



News Release

July 8, 2008

By Order No. 94/08 dated July 8, 2008, the Public Utilities Board approved an application by the Rural Municipality of Harrison (RM) for a revised sewage handler fee of \$300.00 per year (previous, \$150.00), and a per load fee of \$10.00 to be charged by the Local Improvement District No. 2 (Sandy Lake) Utility to septic haulers for each load hauled by residents located outside the boundaries of the RM and at the discretion of the RM a further 2.5% on January 1, 2009 and 2010.

As this matter arises out of Order 17/08, no further notice was required.

The \$10.00 per load fee will recover a fair portion of the capital costs of the lagoon from residents whom, being located outside the RM, otherwise make no contribution to the capital costs of the lagoon which was paid for by the residents of Sandy Lake.

In absence of agreements with neighboring RMs to recover such costs, the RM will need to monitor rates to best ensure they remain reflective of a reasonable contribution.

A copy of these Orders may be viewed on the Board's website www.pub.gov.mb.ca, or at the Board's Office.

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