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# Crane River

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## Community Overview

Two communities share the name Crane River, the community and the adjacent reserve. Information in this profile relates to the non-reserve side, unless otherwise noted.

### Access

The community is located on the west shore at the north end of Lake Manitoba. All-weather access is provided by Provincial Road (PR) 276 from Ste. Rose du Lac to Toutes Aides and PR 481 to Crane River. Dauphin is 120 kilometres (km) to the west and Winnipeg is 320 km to the southeast.

### Governance

The community was recognized in May 1969 and is represented by a mayor and council under The Northern Affairs Act.

## Community Contacts

Crane River Community Council  
Box 83  
Crane River, MB R0L 0M0

Phone: 204-732-2268  
Fax: 204-732-2709  
Email: [crcc@inetlink.com](mailto:crcc@inetlink.com)  
website: [www.cranerivercc.ca](http://www.cranerivercc.ca)

### Office Hours and Staff

Monday to Thursday: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. and  
Friday: 9 a.m. – 12 noon

The community employs a community administrative officer, public works employee, community safety officer, volunteer fire chief and regional recreation director.

## Economic Overview

Economic opportunities in the area focus on commercial fishing, trapping, ranching and local services. Most commercial fishing is in the

winter. Some trapping is done in open areas adjacent to the community. The terrain primarily supports mixed farming and ranching. There is little or no forestry operation at present.

## Community Statistics

Population	
1985	328
1991	232
1996	178
2001	161
2006	162
2011	130

*\*Information is from Statistics Canada.*

### Households

There are 67 housing units and a senior's complex.

### Boundary

Manitoba Regulation 67/2009 refers to Director of Surveys at Winnipeg as No. 19315. See map.

### Property Assessment and Taxes

Information is from the 2015 assessment roll and Manitoba Regulation 117/2015 tax rates and levy of Manitoba Indigenous and Municipal Relations.

Value of Assessment	
Business	NIL
Real Property	\$445,030
Grants-in-lieu	\$605,760
Exempt	\$635,940
Total	\$1,686,730
Rate of Taxation	
General Municipal mills	5.7
Business Tax	3.75%
School Levies	
Foundation mills	11.61
Frontier School Division #48 mills	15.399

### Emergency Services

#### Fire

Fire fighting capability is based on a pumper truck and equipment from the fire hall Phone: 204-732-2335. Portable forestry equipment is also available for grass and brush fires. The fire department is a member of the Winnipegosis Mutual Aid District.

#### Police

Police response is from the Ste. Rose du Lac RCMP detachment Phone: 204-447-2513. The community safety officer responds locally Phone: 204-732-2157.

#### Medical

Medical services consist of a community health station, staffed by a community health worker. A visiting nurse travels from Dauphin. The nearest doctor and hospital are in Ste. Rose du Lac.

### Communication Services

#### Phone

Manitoba Telecom Services Rorketon Exchange provides individual line service and digital switching with toll free calling to Camperville, Dauphin, Eddystone, Ethelbert, Fork River, Gilbert Plains, Grandview, Ochre River, Pine River, Rorketon, Sifton, Ste. Rose du Lac, Waterhen and Winnipegosis. Office toll free: 204-225-5687.

#### Cellular Service/Wi-Fi

Unavailable.

#### High-Speed Internet

Rural satellite available.

### Community Based Services

#### Hydro

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

#### Water and Wastewater

Water is pumped twice yearly from Lake Manitoba into a reservoir when there is minimum turbidity. It is then put through and centrifugal filter and a slow sand filter before entering a

buffer tank. From there the water runs through a nano filter and UV before being distributed. Manual pick-up of treated water from the plant is available for non-connected customers.

Sewage is piped by a low-pressure system to a lagoon located within the community.

#### Waste Disposal

A solid waste disposal site exists 8 km from the community. It is supervised and open 12 hours per week. The public works employee picks up solid waste once per week.

#### Schools

Lakefront School is operated by Frontier School Division in the community. There is a principal, three teachers and five support staff. The school serves 27 students from Nursery to Grade 8. Phone: 204-732-2750.

#### Recreation Facilities

- Ball diamond
- Community hall
- Gymnasium (part of the school)
- Horse race track
- Indoor rink
- Playground facilities
- Recreation building
- Crane River church group
- MMF local
- Crane River recreation committee

#### Recreation Activities

- Adult co-ed floor hockey nights
- Volleyball and youth gym nights
- Open public skating
- Slo-pitch games
- Seniors gym night
- Seniors fun day (monthly)
- Fun in the sun
- Fitness circuit training
- Canada Day festival
- Community Christmas parade
- Community seniors Christmas supper
- Lakefront Christmas concert

### Government Services

Manitoba Sustainable Development  
Regional Operations, Western Region, District

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Office and Conservation Officer Phone:  
204-656-7030 in Winnipegosis. Northwest  
Region, Fire Control Officer Phone:  
204-627-8332 in The Pas.

Drinking Water Officer Phone: 204-622-2153  
and Environment Officer Phone: 204-622-2316  
in Dauphin. After hours emergency number toll  
free: 1-855-944-4888 (officers on call).

Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living  
Public Health Inspector Phone: 204-622-2062 in  
Dauphin.

