



## *Portage la Prairie Regional Landfill Authority*

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### **Portage la Prairie Landfill Authority 2019 Year End Review**

The Portage la Prairie Landfill Authority has completed its Fifteenth year of operation as a Class 1 Facility operated by the Board. The investment equipment and infrastructure at the Landfill kept the site in very good condition despite some very challenging weather conditions in 2019. 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 2019 year:

- **The Landfill accepted 25,137 tonnes of solid waste in 2019 which is up 9,454 tonnes from 2018.**
  - **The Landfill accepted 8,212 tonnes of Special Waste in 2019.**
- **The Landfill accepted 1184 loads of Septic Waste which is up 105 loads from 2018.**
- **The Landfill diverted 43 tonnes of recyclable materials including metals, tires, chemical jugs, bale wrap, twine, and grain bags in 2019.**
- **The Landfill staff was diligent in enforcing the tarped and strapped loads program. The fee for Untarped and Unsecure loads increased to \$60.00 per load. The program has been successful in reducing the amount of debris on the roadways to the Landfill. The roadside cleanup program collected 14.8 tonnes in 2019.**
- **The Board did not record any user operational concerns or complaints at the Landfill.**
- **The Board agreed to leave the tipping fees at 2019 levels for 2020.**

The Landfill's operational success is attributed to the Landfill staff. 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 Landfill has used and will continue to use an Engineering Consulting firm to improve the operation of the Landfill.

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 diverted and 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.

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