

# PROPOSED

Public Hearing on  
Monday, January 29,  
2018 @ 7 pm

## Curbside Waste and Recycling Pickup Special Services Plan



Rural Municipality of

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**B**ecause of continued interest expressed by residents in curbside waste and recycling pickup for the south end, the RM of St. Clements has decided to take the next step which is to create a Special Service Plan for curbside pickup; **this does not mean curbside pickup is guaranteed to happen.**

In order to be able to implement

curbside pickup and charge only the residents receiving the service, the RM must follow a legislative process outlined in the *Municipal Act* to ensure all affected residents are aware of the plan.

The Special Service Plan for curbside pickup is the framework for what will become a by-law if Council decides to proceed with curbside pickup.

### Next Steps

1. The RM will hold a Public Hearing:  
**Monday, January 29, 2018**  
**7:00 pm, East Selkirk Hall**  
**711 Old Henderson Hwy, East Selkirk**  
The public may come and give support, share concerns or register objections. Written objections can be submitted anytime before the hearing until it closes.
2. Following the Public Hearing, Council will consider **all** public feedback and determine whether to go forward with the Special Service Plan as it is, with amendments, or not at all.
3. If Council decides to proceed, the Special Service Plan is sent to the Municipal Board for approval.
4. The Municipal Board will approve, make conditions, or reject the plan and may require a public hearing.

### PROPOSED SPECIAL SERVICE PLAN FOR CURBSIDE PICKUP

<b>The plan</b>	Weekly automated trash pickup and bi-weekly automated recycling pickup <i><b>What is automated pickup?</b></i> <i>Automated pickup is a system where specially-designed garbage and recycling carts are emptied using a robotic arm on the truck, instead of workers lifting and emptying cans and bags by hand</i>
<b>Plan details</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The RM will provide a 240 litre (64 gallon) grey refuse cart and a 360 litre (95 gallon) blue recycling cart, both with 12 inch wheels</li><li>• The cost of the carts is included in the yearly charge</li><li>• Each occupied home will get one waste cart and one recycling cart</li></ul>
<b>Number of homes in service area</b>	Approximately 2600
<b>Service area</b>	Southern portion of the RM including Lockport, Narol, Gonor, East Selkirk, Ashfield, West Pine Ridge, West Garson and northeast of Hwys 44 and 59 (see map on reverse)
<b>Who receives service?</b>	All occupied homes <i>Not included: vacant lots, lots with derelict/unoccupied buildings, commercial businesses and multi-family dwellings</i>
<b>Cost per occupied home</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• \$105 per year adjusted a maximum of 2% annually for inflation and an increase in homes</li><li>• 2018 cost will be \$52.50 because service is for half a year</li></ul>
<b>Length of service agreement</b>	This contract is in place for 5 years
<b>Billing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Every year on property tax bills, which are payable on October 31</li><li>• Charge will be clearly marked as separate from regular taxes</li></ul>
<b>Start date</b>	Estimated July 1, 2018

### Timeline: How did we get here?

**2015:** Part of the 2015-2018 Strategic Plan was to review waste management practices

**2016:** Review of waste management: part of findings were that RM resident recycling levels are very low

**Fall 2016:** In-depth volunteer survey of all residents of RM about current waste/recycling practices and suggestions for how to improve

- 476 residents responded and strong interest in curbside pickup for south end was expressed

**Oct 2017:** Created a proposed curbside pickup service area in the south end of the RM

**Nov 2017:** Developed a Tender to get costs of curbside pickup service with various options

**Dec 2017:** Council picked best options and held volunteer survey for residents within proposed service area about which option they prefer - 565 residents responded

**Dec 2017:** Created *Special Service Plan No. 2017-02 for Curbside and Recycling Pickup*

Read more on our website at [rmofstclements.com/trash](http://rmofstclements.com/trash)

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# Proposed Curbside Pickup Zones & Preferred Service Options of Survey Respondents \*



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The service area has been divided into 5 zones.

## Zone 1

Within the Narol and West Pine Ridge boundaries excluding the Keaschell Trailer Park

Total dwellings: 856

Total survey responses: 217

Want curbside pickup: 142

Don't want curbside pickup: 75

## Zone 2

Within the Gonor and Lockport areas, including west of PTH 59 and south of PTH 44

Total dwellings: 540

Total survey responses: 66

Want curbside pickup: 46

Don't want curbside pickup: 20

## Zone 3

North of PTH 44, west of PTH 59 and south of PR 509, and including the Goodman's subdivision east of PTH 59

Total dwellings: 548

Total survey responses: 64

Want curbside pickup: 43

Don't want curbside pickup: 21

## Zone 4

North of PR 509, west of PTH 59 up to Road 80N, and west of Road 29E from Road 80N up to and including the Peltz Drive area