Manitoba Justice  
Circuit court sits at Dauphin coordinated by the  
Dauphin Regional Court Office Phone:  
204-622-2192.

Manitoba Growth, Enterprise and Trade  
Employment Standards Branch Phone:  
204-726-6926 in Brandon or toll free:  
1-800-821-4307.

Office of the Fire Commissioner, Deputy Fire  
Commissioner Phone: 204-726-6855 in  
Brandon. The 24 hour emergency number toll  
free: 1-888-389-3473.

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

Manitoba Indigenous and Municipal Relations  
North Central Regional Office Phone:  
204-622-2110 in Dauphin. The 24 hour  
emergency number toll free: 1-866-735-3111.

Recreation and Regional Services Branch  
Phone: 204-622-2022 in Dauphin.

Community and Regional Planning Branch,  
Regional Office Phone: 204-622-2157 in  
Dauphin.

### Commercial Services

#### Accommodation

- No local overnight accommodation exists.  
Meals can be obtained from the Crane River  
Band Restaurant Phone: 204-732-2047.

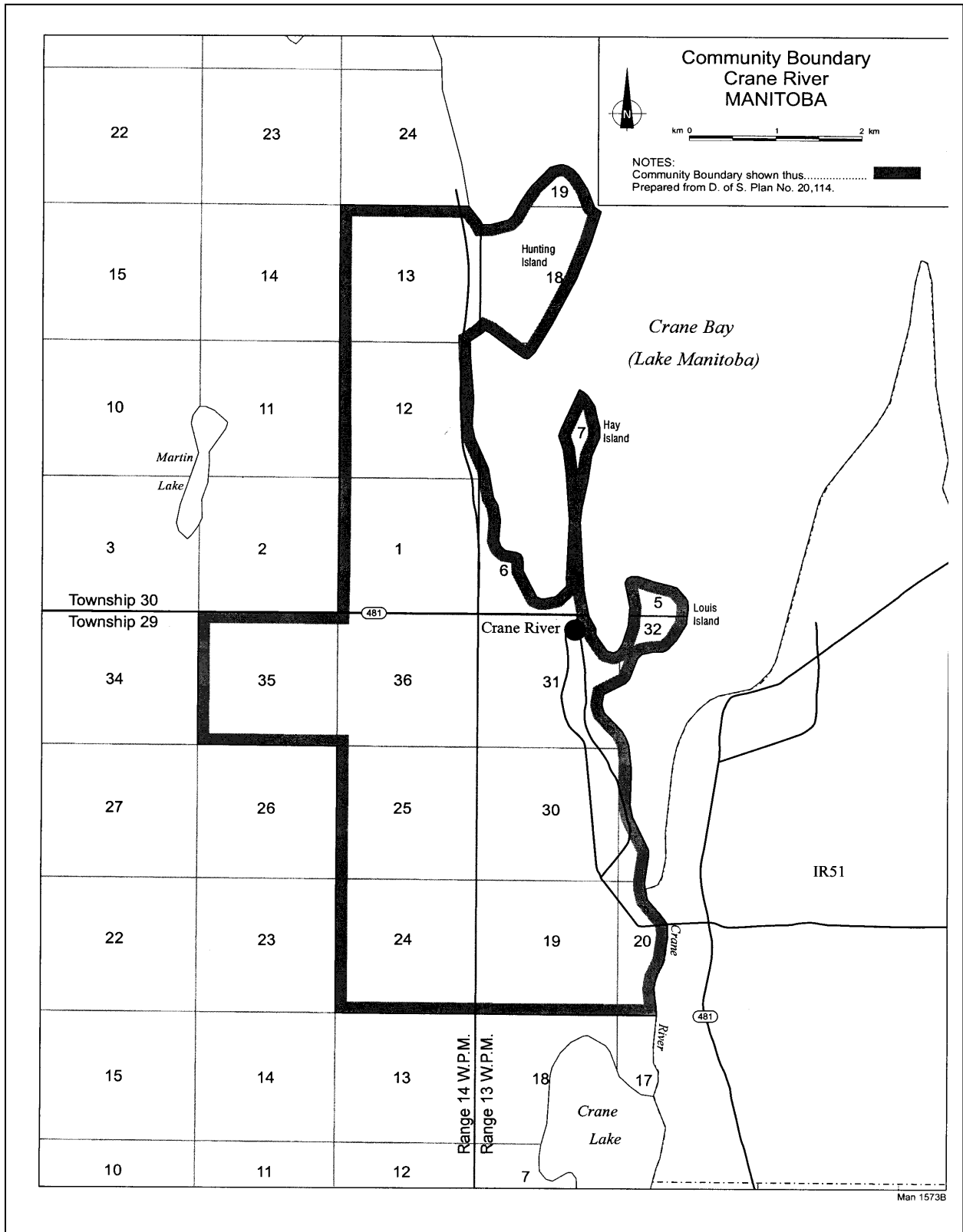
#### Transportation

- Gardewine North provides freight service  
from its Dauphin terminal.
- Morrisseau Taxi Phone: 204-732-2636.

#### Business Directory

Business	Phone
Crane River Band Store	204-732-2832

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