



NEWSLETTER

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF GIMLI



FALL PICK UP

Fall/Winter 2011

All residents will receive a Fall Pick Up of compost materials, which will include grass clippings and bagged leaves. The Fall Pick Up will operate from **September 21st to November 4th**. Pick up will occur on a rotational basis throughout the municipality. Following the Fall Pick Up, only one bag of grass clippings or leaves will be allowed for pick up on a regular refuse pick up day. Please separate the clippings and leaves from the regular refuse. **Burning grass or leaves is NOT PERMITTED.**

Grass and leaves must be contained in clear plastic bags or brown composting bags (preferred) and MUST be separated from normal refuse.

The Municipality will be phasing out the use of plastic bags for compost materials. Starting the 2012 Spring Clean Up the Municipality will only accept brown composting bags and will no longer accept plastic

Regular refuse must be put out the night before or by 7:00 am on your scheduled garbage day. Tree Branches (2 inches or less in diameter, maximum 3 foot length, tied in bundles weighing not more than 40 pounds) will be picked up with regular residential refuse pick up. TREES will NOT be picked up. The Arnes Landfill will accept branches and trees larger than 2 inches in diameter, as well as unbundled brush from residents

E-WASTE & COMPOST MATERIALS

Sunday October 2nd (from 9-2) is the **last day** for E-Waste and Compost drop off at the Public Works Shop located at 21 Autumnwood Drive (behind the Gimli Recreation Centre).

The Arnes Landfill also accepts Electronic Waste and Compost Materials year round. Paint cans with paint in them must be delivered to the Arnes Landfill site while dried paint cans will be picked up with your regular household waste.

ARNES LANDFILL SITE

Located on Lake Forest Road, 9 km west of Highway 8

Hours of Operation: September 20, 2011 to October 31, 2011

Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, **10:00 am to 6:00 pm**

CLOSED Tuesday and Thursday

Winter Hours of Operation: November 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012

Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, **10:00 am to 5:00 pm**

CLOSED Tuesday and Thursday

Please see the Attendant prior to disposing of your materials, so that they may be placed in the correct location at the site.

HAZARDOUS WASTE

Hazardous waste cannot be accepted at the Arnes Landfill Site and will be refused. These items can be taken to Miller Environmental Corporation, 1803 Helka Avenue, Winnipeg, (204) 925-9600.

USED OIL COLLECTION

The Municipality has two locations to receive this type of waste. They are located at the Arnes Landfill Site (see hours above) and the Industrial Park Public Works Shop at 178 Anson St. The hours of acceptance at the Public Works Shop are Wednesday to Friday, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. These locations only accept used oil (uncontaminated), oil containers, and oil filters. The Arnes Landfill Site also accepts anti-freeze. Public Works will not accept any oil containers larger than 20L. **Other Hazardous Waste is not accepted.**





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PUBLIC WORKS

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Public Works Emergency#
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Utility Department
Emergency# (after hours)
641-1605



SAND BAGS

Property owners requiring sand bags for flood protection can fill out an application for a site assessment. Forms are available at the Municipal Office or online at www.gimli.ca

ADVERTISING SIGNS

Any signage posted on R.M. of Gimli property and/or Municipal owned structures including, but not limited to, street lights, traffic signage, buildings or benches is illegal and subject to a \$100 fine. These signs will be taken down by Public Works staff without notice to business owners unless such right is established by written agreement with the Municipality.

EASTERN INTERLAKE PLANNING DISTRICT

The Eastern Interlake Planning District would like to remind everyone that ***pre-planning your projects can save you time and money*** and our office has many information booklets and zoning packages to help you plan!

A permit is required for:

- The erection, construction or placement of any building or structure;
- The addition, extension, enlargement, structural alteration or conversion of any building or structure;
- The relocation, removal or demolition of any building or structure;
- The change of use of land, buildings or structures; or Renovations exceeding \$5,000.00 in contract value.

A permit is your protection that construction is in compliance with the Manitoba Building Code and other relevant laws.

Please contact our office should you have any questions or concerns about development in the RM of Gimli. Phone: 204-642-5478, Fax: 204-642-4061, Email: eipd@mts.net, Web: www.interlakeplanning.com

LICENSING OF DOGS



The owner of every dog over the age of four months shall obtain and renew annually a Dog License.

Dog Licenses are sold by the Gimli Veterinary Clinic.

REMINDER: Animals are not to run at large. Please have your dog on a leash at all times when on public property. Dogs are not allowed on any Public Beaches in the Municipality.



GET READY FOR WINTER

- Please ensure that all walkways, refuse container stands and other privately owned items along municipal roads & road allowances are removed prior to the first snowfall each year. The Municipality will not be responsible for any damage to these items.
- Culvert Location– Please mark culvert location to reduce damage from snow and snow removal.
- **REMINDER:** Public Works does not clear windrows.

GIMLI RECREATION CENTRE

Learn to Curl! Adult Curling Lessons for beginners & novices looking to improve their skills. Saturday, October 22 from 10:00am-3:00pm \$25.00 per person. To register call Alanna at 642-6670



WANTED

- Certified fitness instructors to lead classes.
- Lifeguard to run public swimming program.

Please contact Alanna at 642-6670 for more information

WINTER STATUTORY HOLIDAYS

- Thanksgiving— Monday, October 10, 2011
- Remembrance Day– Friday, November 11, 2011
- Christmas Day—(equivalent stat) Tuesday, December 27, 2011
- Boxing Day– Monday, December 26, 2011
- New Years Day—(equivalent stat) Monday, January 2, 2012
- Louis Riel Day—Monday, February 20, 2012
- Good Friday—Friday April 6, 2012
- Easter Monday—Monday, April 9, 2012

All R.M. of Gimli offices/departments will be closed on the above dates (including the Arnes Landfill).

Do you have an event to advertise? Submit it on the Municipal Web Page Events calendar at www.gimli.ca