



Congratulations to Richard Lipiec (Rick) on his retirement from the Village!

We are grateful for his many years of dedicated service and expertise. Richard will continue to support us as the weekend and backup operator while our new utility operator-in-training, **Kim Back**, gets settled into the role. Please join us in giving Kim a warm welcome to our community!

Thank you to **Eli Benvenuti** for his seasonal help with mowing and street maintenance this summer. His hard work kept our community looking great!

Thank you to **Ian MacLennan** for being our backup utility operator over the years! You might still see him around at the landfill as a backup as well!

Highway 99 Resurfacing Project Update

The Highway 99 resurfacing project has been postponed. Work is now scheduled to begin in **spring 2026**. We will let Residents know as soon as we hear more information!

We want your ideas for Craven's BIG entrance sign! If you have any municipal or

community-themed suggestions, please email them to the office.



Community Crime Awareness

Recently, we've heard growing concerns about break-and-enters in the area. The RCMP has confirmed that they have not received many reports from within the Village, which means they may not have the full picture of what's happening. While it's easy to feel that "nothing gets done," please remember that the RCMP do not monitor our Facebook page and can only act on what is officially reported.

We encourage everyone to:

- Report all suspicious activity and any break-and-enters directly to the RCMP.
- Keep homes, garages, sheds, and vehicles locked at all times.
- Keep valuables out of sight to avoid tempting would-be thieves.
- Consider installing security cameras and forwarding any photos or videos of suspicious activity to the RCMP.
- Watch out for your neighbours—community awareness is one of the strongest deterrents.

Together, we can help make our community a safer place.



Office Hours: Open Monday to Friday 9am -3pm.
Excluding Statutory Holidays.

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Public Works/Utility Operator-in-Training
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Certified/Backup Utility Operator
Richard Lipiec

Landfill Operator
Fred Buhay

Craven Council

Mayor: Dayna Anderson (*Grants, Projects & Improvements*)

Deputy Mayor: Rick Taylor (*Facilities & Services*)

Councillor: Corey Hart (*Infrastructure & Roads*)

Councillor: Linsay Kozak (*Strategic Planning & Safety*)

Councillor: Stephanie Morin (*Organizational Rep & Community Awareness*)



The Landfill will be closing for the season on
Saturday, October 25th Weather permitting
12:00 pm - 5:00 pm.

Watch the Village of Craven Municipal Facebook
page for updates.

**ONLY TREES, LEAVES, YARD WASTE, UNTREATED
LUMBER, SCRAP METAL IS PERMITTED**

**NO PLASTICS, HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE, FURNITURE,
TIRES, LUMBER, GLASS, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS
OR CEMENT IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED**

As per Utility Rates Bylaw 15-2024. A penalty of
2.0% per month will be added to all water and
sewer accounts outstanding at the date of the
next billing. Be sure to pay your Utility Bills on
time!

*Enclosed is an Email Consent Form for you to
complete and return. Our goal is to fully transition to
e-notices (email) within the next 6 months. This
change will help reduce inevitable postage costs and
ensure reliable delivery in the event of a Canada Post
strike.*

Zoning Update: The zoning bylaw is complete!
Permits are required for fences and any new
construction. Please contact the office for more
information before starting your project.

Business Licensing Bylaw

No person shall carry on a business within the
Village unless the person possesses a valid and
subsisting license for that purpose.

Home-Based Businesses (home occupations) and
Commercial Businesses operated on land within
the Village must be approved as required by the
Village of Craven Zoning Bylaw.

Fire Call out Rates

Village of Craven fire fee schedule

Call Out Fee (includes the first 3 hours)	\$4000.00
Per Hour for each additional hour	\$2000.00
Grass Fire Unit (if only one used on call)	\$500.00/hr
False Alarm (First Call)	\$100.00
False Alarm (Subsequent calls within 12-month period) (No charge if cancelled before truck leaves hall)	\$500.00
Third Party Services includes Water Providers and Other Fire Departments	Billed at Cost

Volunteer Firefighting Coverage is an
optional insurance endorsement on your
home or business policy, however, it is
strongly recommended that this
endorsement is added on. Please check
with your insurance provider that you are
carrying enough of a fire call-out limit. In
our coverage area, **your municipal
property taxes DO NOT cover the call-out
costs of a fire response to your property,
and you will be responsible for paying all
the costs yourself without any additional
insurance.**

Please note that most local insurance
agencies are aware of the **Volunteer
Firefighting Coverage endorsement**, and
generally it is automatically added to
policies. Some insurance agencies located
in Regina or elsewhere, may be unaware of
this endorsement, and you might not be
covered.

***If you have any further questions about
fire insurance endorsements and to see if
your covered, please speak to your
insurance agency.***

Property & Nuisance Bylaw: Quick Guide

**General Rule: Keep your property safe,
clean, and free of nuisances.**

Buildings

***Dilapidated buildings: Must not be
dangerous, lower neighbourhood property
values, or look unsightly.***

***Unoccupied buildings: Must not deteriorate
into a safety hazard.***

Lawns & Gardens

Grass/weeds must be ≤ 0.20 m (≈8 in).

***Keep your property tidy – no junk, debris, or
unsightly areas.***

***Junked vehicles: Only allowed with a permit
(\$50 per 5 vehicles; a second permit may be
possible).***

Boats and RVs in use must stay on your lot.

Parking- Park on-site only.

Front lawns are off-limits for parking.

Excavations & Water Hazards

***Ponds, basements, ditches, or pools must not be
dangerous to the public.***

Yard & Property Maintenance

- ***Keep your property free of:***
 - ***Rodents, vermin, or insect
infestations***
 - ***Dead or hazardous trees***
 - ***Sharp or dangerous objects***
- ***Outdoor materials (lumber, scrap metal,
boxes) must be stacked neatly and off the
ground.***
- ***Fences- Must be safe and well-maintained.***