



INFORMATION BULLETIN

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The following information is provided by the Resort Village of Sunset Cove as an update for residents.

Invasive Species

Council reminds residents to be mindful of controlling invasive species in our environments.



Creeping purple bellflower continues to be of concern in our village. Creeping bellflower's pleasing appearance is often mistaken for a desirable garden plant but is actually quite invasive and can aggressively invade lawns and gardens.

Emilee has been pulling it along the road allowance and on public / municipal reserve lands. Residents are asked to remove these plants from their properties to reduce the risk of spread throughout the village.

The Village will be identifying properties with purple bellflower and advising owners to remove it.

For more information on Creeping Bellflower and other invasive weed and aquatic species, please refer to the information provided by the Government of Saskatchewan <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/environment-public-health-and-safety/wildlife-issues/invasive-species>

Metal Recycling Bin

Our metal recycling bin arrived on July 8! It is located adjacent to the blue Loraas Disposal recycling bin. Unfortunately, its placement is not the most “user-friendly”. The end with a lower wall is at the back of the bin. If we have a bin again next year, we will investigate an alternative location to allow for easier loading.

We are pleased to report that this bin has seen great use and is filling up quickly!

This is your opportunity to dispose of those old dock and track pieces!



Please remember the following rules for use:

Acceptable Materials:

Ferrous Materials:

- Metal barrels (must have lids removed and be cleaned of all contents)
- Metal tanks (must have a large opening to view inside)
- Freezers, fridges, coolers, and A/C equipment (must be drained of all refrigerants)
- BBQs
- Stoves
- Dishwashers
- Farm Machinery
- Buses
- Filing Cabinets

Prohibited Materials:

- Propane tanks
- Plastic gas tanks
- Barbwire / chain link
- Electronics
- Batteries

Non-Ferrous Materials:

- Copper
- Brass
- Aluminum
- Stainless Steel
- Car Batteries
- Catalytic Converters
- Rims
- Aluminum Cans

- Radioactive material
- Ballasts
- Medical scrap
- Scrap containing mercury, lead, asbestos

If materials are not on the acceptable list above, they do not belong in this bin. Please find an alternate, appropriate disposal option.



Shortly after the bin arrived, a BBQ was left on the ground outside the bin. This is an example of materials that should be placed in the bin. Bring help with you to lift materials up over the wall, if needed.

Thank you to the resident(s) that later placed the BBQ in the bin.

Please ensure that all materials are placed in the bin, and not left outside, on the ground.

Excessive Watering

As Last Mountain Lake is an area prone to ground slumping, we all need to do our part to reduce the risk of this occurring in our community. Excessive watering contributes to this problem. Bylaw 92-2019 – Water Restrictions was established in 2019 to help address this concern. Section II(3) states:

“No person shall permit their water use to create the pooling or flowing of water on the roadway or any property within the Resort Village of Sunset Cove.”

Extreme watering adds weight to our properties, which contributes to ground slumping. Four hours of watering with a 5/8 inch hose at 40 psi can exceed 4000 gallons of water, or 20 tons of weight being added to the soil. Typically, an established lawn only requires one hour of watering (one inch) per week.

SPRAY HEAD FLOW – Average Gallons Per Minute (GPM)						
SPRAY HEAD ARC COVERAGE	 1 Quarter (1/4) 90° Arc	 1 Third (1/3) 120° Arc	 1 Half (1/2) 180° Arc	 2 Thirds (2/3) 240° Arc	 3 Quarters (3/4) 270° Arc	 Full Circle 360° Arc
5' Radius	0.10	0.12	0.21	0.25	0.29	0.39
8' Radius	0.25	0.31	0.50	0.70	0.76	1.02
10' Radius	0.40	0.55	0.80	0.97	1.04	1.60
12' Radius	0.61	0.80	1.23	1.60	1.78	2.50
15' Radius	0.91	1.20	1.80	2.34	2.75	3.70
Numbers are based on an average of three top brand sprayheads and at an optimum water pressure of 30psi. Variations will occur with various brands and at different water pressures.						

Water Flow Rate

Hose Size:

5/8 ▼ in

Hose Supply Pressure:

40 ▼ psi

Hose Length:

50 ▼ feet

Calculate

Water Flow Rate:

22.0 gpm ▼

All residents are asked to assist with reducing the potential for ground slumping by not watering properties excessively. Also note, to be of most benefit, watering should be done in the early morning, or evenings, not in the heat of the day.

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