
Moose Lake

Community Overview

The community of Moose Lake is located adjacent to the Mosakahiken Cree Nation reserve. Information in this profile relates to the non-reserve side, unless otherwise noted.

Access

The community is located on the northern limits of the Saskatchewan River Delta on the western shore of Cedar Lake 74 kilometres southeast of The Pas.

Governance

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

Community Contacts

Moose Lake Community Council
General Delivery
Moose Lake, MB R0B 0Y0

Phone: 204-678-2161
Fax: 204-678-2133
Email: mlccouncil@xplornet.com

Office Hours and Staff

Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

The community employs a community administrative officer, public works employee, back-up operator and volunteer fire chief.

Economic Overview

The Saskatchewan River Delta and adjoining Cedar Lake provide intensive fishing and wildlife production. Cattle ranching has been practised in the past. Commercial fishing provides substantial income with fish transported to The Pas.

Trapping provides additional income and wild rice has been planted on nearby lakes.

Presently, the most notable activity has been through the Moose Lake Loggers. Local residents as well as residents from nearby communities of Cormorant, Cranberry Portage and The Pas are employed.

Community Statistics

Population	
1985	580
1991	375
1996	333
2001	212
2006	205
2011	107

**Information is from Statistics Canada.*

Households

There are 54 housing units.

Boundary

Manitoba Regulation 67/2009 refers to Director of Surveys at Winnipeg as No. 18576. 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	\$8,100
Real Property	\$362,600
Grants-in-lieu	\$660,290
Exempt	\$197,610
Total	\$1,228,600
Rate of Taxation	
General Municipal	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. Portable forestry equipment is also available for grass and brush fires. Phone: 204-678-2080.

Police

Police response is from the Moose Lake RCMP detachment Phone: 204-678-2267.

Medical

Medical response is provided from the federal nursing station which is located on the reserve. The nearest hospital and ambulance is in The Pas. The community qualifies for the Northern Patient Transportation Program Phone: 204-623-4500.

Communication Services

Phone

Manitoba Telecom Services provides individual line service and digital switching with toll free calling to The Pas, Clearwater Lake, Cormorant and Wanless. Office toll free: 204-225-5687.

Cellular Service/High-Speed Internet/Wi-Fi
Unavailable.

Community Based Services

Hydro

Manitoba Hydro provides landline electric power. Office Phone: 204-623-7471 in The Pas.

Water and Wastewater

The water treatment plant supplies chlorinated well water by means of a piped system. The areas that are not serviced by piped system have water delivery.

The reserve and part of the community has sewage collected by piped collection lines going to a lagoon on the outskirts of the community. The areas not serviced by piped system have sewage pump out to the lagoon.

Waste Disposal

The solid waste disposal site is located nearby and is also used by the reserve.

Schools

The Frontier Mosakahiken School is operated by Frontier School Division. The school serves 497 students from Nursery to Grade 12 from the reserve and community. Phone: 204-678-2353.

Recreation Facilities

- Two skating rinks
- Park
- School gym nights
- Basketball court
- Baseball diamond, soccer fields
- Community hall

Recreation Activities

- Lighthouses program
- Adult education
- Culture camps
- Fishing, hunting
- Swimming, boating
- Aboriginal culture (teaching and learning)
- Rock painting
- Horse and trail rides
- Walk Way Path walking trail
- Bingo
- Dances
- Gospel Jamborees
- Local winter carnival

Government Services

Manitoba Sustainable Development

Regional Operations, Northwest Region, District Office Phone: 204-627-8287, Conservation Officer Phone: 204-627-8254 and Fire Control Officer Phone: 204-627-8332 in The Pas.

Environment Officer Phone: 204-627-8248 in The Pas. Drinking Water Officer Phone: 204-622-2153 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: 204-627-8307 in The Pas.

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Manitoba Justice

Circuit court sits at Moose Lake coordinated by
The Pas Regional Court Office Phone:
204-627-8420.

Manitoba Growth, Enterprise and Trade

Employment Standards Branch Phone:
204-677-6664 in Thompson 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

Northern Regional Office Phone: 204-677-6786
in Thompson. The 24 hour emergency number
toll free: 1-866-735-3111.

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

Community and Regional Planning Branch,
Regional Office Phone: 204-945-4988 in
Winnipeg.

Commercial Services

Accommodation

- Nearest accommodation is at The Pas.

Transportation

- Gardewine North provides freight services
via all-weather road from The Pas. Office toll
free: 1-800-665-7340.

Business Directory

Business	Phone
Moose Lake Fish Packing Plant	204-678-2282
Moose Lake Loggers Ltd.	204-678-2342
Northern Store	204-678-2212

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