

M A N I T O B A) Order No. 68/11
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THE MUNICIPAL ACT) May 5, 2011

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

**RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WHITEMOUTH
WHITEMOUTH SEWER UTILITY
ACTUAL DEFICIT 2011**

WHEREAS the Public Utilities Board issued Order No. 151/08 on November 7, 2008 requiring all water and/or sewer utilities to report an actual year-end deficit to the Board if the utility:

1. had not received prior approval for the deficit from the Board and such deficit either exceeds \$10,000 or represents 5% of the utility's operating budget; or
2. had received prior approval for the deficit from the Board and the actual deficit:
 - a. exceeds the previously approved amount by either \$10,000 or 5% of the utility's operating budget; or
 - b. is caused as a result that differs from that upon which said approval was granted;

AND WHEREAS the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth incurred a deficit at the end of the 2010 operating year in the Whitemouth sewer utility of \$10,052;

AND WHEREAS the said cause of the deficit is a result of

inadequate rates, which were revised as of January 1, 2011;

AND WHEREAS it is proposed that the said deficit be recovered by drawing down on the utility's accumulated cash surplus, which the RM reports a balance of \$247,259 as at December 31, 2009;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The actual deficit of the Whitemouth sewer utility of the Rural Municipality of Whitemouth incurred in 2010 in the amount of \$10,052, for the purposes set out herein, BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY APPROVED to be recovered by way of transfer from the utility's accumulated surplus.

Fees payable upon this Order - \$150.00

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD

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

"KRISTINE SHIELDS"
Acting Secretary

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Public Utilities Board

Acting Secretary

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