

RM OF SALTCOATS WELL DECOMMISSIONING CAMPAIGN

Do you have a large-diameter well that is abandoned or no longer being used?
The RM of Saltcoats is initiating a campaign to decommission/seal as many abandoned wells as possible.
If you have one on your property, please contact the Assiniboine Watershed Stewardship Association
to properly arrange your well decommissioning.

The service is **FREE** to all RM rate payers! (\$300 cost to urban landowners within the RM)

All landowners are eligible

Please call 306-783-1696 before October 31, 2023 to sign up

Groundwater is a critical resource in the Assiniboine River Watershed because over 90% of our residents rely on groundwater for their drinking water. **Protection** of our aquifers is paramount, and one of the best practices to ensure safe source waters throughout our watershed is the **decommissioning of abandoned wells**.

Over the years, many wells on properties become **abandoned** without being properly decommissioned.

These abandoned wells are a **hazard to groundwater** and a **liability** for property owners.

Decommissioning your abandoned wells can **increase your property value!**

This is an Assiniboine Watershed exclusive program, coordinated by the Assiniboine Watershed Stewardship Association.

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