Incorporated Community of Seymourville

Community Overview

History

The community incorporated in 2004 and is one of a group of five in the area including: Bissett, Aghaming, Manigotagan, Hollow Water reserve.

Access

The community lies on the west side of the reserve and is 85 kilometres by road from Powerview-Pine Falls.

Governance

The community is represented by a mayor and council under The Northern Affairs Act.

Economic Overview

Located within the Precambrian shield region in an area of granite-gneissic rock with little or no soil cover which has an impact on economic opportunity. A large deposit of silica sand has been identified, with proposed development pending. Economic activity includes fishing, trapping, logging, wild rice harvesting and limited tourism support. Fishers pack fish in Hollow Water and transport to Selkirk or Winnipeg. The Seymourville Community Development Corporation incorporated on August 20, 2003 to assist and support the social and economic needs of the community.

Contacts

Incorporated Community of Seymourville Community Council Box 2568 c/o Wanipigow, MB R0E 2E0

Phone: 204-363-7246 Fax: 204-363-7581 Email: icscc@xplornet.ca

Office hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to

4:30 p.m.

Staff

The community employs a community administrative officer, public works employee/

water operator and backup, volunteer fire chief and shares the services of a community safety officer.

Statistics

Census Year	Population
1985	126
1991	127
1996	132
2001	135
2006	132
2011	118
2016	95

^{*}information is from Statistics Canada

Households

There are 37 housing units.

Boundary

Manitoba Regulation 44/2004 refers to Director of Surveys at Winnipeg as No. 19311. See map.

Property Assessment and Taxes

Information is from the 2020 assessment roll of Manitoba Indigenous and Northern Relations and the incorporated community tax levy bylaw.

Value of Assessment		
Business	\$12,500	
Real Property	\$501,260	
Grants-in-lieu	\$384,500	
Exempt	\$198,710	
Total	\$1,096,170	
Rate of Taxation		
General Municipal	5.7 mills	
Business Tax	3.75%	
School Levies		
Education Support	8.828 mills	
Frontier School Division #48	13.202 mills	

Emergency Services

Fire

Firefighting capability is based on a small fast-attack vehicle with limited water supply, hoses and equipment. Additional portable

forestry-style equipment is available for grass and brush fires. Support is also available from Manigotagan.

Police

Police response is from the Powerview RCMP detachment. Phone: 204-367-2222. The shared community safety officer can respond as well. Phone: 204-363-7246.

Medical

Medical response is ambulance service from Powerview-Pine Falls where the nearest hospital is located. Phone: 204-367-2333.

Communication Services

Phone

BellMTS Manigotagan Exchange provides individual line service and digital switching with toll free calling to: Bissett, Powerview-Pine Falls. Office toll free: 204-225-5687.

Cellular Service/Wi-Fi

Unavailable.

High-Speed Internet

Rural available.

Community-Based Services

Hydro

Manitoba Hydro provides landline electric power. Office toll free: 1-888-624-9376.

Water

Water is drawn from Lake Winnipeg into the pumphouse where a chemical feed treatment plant treats the water and distributes throughout the community by a piped distribution system.

Wastewater

Wastewater is collected by a low-pressure wastewater line and pumped into a lagoon for treatment.

Waste Disposal

Seymourville shares a regional site located in the community with Aghaming, Bissett, Manigotagan and Hollow Water.

Schools

Students attend the Wanipigow School operated by Frontier School Division. The school serves 269 students from Nursery to Grade 12. Phone: 204-363-7253.

Recreation Facilities

- baseball diamond and additional field
- basketball and volleyball court
- outdoor rink and change house
- playground area and structures
- community hall

Commercial Services

Transportation

M. Osadchuk Trucking and Gardewine North provide freight service.

Business Directory

Business	Phone
Canadian Premium Sand	587-350-5761

Government Services

Provincial Government Departments

Manitoba Conservation and Climate

Drinking water officer Phone: 204-642-6134 in Gimli. Environment officer Phone: 204-345-1486 in Lac du Bonnet. The 24 hour emergency response line toll free: 1-855-944-4888.

Regional Operations, Eastern Region, District Office Phone: 204-367-6130 and conservation officer Phone: 204-367-6131 in

Powerview-Pine Falls. Fire control officer Phone:

204-345-1419 in Lac du Bonnet.

Manitoba Economic Development and Training Communities Economic Development Fund (CEDF) Phone: 204-778-4138 in Thompson (Head Office) or toll free: 1-800-561-4315.

Manitoba Finance

Employment Standards Branch Phone: 204-945-3352 in Winnipeg or toll free: 1-800-821-4307.

Workplace Safety and Health Branch toll free: 1-855-957-SAFE (7233).

Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living
Public health inspector Phone: 204-345-1447 in
Lac du Bonnet.

Manitoba Indigenous and Northern Relations
Northern Affairs Branch, North Central Region
Phone: 204-622-2110 in Dauphin. The 24 hour
emergency number toll free: 1-866-735-3111.

Manitoba Infrastructure

Emergency Measures Organization, General Office and emergency management advisor toll free: 1-888-267-8298.

Manitoba Justice

Circuit court sits at Powerview-Pine Falls coordinated by the Selkirk Regional Court Office Phone: 204-785-5077.

Manitoba Municipal Relations Community and Regional Planning Branch, Regional Office Phone: 204-268-6058 in Beausejour.

Eastman Region, Recreation and Regional Services Branch Phone: 204-268-6020 or toll free: 1-866-665-6107 in Beausejour.

Office of the Fire Commissioner, emergency services officer Phone: 204-726-6855 in Brandon. The 24 hour emergency response number toll free: 1-888-253-1488.

