

SEPTEMBER 2015 NEWSLETTER FROM WASA LAKE LAND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT



Hello Everyone: Things are suddenly pretty quiet around the lake and although we have not yet had a killing frost, it's starting to feel like fall. Got that wood shed filled?

TAXES

Tax notices were mailed September 11 and are due November 30. If you have a reason to dispute your tax bill (such as incorrect inclusion within our boundary) you are invited to attend the **Court of Revision** on **October 8th 10 AM to Noon** at the Wasa Community Hall. If you wish to attend, you must notify us in writing by either post or email at least **48** hours in advance. If there is an error on your notice, such as incorrect address or title on property, please notify admin@wasalake.ca

Your tax dollars go towards helping to support flood mitigation measures, water testing, and maintenance of flood protection structures, to name just a few. In 2015, trustees reduced the taxes to \$50 per parcel (from \$60) and the overdue interest rate to 6% (from 10%). The five trustees, who receive no remuneration, have contributed 275 volunteer hours so far in 2015.

PAY ONLINE

Due to popular demand, we now accept payment of taxes online through INTERAC eTransfer, which is a funds transfer service between personal and business accounts at participating Canadian banks. All you need is an email address and an eligible bank account. The process may differ slightly depending on your bank, but these are the basic steps: log into your bank account and select Transfers, then select INTERAC eTransfer. Add the recipient, in this case, "Wasa Lake Land Improvement District," email address admin@wasalake.ca, and amount. Enter a security question and answer and type "2015 Taxes" in the Memo field. Send a separate email to admin@wasalake.ca with the security answer so we can retrieve the funds when we are notified by the bank. We will email you a receipt.

Some banks provide this service for free while others charge a few dollars, depending on your account. If you require further assistance to complete your tax payment online, contact your bank or admin@wasalake.ca

Next regular board meeting is 7 PM October 27th at the Wasa Community Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Happy Hunting!

TRUSTEES