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**Rural Municipality
Canwood No. 494
641 Main St.
Box 10 Canwood,
SK S0J 0K0**

**ADMINISTRATION
OFFICE
306-468-2014
Option One (1)**

**PUBLIC WORKS
OFFICE
306-468-2014
Option One (2)**

The 2021 Audited Financial Statements are enclosed and available on our rmofcanwood.ca website

2022 Mill Rate and Minimum Tax

Uniform Mill Rate – 8.5 mills

Mill Rate Factors:

Residential – 1.0
Agricultural – 0.85
Commercial – 1.5

Minimum Taxes:

Agricultural Land – \$200
Residential Land – \$650
Commercial Land – \$1,500

DISCOUNTS

The municipality offers the following discounts for early payment of **MUNICIPAL** taxes:

July	6%
August	6%
September	5%
October	4%
November	2%
December	No discount

Development & Building Permits

DO I NEED TO APPLY FOR A PERMIT?

YES!

You must make application **BEFORE** commencing **any** development within the municipality (the carrying out of **any** building, engineering, mining or other operations, in, on, or over land, or the making of any material change in the use of **any** building or land). **This includes agricultural buildings and residential decks or accessory buildings.**

Applications can be obtained through the Municipal Office or on the R.M. website at rmofcanwood.ca. The process of permit approval can take a **minimum of 2 to 4 weeks**. **DO NOT begin your project until you have a signed permit from the office.**

NEW Rural Address Signs

Your new rural address is located on your tax notice below your residential land description. This is the address to use for emergency services. Signs will be distributed later in the year beginning with Divisions 5 and 6. The office will contact you when the signs are available for you to pick up and install.

Custom Work

The Rural Municipality will no longer provide this service effective September 1, 2022.

Council Resolution No. 8 - January 18, 2022



TAX PAYMENT OPTIONS

1. ONLINE BANKING

The R.M. of Canwood is set up as a payee with the following institutions: Credit Unions, Scotiabank and TD Canada Trust. We are listed as **Canwood No 494 (RM) Taxes**. When adding The R.M. of Canwood as a payee, you will be asked to add an account number with a minimum of 5 digits. This account number is the number in brackets beside your name on your tax notice as you will see in the example below. If you have fewer than 5 digits, just add zeros.

FOR THE YEAR 2022

Mailing Date: July 8, 2022

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2. PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT

Monthly payments can be made directly from your bank account. An Authorization Form is required for these payments. Please contact the office if you would like to take advantage of this option.

3. E-TRANSFER

We accept E-transfer as a payment option. You can send payment to rm494finance@sasktel.net. In the memo add your Name, Legal Land Description, Customer Number or Invoice Number for the payment you are remitting.

4. CREDIT CARD



PROVIDING ADDITIONAL PAYMENT OPTIONS

OptionPay is a payment card system the Rural Municipality of Canwood No.494 uses for its online credit card transactions. You can find out more information about OptionPay by visiting the optionpay.ca website. There is also a link on the rmofcanwood.ca website.

5. CHEQUE

Cheques are the most acceptable form of making payment by mail. If you need to make installments, post-dated cheques to be kept on file are acceptable.

6. DEBIT or CASH

These types of payment can be made at our office.

First Responders

Our municipality is in dire need of more First Responders, who are the critical first response to emergent situations. As a First Responder, you can help to save a life while waiting for an ambulance to arrive. If you are interested in serving your community in this way, please review the enclosed brochure on how to become a First Responder.

Census

2021 Population – 1,351

2016 Population – 1,381

This is a reduction of 30 residents in our municipality in the last 5 years. For many residents, the Census is something they rarely need to think about. For the local governments serving them, though, the data from the census provides critical information needed to make informed decisions and policies. Higher levels of government provide funding to the municipality based on population. **This is why it is important to complete your census questionnaire.**

PEST CONTROL OFFICER

Contact Tanner Paslawski
306-812-9226

Reeve Lyndon Pease (306) 468-2126

Councillors:

Division 1 Ralph Korody (306) 747-3611

Division 2 Dennis Benke (306) 427-4450

Division 3 Gordon Andrews (306) 468-2984

Division 4 Ray Duret (306) 468-4884

Division 5 Kevin Olson (306) 747-5888

Division 6 Leonard Smith (306) 469-4570

2022 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

November 9, 2022

Divisions 2, 4 & 6

