

Reeve's Writing

Our June Council meeting was very full as we dealt with the backlog from cancelling May's meeting due to the flood disaster. PDAP (Provincial Disaster Assistance Program) has helped individuals due to both the late April snow storm and the flooding. PDAP is currently helping the RM with rebuilding roads that were impacted. PDAP is a Federal Program that is administered by the provincial government.

We welcome part-time employee, Jennifer Graham as our PDAP Coordinator. She is working alongside both the Maintenance Foreman and Administration to ensure all expenses that can be reimbursed through the program are submitted and tracked. It is a very important role and we are grateful for her background and the skills she brings to the role.

Kudos to the office staff for increasing the information now available on both the website and our Facebook page. I encourage you to keep an eye on the news and events posted there. Please check the website for the minutes and upcoming agenda.

SAMA (Saskatchewan Assessment Management Agency) undertook assessments again this year with a focus on more thorough investigation. It is normal practice for SAMA to do this type of in-depth review occasionally. Tax notices will be coming out after the assessment period has passed. Council is reviewing budgeting carefully as we try to balance paying the deductible for our PDAP Claim while still providing essential services. The White Star West washout repair is part of this program and we expect the work will begin July 6, 2026, weather permitting and should take approximately two weeks to complete.

Wishing you all a safe, fun-filled summer!

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