

Newsletter

You can find the R.M.'s financial statements on our website or stop in the office for a synopsis copy!

SARM REBATE PROGRAMS

SARM offers rebate programs that are available to ratepayers. These programs are run through the R.M.'s, meaning that all forms must be submitted by the Administrator. Contact the R.M. office for forms or visit

<https://sarm.ca/programs/sustainable-canadian-agricultural-partnership/> to download PDF fillable forms.



- **Gopher Control Program (GCP)**
Eligible expenses used between January 1 to July 31. Deadline to apply is **July 31, 2024**



- **Invasive Plant Control Program (IPCP)**
Eligible expenses to claim between January 1 - October 31. Deadline to apply is **October 31, 2024**

LANDFILLS

The Ferland and McCord landfills are scheduled to close September 2024. The construction phase of the decommissioning process for the Ferland and McCord landfills is scheduled to begin September 2024. Once this phase has been completed, the landfills will be transitioned into transfer stations with bins. Helix Construction Ltd. has been awarded the contract for garbage removal. The

transfer stations will continue to operate with the same schedule. Every Wednesday of the month:

Ferland - 9am-12pm
McCord - 1pm-5pm



NEW THIS YEAR

R.M. 45 budgeted for the purchase of a 2023 150 AWD grader which was delivered in the spring to replace the 2011 140M. This year Council has also budgeted for the repair or replacement of multiple culverts and bridges. A contractor has been hired to complete these projects and should be completed this fall/winter.

R.M. 46 purchased a 2023 Riteway rockpicker to replace the 2012 Schulte. It was delivered this spring and has been a great addition to the fleet! Council has also approved the removal and installation of damaged culverts throughout the R.M.



ROAD ALLOWANCES

Road allowances continue to be sprayed, causing an increasing concern with the grass being killed out and weeds taking its place. Please be mindful when operating equipment to spray to ensure this doesn't continue to happen.



SIGNS & EQUIPMENT

Signs are being knocked down or damaged from bullets in various areas of the R.M.'s. Please be mindful of these issues as it is your tax dollars going into the replacement of these signs. There have been concerns raised over equipment being moved on road allowances without a pilot vehicle or removing the header. It is for the safety of all road users that a pilot vehicle be utilized or remove the header off the equipment when transporting it. Everyone deserves to arrive at their destination safely!



SGI TRAFFIC SAFETY FUND GRANT

The Council for the R.M. of Mankota No. 45 passed a resolution early this year to apply for the SGI Traffic Safety Fund Grant to purchase and install 4 Radar Feedback (RFD) signs for the Hamlets of Ferland and McCord. The R.M. was successful in obtaining this grant and the signs will be installed in late summer of this year. Two signs will be installed along Highway 18 as you enter the Hamlet of Ferland limits, and the other two signs will be installed in McCord as you enter Hamlet limits from the east and west.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Rural Municipality of Mankota No. 45

Cemetery - Mankota & Prospect

- \$200.00 per burial

Ferland Tankloader

- \$10.00/1,000 gallons

Weigh Scale

- \$10.00/weigh (ratepayers)
- \$20.00/weigh (non-ratepayers)

Rural Municipality of Glen McPherson No. 46

Billimun/Wallard Tankloader

- \$10.00/1,000 gallons

Wallard Cemetery

- Donations

CONTROLLED BURNS

If you're planning on burning any clean wood on your property, the Mankota Fire Department asks that you call **1-866-404-4911** to report it. The SPSA will ask the following questions:

- What is your land location?
- What is your R.M. number?
- Who is your Fire Service Provider?
- What are the location details?
- What are you burning?
- How long will your burn last?
- Your name and phone number.

You will be asked to call back once the burn has been completed.

Mankota Fire Department members will be notified once SPSA receives the call.

ELECTIONS

2024 is an election year for the positions of Reeve and odd numbered Divisions. Important election dates to note are:

- October 9th - Final day for nominations
- November 13th - Election day



PEST CONTROL CONTACTS

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Pest Control Officer - RM 46

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