

My Taxes Pay For?

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Town of Kipling 2018 Budget Highlights



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BUDGET RIGHTS

Increase in Taxes

Utility & Equipment upgrades

Pavement Repairs



Your Tax Bill

The Town of Kipling has a Base tax and a Mill Rate of 3 that is levied to each property depending on your property class.

Residential Base Tax : \$1,560.00

Commercial/Industrial Base Tax: \$2,100.00

Mill Rate: 3

How are your taxes calculated?

Base Tax + Mill Rate = Taxes Owed*

**Mill Rate = Taxable Assessment X Mill Rate (3)
div by 1000*

*Residential /Agricultural Base Tax includes \$150
per property Infrastructure Fee.*

School Taxes are not included in these examples. The school portion of your taxes is set by the Province and is remitted by the Town directly to the School Division.

Taxes are considered due December 31st of the year in which they were levied.

Outstanding taxes as of Dec 31st have a 12% penalty added Jan 1st.

Council Message

Dear Resident:

Each year, Council and Staff work together to develop an annual budget that meets the needs of our community. Municipalities in Saskatchewan are required by Provincial legislation to have a balanced budget. This means that debt cannot be incurred to cover operating expenses. Debt may be used to fund capital projects.

There will be no increase in taxes for 2018. The Canadian Federation of Independent Business most recent report shows that Kipling has some of the lowest commercial property taxes in the area.

Council continues to work with their contractors, engineers, staff and project manager on the Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades project. The design phase is complete and construction is underway, with a target completion date of September 2018. At the end of the project, Kipling will have a green sand pre-treatment tank with a membrane filter system.

With the building of the new fire hall, we are leaving us with an empty space and the library. To meet the need of accessibility, Council has contracted a designer to draw up a design to repurpose the old fire hall space. The project is targeted to start in the spring of 2019. If less fundraising efforts exceed expenses, the project will be delayed.

Our annual resident supper held on November 10th was very successful, thank you to everyone who came out with their ideas and bouquets! Your input is very important in shaping the future of our community.

