

M A N I T O B A                    )     Order No. 72/09  
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THE MUNICIPAL ACT                 )     May 1, 2009

BEFORE: Graham Lane, CA, Chairman  
          Susan Proven, P.H.Ec., Member  
          Monica Girouard, C.G.A., Member

**RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WHITEMOUTH  
SEWER UTILITY  
and  
RURAL PIPELINE - WATER UTILITY  
2009 BUDGETED DEFICITS**

**WHEREAS** Section 164(4) of *The Municipal Act*, SM 1996, c. 58, as amended, provides:

"164(4) The council must ensure that the amount of estimated revenue and transfers provided for in the utility budget is not less than the amount of estimated expenditures in respect of the utility unless, before adopting the operating budget, the council obtains The Public Utilities Board's written approval, which may include any condition the Board considers necessary or advisable. "

**AND WHEREAS** the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth serving the rural water pipeline plans to incur a deficit during the year 2009 in an amount estimated at \$23,000.00;

**AND WHEREAS** the said cause of the deficit is to meet increased operating, labour and regulation costs;

**AND WHEREAS** it is proposed that the said deficit be recovered by withdrawal from the water utility's accumulated surplus;

**AND WHEREAS** the sewer utility of the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth plans to incur a deficit during the year 2009 in an amount estimated at \$2,000.00;

**AND WHEREAS** the said cause of the deficit is to meet increased operating and labour costs;

**AND WHEREAS** it is proposed that the said deficit be recovered from the sewer utility's reserve account;

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

1. The 2009 budgeted deficit in the amount of \$23,000 of the rural water pipeline of the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth, for the purposes set out herein, BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY APPROVED to be recovered by withdrawal from the water utility's accumulated surplus.
2. The 2009 budgeted deficit in the amount of \$2,000 of the sewer utility of the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth, for the purposes set out herein, BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY APPROVED to be recovered from the sewer utility's reserve account.

Fees payable upon this Order - \$150.00

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD

"GRAHAM F. J. LANE, C.A."  
Chairman

"KRISTINE SCHWANKE"  
Acting Secretary

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Public Utilities Board

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Acting Secretary

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