Total dwellings: 663

Total survey responses: 94

Want curbside pickup: 78

Don't want curbside pickup: 16

## Zone 5

East of PTH 59, north of the RM of Springfield to the RM of Brokenhead west of Garson to Road 76N, excluding the Goodman's subdivision

Total dwellings: 360

Total survey responses: 25

Want curbside pickup: 18

Don't want curbside pickup: 7

## Curbside Service Option

### Preferences of Survey Respondents

Total responses to survey: 565

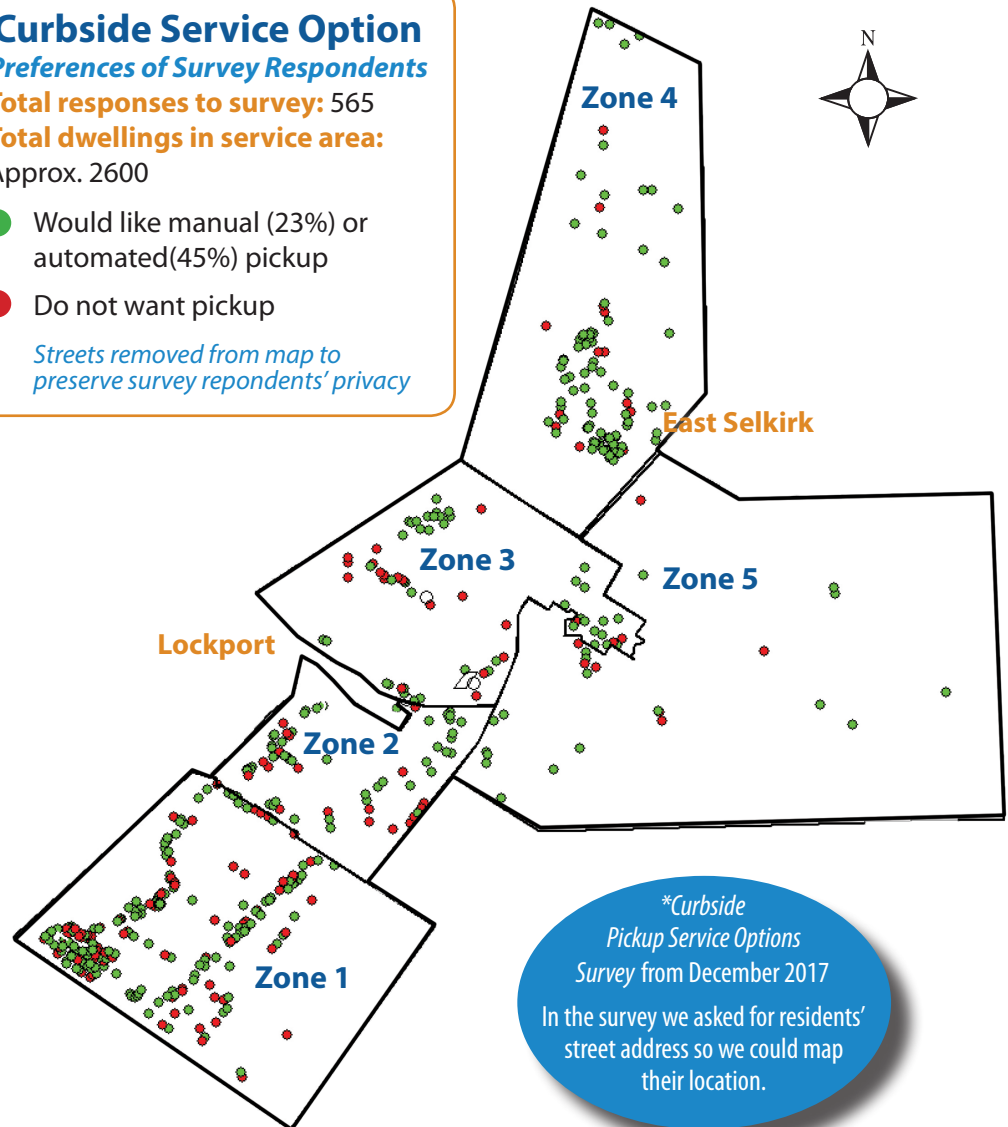
Total dwellings in service area:

Approx. 2600

● Would like manual (23%) or automated (45%) pickup

● Do not want pickup

*Streets removed from map to preserve survey respondents' privacy*



## FAQs

### I have received this notice but my property is unoccupied. Do I still have to pay for this service?

No, unoccupied properties will not be part of the Special Service Plan for curbside pickup. To remove your property from the curbside pickup service area list, go to our website at [rmofstclements.com/trash](http://rmofstclements.com/trash) and fill out the form declaring your property is unoccupied.

### Can I opt out of this service?

No. All occupied residential properties within the Curbside Pickup Special Service Area will be charged for the service.