
Granville Lake

Community Overview

History

Granville Lake is located on a peninsula on the south shore of Granville Lake, which is part of the Churchill River system.

Access

Normal access is by boat, snowmobile or air. Leaf Rapids is 42 kilometres northeast by air.

Economic Overview

The area lies within the Precambrian Shield region of the province, characterized by granite and gneissic rocks overlaid with a thin muskeg cover. The many lakes are suited for fishing, hunting and recreational purposes. Commercial fishing takes place on Granville Lake, Stag Lake, Watt Lake and Barrington Lake.

Statistics

Census Year	Population
1985	77
1991	43
1996	77
2001	69
2006	60
2011	11
2016	10

**information is from Statistics Canada*

Households

There are eight housing units.

Boundary

A boundary has not been established.

Property Assessment and Taxes

Information is from the 2020 assessment roll and Tax Rates and Levy Regulation (2020) of Manitoba Indigenous and Northern Relations.

Value of Assessment	
Real Property	\$67,450
Grants-in-lieu	\$128,600
Exempt	\$76,490
Total	\$272,540

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 limited to forestry-style portable equipment. There is a tractor and small trailer to move equipment.

Police

Police response is from the Thompson RCMP detachment. Phone: 204-677-6911.

Medical

Medical response is limited to very basic health aid assistance in the community. Patients requiring any other treatment are transferred to the clinic/medical facilities in Leaf Rapids or Lynn Lake.

Communication Services

Phone

BellMITS provides digital satellite telecommunication service. Office toll free: 204-225-5687.

Cellular Service/High-Speed Internet/Wi-Fi

Unavailable.

Community-Based Services

Hydro

Manitoba Hydro provides enhanced diesel electric power. Service capacity is limited to 60 amps. Office toll free: 1-888-624-9376.

Water

Residents rely on water supply from Granville Lake. There is no treatment.

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Wastewater

Wastewater is delivered from septic tanks and fields to the lagoon.

Waste Disposal

There is a solid waste site nearby.

Schools

The Mary Newell School operated by Frontier School Division is presently closed.

Recreation Activities

- fishing, camping, snowmobiling

Commercial Services

Accommodation

- Nearest is in Leaf Rapids or Lynn Lake.

Transportation

- Gardewine North freight service is by road to Leaf Rapids only. Office toll free: 1-800-665-7340.
- Charter airline services are available from Thompson, Lynn Lake or Leaf Rapids.

Government Services

Provincial Government Departments

Manitoba Conservation and Climate

Drinking water officer Phone: 204-677-6704 and environment officer Phone: 204-677-6703 in Thompson. The 24 hour emergency response line toll free: 1-855-944-4888.

Regional Operations, Eastern Region, District Office Phone: 204-677-6653, conservation officer Phone: 204-677-6637 and fire control officer Phone: 204-679-2253 in Thompson.

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: 204-677-6664 in Thompson 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: 204-677-6472 in Thompson.

Manitoba Indigenous and Northern Relations
Northern Affairs Branch, Northern Region
Phone: 204-677-6786 in Thompson. 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 Leaf Rapids coordinated by the Thompson Regional Court Office Phone: 204-677-6761.

Manitoba Municipal Relations

Community and Regional Planning Branch, Regional Office Phone: 204-945-8353 in Winnipeg.

Norman Region, Recreation and Regional Services Branch Phone: 204-627-8213 in The Pas.

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.