



Rural Municipality of Woodlands

Box 10
Woodlands, Manitoba
R0C 3H0
Telephone (204) 383-5679
Fax: (204) 383-5169
email: rmwldls1@mts.net

Donald Walsh – Reeve

Lynn Kauppila, CMMA
Chief Administrative Officer

April 22, 2013 UPDATE on Manitoba Hydro Line Relocation Project

As many of you may already be aware, the RM of Woodlands had submitted a proposal in August 2012, directed to Manitoba Hydro, Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation (MIT) and the Manitoba EMO Disaster Financial Assistance Program (DFA) whereby it was suggested that these three parties jointly co-fund the movement of hydro lines which are currently situated in the centre of Lots 301 to 327, to instead run along Twin Beach Road itself. The total cost for this project was estimated by Manitoba Hydro at \$198,000 or \$66,000 per agency to complete.

The RM was advised that Manitoba Hydro was willing to invest their 1/3 share to complete this project providing the other two parties namely: (DFA & MIT) would participate. In March of this year the RM was advised by MIT and DFA that neither would participate in this funding arrangement to relocate the hydro lines.

The RM of Woodlands Recovery Manager, Al Caron, will be looking into this situation with all concerned, in an effort to try and move this project forward once again.

