure and maintenance enabling the municipality to provides services to the ratepayers.

WHAT DO I GET FOR MY MUNICIPAL TAXES

- **\$** Roads and Bridges
- \$ Road Maintenance, grading, graveling
- \$ Rd Allowance Mowing
- \$ Fire Equipment
- \$ 911 Emergency
- \$ Police Protection
- \$ Libraries
- \$ Doctor Recruitment
- \$ Signs
- \$ Rat & Pest Control
- \$ Beaver Control Program

TAX PAYMENT OPTIONS

CHEQUE – Payment can be made in person, through the mail or drop box at front door. Installment payment, post-dated cheques can be kept on file

All payments must be received in the office by 4:00p.m. of the last day of the month to receive that month's discount.

DEBIT, CASH, E-TRANSFER OR AUTO DEPOSIT We DO NOT accept credit cards.

E-TRANSFER use rm493@sasktel.net

Discounts

August September	6% 5%
October	4%
November	2%

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS

Are available at the Municipal Office 71 Main Street Shellbrook

Rural Municipality of Shellbrook 493 Road Allowances

All public roads (including lanes, streets and original road allowances) are owned by the Crown. Other than provincial highways, municipalities are given the authority to direct, control and manage all streets and roads within their municipality.

A municipality has discretion over where and when roads may be built depending on its budget, and over the construction and maintenance standards. No law exists that requires a municipality to build any road. Each situation is unique and subject to a municipality's discretion.

It is the municipalities position that all road allowances excluding those that have been sold or leased are to remain open. Passage through road allowances must be allowed regardless if the road allowance is maintained by the municipality or not. Cropping or fencing of a road allowances may be permitted; unauthorized restrictions may be removed by the municipality.

The Municipality will maintain a gravel surface on all roads that service a permanently occupied residence, roads that the Municipality has designated as school bus routes, and roads that have significant traffic counts.

Roads that only provide access to farmland, granaries, or farm sites without permanently occupied residences will not be graveled at the Municipality's expense.

If any Individual decides to maintain any municipal road that is not regularly maintained by the municipality, it must be done at their own expense with the Municipalities approval and at an approved standard

If you would like to address Council at a Council meeting, please Contact the R.M. office at least one week prior to the meeting, and state the topic (with a brief description) you wish to address. Council

FIRE DEPARTMENT

CONTROL BURNS

Please be advised that is <u>your</u> responsibility to let Saskatchewan Pubic Safety Agency know if you are going to have a controlled burn. To prevent <u>unwanted firefighting charges</u>, please call 1-866-404-4911 before burning to report a controlled fire.

MUNICIPAL FIRE RATES

First hour within RM Limits First hour outside RM limits: Charge per man hour: \$700.00/hr/Truck \$700.00/hr/Truck \$ 50.00/man/hour

meeting are held the first Wednesday of each month.

Reloadable Water Cards

Reloadable water cards can be purchased at the RM Office (71 Main Street). Water Station is available at the RM of Shellbrook Old Shop (619 - 2^{nd} Ave East). **§2.00 = 100 Gallons or 454L**