

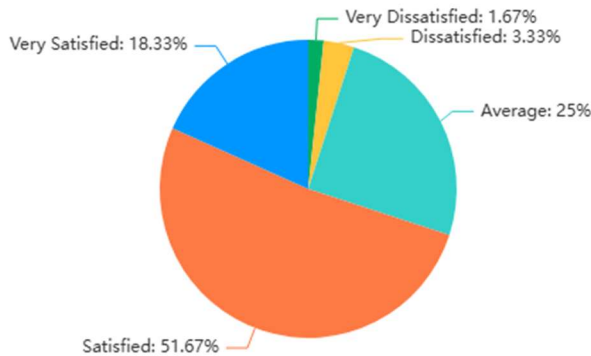
VILLAGE NEWS

Village of Sedley Newsletter

March 2026

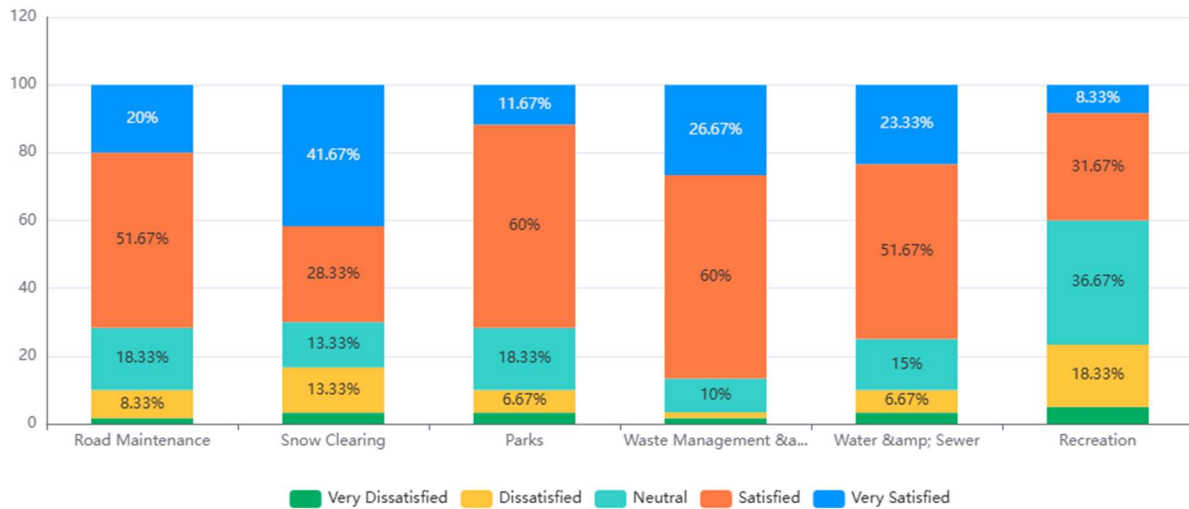
Resident Survey Results

The Village of Sedley values your input and feedback! We received 60 responses to our Resident Survey. Thank you to everyone that took the time to share your thoughts!



To share some of what we have learned from this survey, this chart (left) shows how the community has rated their quality of life living here in Sedley. The ratings for individual municipal services have also been included below.

All responses will help guide our Strategic Planning and 2026–27 Budget Deliberations!










We appreciate the strong community spirit in Sedley and your desire for continued improvements in:

- ✓ Recreation
- ✓ Community events
- ✓ Roads & sidewalks
- ✓ Infrastructure









From these responses, we feel we need to clarify what the Village is expected to do. As a small village in Saskatchewan governed by *The Municipalities Act*, our core responsibilities focus on essential services, good governance, and community well-being.

Here's what we are responsible for:

-  Maintaining public roads, streets, sidewalks & infrastructure
-  Managing water, sewer, waste collection & recycling
-  Operating parks, playgrounds, skating rink & community facilities (within budget limits)
-  Enforcing bylaws (property standards, zoning, building permits, nuisance properties, animal control, etc.)
-  Providing fire protection through our volunteer fire department & first responders
-  Supporting planning and development (subdivisions, access)
-  Setting local tax rates and fees to fund these services responsibly

As a small community, we prioritize what we can realistically achieve while balancing the budget carefully.

We sometimes receive concerns about services that are not managed by the Village. While we advocate where possible, we do *not* control:

-  Health clinics or hospitals
-  Policing (handled by the RCMP)
-  Schools or social services
-  Snow removal from private driveways/yards
-  Private ditches or drainage on private property
-  Retail prices or business operations
-  Direct operation of private businesses (fitness centres, banks, etc.)
-  Building code standards (inspections are contracted, standards are set by the provincial government)

Many services in our community involve partnerships with provincial programs, contractors, and regional organizations.

We appreciate your understanding as we focus on the services we are mandated to provide.



2026 Dog and Business License

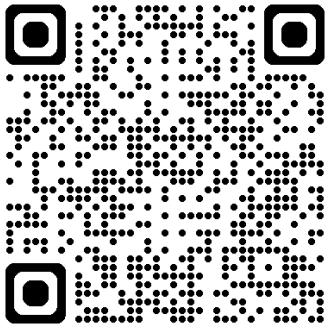
Reminder that dog and business license fees are due for 2026! It's \$20/year for the dog license, \$25/year for at-home businesses, and \$100/year for commercial businesses.

We are also reminding you to please pick up after your pets! Whether it's in the streets or in a yard, doing your part to clean up helps keep our community looking nice and is respectful to your neighbours.

Community Group Organizational Chart

In an attempt to better connect people in our area – both the rural farming families and those who live right in town – we are creating an Organizational (ORG) Chart of sorts. We would like to compile an inclusive list of all the boards, community groups, and volunteers who help our town flourish.

We are looking for a contact person(s) for each organization to add to our ORG Chart. If you are a member of a local board or organization and would like to be added to this chart, please contact the Village office!



Emergency Mass Notification

Want to receive information about water service interruptions or other emergencies in a timely manner? Sign up for our All-Net Connect. Go to the home page at www.villageofsedley.com, scroll down to the bottom of the page, enter your contact information and your preferred method of communication and that's it! You'll receive text, phone and/or e-mail notifications about emergent situations.

Contact Information

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Email Consent Form

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Transmitting information by email has a number of risks that residents should be aware of. These include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Emails can be circulated, forwarded, and stored in numerous electronic files.
- Email senders can easily misaddress an email.
- Email is easier to falsify than handwritten or signed documents.
- Emails can be intercepted, altered, forwarded, or used without authorization or detection.
- Email can be used to introduce viruses into computer systems.

The Village of Sedley will use reasonable means to protect the security and confidentiality of email information sent and received. However, because of the risks outlined above, the municipality cannot guarantee the security and confidentiality of email communication and will not be liable for improper disclosing of confidential information.

Consent to receiving emails from the Village includes agreement with the following:

1. I will inform the Village of Sedley of any changes in my email address as soon as possible, to prevent the misdirection of emails and reduce the risk of not receiving important information.
2. I may withdraw from email delivery at any time. To do so, I will inform the Village of Sedley and all future emails will not be delivered to me unless I re-opt in.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND CONSENT

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand this document, and consent to joining the Village of Sedley email list.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____