



RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ST. ANDREWS POLICY AND PROCEDURES MANUAL

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WASTEWATER CONNECTION FEE POLICY

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this policy is to establish a procedure to collect the full amount of the City of Winnipeg connection fee for the year the connection was made.

SCOPE:

The City of Winnipeg charges a one-time buy-in or connection fee to all municipalities using the City wastewater infrastructure. This fee buys the right to use some of the City's sewage treatment capacity.

You must pay the connection fee when you're ready to hook up to the system. You will pay the fee to the R.M. of St. Andrews, which will then forward the funds to the City.

Several payment options are available. You can pay in person, online through your bank or you can give your cheque to the person who does your pre-hook-up inspection. Please write the roll number of your property on your cheque, or reference it with your online payment.

The City of Winnipeg connection fee was \$2,680 for 5/8 inch water meters in 2021. It will rise to \$3,000 in 2022 and \$3,100 in 2023 for 5/8 water meters.

POLICY STATEMENT:

Council wishes to ensure that the applicable amount for the City of Winnipeg wastewater connection fees are collected for the year of connection to the system.

PROCEDURE:

The R.M. of St. Andrews will continue to accept early payment in person, online through your bank for the City of Winnipeg connection fee.

But prior to the curb stop being opened any outstanding balance of the City of Winnipeg connection fee for that year must be paid. You can pay in person, online through your bank or you can give your cheque to the person who does your pre-hook-up inspection.