
Herb Lake Landing

Community Overview

Herb Lake Landing is situated on the east shore of Wekusko Lake and was originally a landing point on the trail from the Canadian National Railway Bay Line to a mine further north on the lake. When the mine closed, only the landing remained.

Access

It is approximately 9 kilometres (km) north of Provincial Road (PR) 391 and 55 km southeast of Snow Lake. PR 391 is an all-weather paved road connecting to Provincial Trunk Highway (PTH) 6 and north to Thompson or to PTH 10 and southwest to The Pas.

Governance

Herb Lake Landing is represented by a contact person and defined as a settlement under The Northern Affairs Act.

Community Contacts

Herb Lake Landing Contact Person
Box 700
c/o Snow Lake, MB R0B 1M0

Phone/Fax: 204-358-2314
Email: hazelcorman@hotmail.com
website: www.herblakelanding.ca

Office Hours

There is no office or scheduled hours.

Economic Overview

The many lakes, characteristic of the Precambrian Shield region of Manitoba, make the area suitable for sport fishing, hunting, wild rice and related tourist activities. Wild rice growing and harvesting are the major economic resources. Fishers deliver their fish to the Wabowden or Winnipeg fish station. Pulpwood cutting has taken place at various times.

Community Statistics

Population	
1985	7
1991	8
1996	19
2001	15
2006	44
2011	19

**Information is from Statistics Canada.*

Households

There are six housing units and some seasonal cottages.

Boundary

Manitoba Regulation 67/2009 refers to Director of Surveys at Winnipeg as No. 20400. 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	\$6,900
Real Property	\$272,660
Grants-in-lieu	\$650
Exempt	\$14,370
Total	\$294,580
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 forestry-style portable equipment, including a truck with a 500 gallon water tank.

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Police

Police response is from the Snow Lake RCMP detachment. Phone: 204-358-7722.

Medical

Medical support is available by transporting patients to the hospital in Snow Lake. Phone: 204-358-2300.

Communication Services

Phone

Manitoba Telecom Services (MTS) provides individual line service and digital switching to Herb Lake Landing from the MTS Snow Lake exchange. Office toll free: 204-225-5687.

Cellular Service/High-Speed Internet

Available.

Wi-Fi

Unavailable.

Community Based Services

Hydro

Manitoba Hydro provides line power. District Office Phone: 204-358-2431 in Snow Lake.

Water and Wastewater

Residents either obtain their water from the lake or purchase bottled water.

Sewage is hauled by truck to a liquid-waste pit beside the waste disposal site.

Waste Disposal

A waste disposal site is located near the community.

Schools

The closest school is Joseph H. Kerr School operated by Frontier School Division in Snow Lake. The school serves 131 students from Nursery to Grade 12. Phone: 204-358-2281.

Recreation Facilities

- Exercise facility in community hall

Recreation Activities

- Ice and summer sport fishing

- Camping, rock climbing, hiking
- Swimming
- Sliding
- Kayaking, canoeing
- Four wheeling, snowmobiling
- Snowshoeing
- Pioneering
- Gardening competitions

Government Services

Manitoba Sustainable Development

Regional Operations, Northwest Region, District Office and Conservation Officer Phone: 204-358-2521 in Snow Lake. Fire Control Officer Phone: 204-627-8332 in The Pas.

Environment Officer Phone: 204-627-8248 in The Pas. Drinking Water Officer Phone: 204-677-6844 in Thompson. 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.

Manitoba Justice

Circuit court sits at Snow Lake coordinated by the Flin Flon Regional Court Office Phone: 204-687-1670.

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.

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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

- Overnight accommodation is available at the Tawow Lodge.

Transportation

- Gardewine North provides freight service to Snow Lake as a common point of delivery. Office toll free: 1-800-665-7340.
- Greyhound provides daily parcel services to Ponton (50 km away), to Thompson, The Pas and Winnipeg. Office toll free: 1-800-661-8747.

Business Directory

Business	Phone
Tawow Lodge	204-358-2485

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