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Portage la Prairie Landfill Authority 2017 Year End Review

The Portage la Prairie Landfill Authority has completed its thirteenth year of operation as a Class 1 Facility operated by the Board. The investment in roads and drainage at the Landfill kept the site in very good condition despite some very challenging weather conditions in 2017. Our customers often compliment the staff on the condition of the roads and how clean the site is kept. The following are the highlights of the 2017 year:

- **The Landfill accepted 67,450 tonnes of solid waste in 2016 which is up from 20,290 tonnes received in 2016.**
 - **The Landfill accepted 50,785 tonnes of Clean Cover Material which is 47,516 tonnes more than what was received in 2016.**
- **The Landfill accepted 1024 loads of Septic Waste which is up 11 loads from 2016.**
- **The Landfill diverted 132 tonnes of recyclable materials including metals, tires, chemical jugs, bale wrap, twine, and grain bags in 2017.**
- **The Landfill staff was diligent in enforcing the tarped and strapped loads program. The program has been successful in reducing the amount of debris on the roadways to the Landfill. The roadside cleanup program collected 6 tonnes in 2017.**
- **The Board did not record any user operational concerns or complaints at the Landfill.**
- **The Board agreed to increase tipping fees by \$7.00 per tonne on solid waste hauled from outside the R. M. of Portage la Prairie. The board also agreed to charge \$1.00 per tonne for clean cover material and reduced the charge for organic compostable (agricultural) waste to \$2.50 per tonne for 2018.**

The Landfill's operational success is attributed to the Landfill staff and the management Landfill. This success would not be possible without the support of the Landfill Board and the Operational and Administrative Staff of both the City and Rural Municipality of Portage la Prairie.

The management and staff look forward to serving the municipal waste needs of the City and Rural Municipality of Portage la Prairie. This service will emphasize the education and communication programs ensuring waste is being disposed in the most efficient and environmentally sustainable manner possible. We thank our customers for their cooperation and support in building a program that we can all be proud of.

Robert Pohl
Landfill Manager

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