January 2025 Edition Quarter 1





HAPPYNEWYEAR

WHAT IS THIS ORANGE CARD?

If an orange card is left on your front door by our Public Works Department, it means that we are kindly asking you to schedule an appointment for essential maintenance on your water meter.

Why It's Important:

- Accurate Billing: Proper maintenance ensures your water meter accurately measures your usage, helping you receive fair and consistent utility bills.
- Avoid Catchup Bills: With a properly working meter, you can avoid estimated bills and potential errors.
- Continuous Service: Ensuring accurate readings helps prevent any interruption to your water service.

How to Schedule: Our Public Works Department can be contacted at the information below to arrange a time for our staff to visit your home. Your cooperation helps us maintain a reliable and efficient water services.



NEW WATER & SEWER RATES 2024

Quarterly utility rates will increase on January 1, 2024 with the change first appearing on the March 31st bill.

Water	2024	2025
Base Charge	\$98.95	\$106.87
Consumption (per 1m ³)	\$2.62	\$2.88
Sewer		
Full—Base Charge	\$65.97	\$71.25
Light—Base Charge	\$45.97	\$51.25
Consumption (per 1m ³)	\$1.05	\$1.15
Infrastructure Levy (Base)	\$25	\$25
Garbage & Recycling	\$28.80	\$29.40



FROZEN SERVICE LINES

Section 42 of the Water and Sewer Bylaw states that city residents are entitled to one free thaw once per year.

To prevent repeated freezing, the City may authorize or instruct the property owner to connect an approved "bleeder" line or open an approved tap.

If you experience frozen service lines, you will need to contact a plumber to determine the cause and fix the problem.

City Hall Hours

Public Works Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30AM - 4:30PM

For billing, garbage, & recycling 306-236-0201 utilities@meadowlake.ca Monday - Friday 7:00AM - 4:00PM

For water & sewer maintenance 306-236-6240 publicworks@meadowlake.ca

meadowlake.ca/p/contact-us

2025 RECYCLING & WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULE

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Remember:

- Collection equipment requires clear, safe access to your carts
- Containers must be placed at least 4 feet away from any buildings, vehicles, other carts overhead and underground utilities
- Containers with inappropriate materials, or is overweight or overloaded will be bypassed by collection personnel
- When recycling, break down any cardboard and rinse containers and cans before putting in the bin. Do not bag or tie up recycling.
- If you have any questions about waste collection call Protex Enviro at 1-855-236-5200

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Can I recycle this? glass

plastics

styrofoam tin/aluminum cans $\sqrt{}$ stretchable plastic bags \wedge aluminum trays \checkmark

recyclable paper fibers (cardboard, magazines, office paper)

plastics graded 😳 through 🤣 🗸

MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT: MEADOWLAKE.CA/P/GARBAGE-AND-RECYCLING

CONTACT CITY HALL CALL: 306-236-3622 BOX 610 - 120 1ST ST. EAST CITYHALL@MEADOWLAKE.CA MEADOW LAKE, SK S9X 1Y5

QUESTIONS ABOUT BILLING?