



Heartland Health Region

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Sandy Shores Resort Wastewater Questions & Answers

Q. Do I need a permit from Heartland Health Region to install a sewage tank at Sandy Shores Resort?

A. YES. An application may be found at <http://hrha.sk.ca/programs-services/population-health-services/public-health-inspection/>

Q. Do I need an inspection of my sewage tank?

A. YES. All sewage holding tanks installed at Sandy Shores resort require an inspection. Once your contractor has submitted your application with payment, the contractor requests an inspection. Contractors must call at least 5 business days in advance to arrange an inspection time. You may not schedule an inspection prior to permit approval and payment. Credit card payment is accepted. You may not backfill the tank until the inspection is completed.

Q. What type of sewage tank do I need?

A. Your sewage holding tank must be a minimum of 1000 gallons. As a guide, it is recommended that your tank have 400 gallons capacity for each bedroom in the home.

You may choose a poly, fiberglass or concrete sewage tank. The tank must meet the CSA standard for prefabricated sewage tanks.

Q. Where can I put my sewage tank?

A. Minimum setbacks for sewage tanks are as follows:

Building	1m	(3ft)
Large Tree	3m	(10ft)
Property Boundary	3m	(10ft)
Walk/Driveway	1.5m	(5ft)
Cut or Embankment	3m	(10ft)
Well	9m	(30ft)
Water Course	9m	(30ft)

Access to the tank must be above grade and secured. You may choose to locate your tank below or above ground, according to manufacturer's instructions.

Q. Can I install a mound system instead of a sewage tank? Can I use greywater to water lawns?

A. NO. Holding tanks are the only onsite sewage system allowed at Sandy Shores Resort. If you wish to separate your greywater from blackwater, phone 306-867-8676 ext. 406 to discuss your options.

Q. Who is able to install a tank and who is able to haul sewage out of my tank?

A. You may install your own sewage tank, however most people choose to hire an experienced contractor. A licenced sewage hauler is able to empty your tank and dispose of the sewage in an appropriate manner.

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Q. Who can I contact about installing a sewage tank, and for hauling sewage?

Sewage System Installers

Emerald Earthmoving Enterprises	306-858-3203 or 306-460-0304	emerald_earthmoving@outlook.com
Link's Backhoe & Skidsteer	306-493-2410	larrylink@yourlink.ca
Valley West Irrigation	306-867-7530	valleywest@sasktel.net
Webco Construction	306-867-4645	g_simonson@hotmail.com
Vast Construction Services	306-858-7169	info@vastcontracting.ca

Sewage Haulers

Vast Contracting Services	306-858-7169
Valley West Irrigation	306-867-7530

Q. Where do I find further information?

A. Contact Vanessa Amy at 306-867-7850 or e-mail vanessa.amy@hrha.sk.ca