

# Village of Fort Simpson



**DATE:** April 08, 2024

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**RE:** 2024 GNWT-INF Waste Receiving-Jean Marie Bridge Project

All formal communications regarding this approval/agreement to provide waste acceptance services for the, **2024 GNWT-INF Waste Receiving-Jean Marie River Bridge Project** are to be directed to:

The Corporation of the Village of Fort Simpson  
P.O. Box 438  
Fort Simpson, NT X0E 0N0  
Ph: 1-(867) 695-2253  
Cell: 1-(867) 695-6501  
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Att: Mitch Gast [mgast@fortsimpson.com](mailto:mgast@fortsimpson.com)  
CC: Darrell White [dwhite@fortsimpson.com](mailto:dwhite@fortsimpson.com)

Based on the current Village of Fort Simpson bylaws, contracts and industry standards, the following is the approval, instruction/direction issued to access Village services in reference to the **2024 GNWT-INF Waste Receiving-Redknife Bridge Project**:

Period: May 01, 2024 to April 30, 2025

Domestic Solid Waste: 60kg per day (max) / 300 day period(max)

Sanitary Wastewater: 230 litres/day for 300 day period(max), 14,000 litres per day (max) per delivery

Metals: 3,500 – 4,500kg

Steel Bridge Structure(lead based paint): **Acceptance Refused**

Wood – 5,500 – 6,500kg(Treated timber piles): **Acceptance Refused**

Concrete with reinforcing steel – 160 m<sup>3</sup>/Approx. 385,00 kg: **Acceptance Refused**

**BULK POTABLE WATER**

Potable water for use outside the municipal boundaries may be accessed in one of two ways, at your discretion:

- 1) Purchase directly from P.R Contracting (no direct Village involvement)

or

- 2) Purchase directly from the Village of Fort Simpson at the bulk potable water filling station, located outside the water treatment plant and haul with your own tankers. To access this second option, the following will apply:
  - a) You will need to open a bulk water account with the Village of Fort Simpson.
  - b) You will be issued a key for your own totalizer at the “bulk potable water filling station” located in front of the water treatment plant.
  - c) You will be able to load water at your discretion as far as quantity is involved, unless directed otherwise by the Village of Fort Simpson.
  - d) You will be able to load water at your discretion between the hours of 07:00 and 22:00, unless directed otherwise by the Village of Fort Simpson. Although the “bulk potable water filling station” is active 24/7, use between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 are reserved for emergency use only, so as to minimize vehicular traffic and noise in town during the night.
  - e) All bulk potable water received by the customer at the bulk potable water filling station will be billed to the customer monthly, as per bylaw # 2017-007 or its revisions/amendments. The current rate at the date of this correspondence is \$11.33 per m3.

**NOTE:** Due to previous contractual commitments, potable water loaded at this filling station must only be used outside of the Village’s municipal boundaries.

Failure to observe the above condition(s) will constitute a breach of contract, resulting in termination of access to bulk potable water from the Village of Fort Simpson.

**SANITARY WASTEWATER DISPOSAL**

The Village of Fort Simpson will accept only “sanitary wastewater” produced by the “approved Project” and under the conditions of the approval (quantity, quality, schedule, etc.).

Sanitary wastewater is to be deposited at the “trailer dumping station” located next to the wastewater treatment plant on Mackenzie Dr.

You will be able to dump sanitary wastewater at your discretion between the hours of 07:00 and 18:00, Monday through Thursday and 07:00 to 17:00 Friday, unless directed otherwise by the Village of Fort Simpson. Although the “trailer dumping station” is active 24/7, use between the hours of 18:00 to 07:00 Monday to Thursday and 17:00 Friday to 07:00 Monday are reserved for emergency use only, so as to minimize vehicular traffic and noise in town during the night. No dumping allowed Saturday, Sunday and Statutory/Municipal holidays.

In the case of emergencies, prior approval “may” be granted by contacting The Village of Fort Simpson at (867) 695-2253 or (867) 695-6501.

All volumes of sanitary wastewater deposited to the “trailer dumping station” are to be recorded and forwarded on a weekly basis to the Village of Fort Simpson as previously directed above.

Failure to observe the above condition will constitute a breach of contract, resulting in termination of acceptance of sanitary wastewater from the Village of Fort Simpson.

**The Village reserves the right to, at any time, terminate conditions and/or acceptance of wastewater at their facilities, if in their opinion, the acceptance would adversely affect treatment efficiency or otherwise negatively impact the Village of Fort Simpson.**

### **SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL**

The Village of Fort Simpson will accept only “non-hazardous solid waste” produced by the “approved Project” and under the conditions of the approval (quantity, quality, schedule, etc.)

These wastes are as follows:

- **Domestic Household Waste**
  - Camp kitchen/living quarters waste that mimics residential domestic household waste.
- **Construction Waste**
  - Wood, insulation, non-metallic packaging, etc.,
  - Hose or any other like material must be cut in a maximum of 3’ lengths,
  - Concrete less than 1 m<sup>3</sup> in size (to be placed in a specific location defined by the Village of Fort Simpson at the Landfill Facility),
  - Tested non-hazardous drilling returns (to be placed in a specific location defined by the Village of Fort Simpson at the Landfill Facility),
  - Metals, including wire, cable, piping, etc. (to be placed in a specific location defined by the Village of Fort Simpson at the Landfill Facility),

### **Tipping Fees:**

Sanitary Wastewater = \$500.00/per load (max. of 15 m<sup>3</sup> per load)

Domestic Household Waste = \$100.00/m<sup>3</sup>

Construction Waste - General = \$100.00/m3

Construction Waste - Concrete = \$500.00/m3

Construction Waste - Drilling Returns = \$500.00/m3

Construction Waste - Metals = \$100/m3

The Village of Fort Simpson will not accept any other waste, other than that stated above, at their facilities without prior written approval from the Senior Administrative Officer of the Village of Fort Simpson.

It is the responsibility of the waste producer to fully brief their haulage contractor in the conditions set forth in this document. Failure of a haulage contractor to follow the conditions outlined herein, will be treated as a failure of the waste producer not following the conditions outlined herein.

Failure to observe the above condition(s) may constitute a breach of contract, resulting in modification of conditions and/or termination of acceptance of waste at the Village of Fort Simpson's facilities.

**The Village reserves the right to, at any time, modify conditions and/or terminate acceptance of waste at their facilities, if in their opinion, the acceptance would adversely affect operations efficiency or otherwise negatively impact the Village of Fort Simpson.**

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