



2023 Tax Information



Please note: that Taxes are due on or before Tuesday, October 31st, 2023, penalties will be calculated on Wednesday, November 1st, 2023 for any taxes outstanding at a rate of interest of 1.25% per month or 15% per annum.

Please note: Changes to the Manitoba Education Property Tax Credit Advance will affect the final invoice amount because they are reducing this credit by 50% for 2022. If you received a Tax Credit Advance of \$437.50 in 2022 on your tax bill, you would now see a credit of up to \$350.00. The province will mail a rebate cheque directly to you in the month taxes are due of 50% of your residential gross Education Property Tax. The Rebate Cheques are calculated as a 50% based on the residential gross taxes payable, before the tax credit is applied. If you have further questions about your rebate cheque or the process, please contact Manitoba Government Inquiry at 1-866-626-4862 or visit manitoba.ca/edupropertytax.

This change will have an impact on the payments you put into your tax accounts on monthly or annual basis, and you may end up short when your taxes become due. To ensure you remain paid in advance or if you wish to increase your monthly payment, please contact Sharla via email sharla@rmofdufferin.com or at 204-745-2301.

There are many Tax Payment Options available to you.

We can help you with determining a **budgeted amount or "Pre-Authorized"**- payment amount that you may choose to pay bi-monthly, monthly or annually.

You may also choose the option to pay via **bank-by-phone or online banking** through your financial institution.

We also give the option for you to **mail your tax payment by post-dated cheque to ensure it arrives in time and we will gladly hold it until the due date.**

In the office, we can accept your Cheque, Debit or Cash. When paying with your debit card please ensure in advance that your daily limit will allow for the full tax payment.

Please note: we do NOT accept Credit Card payments.

2023 Budget Highlights - Cost of Living increase of 5.3%, the Total Taxation Revenue of \$3,757,281.82 is \$237,450 more than in 2022. The noted increase includes funding for the following services and programs; Bridge Maintenance Program Annual cost approx. \$70,000, Gravel - 15% increase to cover the additional 10% for increasing the amount of materials and number of miles, Repairs & Maintenance for Aging Infrastructure, Hydro and Gas, Autopac, and Asset Management Planning.

Community Grants of \$54,382.43 to the following Organizations: Boyne River Keepers, Carman Dufferin Municipal Airport, Carman Family Resource Centre, Carman Palliative Care, Carman Seniors Resource Centre, Crime Stoppers, Dufferin Agricultural Society, Dufferin Historical Society, Golden Prairie Arts Council, Katie Cares, Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee, Pembina Valley Humane Society, Ronald McDonald House, STARS, TEMPO, and The Back Door. 4-year commitment made to Boundary Trails Health Centre Foundation Expansion Project \$70,568.25 and BTHCF Gala \$1,500.

Tax discounts will continue to be offered at the following rates:

- July..... 1.00%
- August..... 0.75%
- September... 0.50%
- Early bird Special!**



Waterline Connections

If you are thinking of connecting to rural water in 2023, please call the office at 204.745.2301 or email Jeanne at utility@rmofdufferin.com

Upcoming Holidays the office will be closed:

- Civic Holiday – August 7th
- Labour Day - September 4th
- Truth and Reconciliation Day – October 2nd
- Thanksgiving Day – October 9th
- Remembrance Day – November 13th
- Christmas Eve – December 22nd Closed at 12:00pm
- Christmas Day – December 25th
- Boxing Day – December 26th
- New Year’s Eve – December 29th closed at 3:00pm

**RM of Dufferin
Garbage Program**

If you are currently participating in the program, please follow the Zone 1 calendar for your pick-up days. For a calendar, or to set up reminders, please look on MWM Enviro’s website at www.MWMEviro.ca.

Need a copy of your Receipt?

If you require a copy of your receipt, please email operations@rmofdufferin.com or contact the office 204-745-2301

If your accountant requires a copy, the landowner must contact our office directly to give consent.



**2023 RM of Dufferin
Council Meetings**

Tuesday, July 18th	7:00pm
Tuesday, August 15th	7:00pm
Tuesday, September 19th	7:00pm
Tuesday, October 17th	7:00pm
Tuesday, November 21st	7:00pm
Tuesday, December 12th	7:00pm



R.M. of Dufferin Contact Info

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Carman, MB R0G 0J0

- R.M. Office.....204.745.2301
 - Fax.....204.745.6348
 - R.M. Shop.....204.745.2483
 - After Hours Water Emergency.....204.750.2652
 - Stephenfield Water Plant.....204.828.3434
 - Waste Transfer Station.....204.745.2210
 - RCMP Non-Emergency.....204.745.6773
 - Hospital Non-Emergency.....204.745.2021
 - Fire/Ambulance/RCMP EMERGENCY.....911
- www.carmanmanitoba.ca

**BOUGHT/SOLD or
MOVING?**

If you have moved, we want to ensure that Utility and Tax Bills are sent to the correct address and to arrange for a final water meter reading! If you have received a tax bill for a property that you have recently sold or if you have recently purchased a property that you have not received a tax bill for, please call 204-745-2301 or email operations@rmofdufferin.com



We can quickly deliver messages to residents via phone call (landline or mobile device), through text or email through **Connect by All-Net**. We encourage you, if you have not registered yet, to sign up. Register on our website www.carmanmanitoba.ca, call 204-745-2301 or email utility@rmofdufferin.com.

In the case of a boil water advisory, please note that through Connect or by other means necessary, the RM ensures that you have been contacted. It is up to you to ensure that you check your voicemail, text message and emails in a timely manner to ensure you are keeping yourself informed.

