

Pilot Butte Toilet Replacement Rebate Program

For Pilot Butte to continue to enjoy a healthy, sustainable economy, we need to find solutions to environmental challenges reduce pollution, lower greenhouse gas emissions and preserve the quantity and quality of our water supply. This will require us to think differently about our water use, and move towards water conservation and efficiency.

Water conservation means becoming aware of how much water we use, and using it efficiently so that there will always be enough to support our communities, industries and agriculture while ensuring a healthy, sustainable environment.

Effective Dates:

The Toilet Replacement Rebate Program will commence on January 1, 2012 and is expected to run until December 31, 2012.

The Town of Pilot Butte rebate is budgeted for 50 replacement toilets, but may be increased based on demand.

The home or structure must have been built prior to January 1, 2009, and the new toilets must have been purchased on or after January 1, 2012 to be eligible. Newly-constructed bathrooms in older homes are not eligible.

Forms and Details:

The application forms can be retrieved from the town office or at The Pilot Butte Website at <http://www.pilotbutte.ca>

PLEASE NOTE: *Photocopied, "Reprint" or "Duplicate" receipts, including those printed by your retailer will be accepted.*

When will I receive my rebate cheque?

Processing takes an average of 6-8 weeks from the date your application is received. Incomplete applications will be delayed.

How can I determine the volume of my old toilet?

To make sure that your toilet is eligible to be replaced, check the back of the bowl for the flush volume stamp. The flush volume could also be located on a tank label or on the flush valve. If you cannot see the flush volume information, you can also calculate the volume by multiplying its length, width and depth (from the fill line of the tank).

Example:

Length 33 cm x Width 19 cm x Depth 22 cm = 13794 cm³.

This would equal 13794 ml, or a flush volume of 13.794 litres.

Note: one cubic centimeter (cm³) is equal to a cube of 1 centimetre on a side. One litre equals 1,000 cm³ or a cube of ten centimetres on a side.

Where can I get information on the performance of low flush models?

Not all low flush and dual flush toilets offer the same performance. Please research the many CSA- or c-UPC-certified models available to ensure the toilet you purchase and install is likely to meet your performance expectations.

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Program Options:

The program currently offers:

For **single-family dwellings** (including individual condominiums), owner can qualify for a \$50 rebate per toilet replacement (up to 3 toilets per household) if the eligibility requirements are met.

For **multi-unit dwellings**, you may apply for a max of 1 per unit to a max of 5 toilets per application, but you must include a photocopy of the receipts with your application form.

For **Commercial, Industrial and Non-Profit**, you may apply for a max of 5 toilets per application.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Each new toilet must be certified under CSA or c-UPC with a flush volume of 6 litres or less. It must replace a toilet with a flush volume of 13 litres or more.
- The new toilet(s) must be purchased on or after January 1, 2012.
- The structure must be built prior to January 1, 2009. This rebate will not be available to structures built after this date, or for new additions to existing structures. This rebate is only for new toilets which **replace** older high-flush-volume toilets.
- This rebate is applicable only for toilet replacements within Pilot Butte. Owners with mailing addresses outside of Pilot Butte may be eligible for the rebate if the location of the replaced toilet is within Pilot Butte.
- A photocopy of the purchase receipt is submitted with your application

Eligible Structure Types:

Single-Family Dwellings;

R1 - Residential Single Family District (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

The following are permitted uses in the R1 – Residential Single Family District:

- Single detached dwellings

R2 - Residential Single Family District (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following uses are permitted in the districts defined, designated or described as an R 2 Residential Single Family District Large Lot:

- Single detached dwellings

RMH Residential Mobile Home (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the RMH Residential Mobile Home District:

- Mobile Homes

Multiple-Unit Dwellings:

R3 - Residential Multi – Family (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

The following are permitted uses in the R3 Residential Multi - Family District:

- Duplex dwelling & attached garage
- Town house dwelling & attached garage
- Rowhouse condominium and attached garage

Commercial, Industrial and Non-Profit

C1 Core Commercial (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the C 1 Core Commercial District:

- Bakery
- Personal Service Establishments (Barber and Beauty Shops)
- Travel Agents
- Medical and Dental Offices and Clinics

- Retail Stores
- Restaurants
- Offices
- Neighbourhood Convenience Stores
- Theaters
- Banks and Credit Unions

C2 Highway Commercial (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the C2 Highway Commercial District:

- Establishment for the sale of Motor Vehicles, Trailers, Farm
- Machinery and equipment
- Medical and Dental Offices and Clinics
- Offices
- Furniture and appliance sales and service
- Lumber Yards and building supply outlets
- Veterinary Hospitals and offices
- Public Works (including office warehouses)
- Liquor Vendors
- Auto Accessories and supplies
- Fast food outlets
- Theatres
- Electronics equipment sales and rental

C3 Commercial Highway/Industrial (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the C3 Commercial/Industrial District:

- Making and repairing of musical instruments
- Greenhouses and Nurseries
- Cabinet and Furniture Making
- Assembly of articles from standard parts
- Shops: plumbers, pipe fitters, welders, electricians and other trades people
- Public Works

M Industrial (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the M Industrial District:

- Cabinet and furniture making
- Farm machinery, motor vehicle, equipment trailer and
- Recreation vehicle sales and service

- Lumber and building supply establishments
- Public works (excluding office buildings)
- Shops: plumbers, pipefitters, metalworkers, woodworkers and similar industrial trades
- Machine and welding shops

CS Community Service (As per Bylaw 10-2007-Zoning Districts)

Subject to the provisions of this Bylaw the following are permitted uses in the CS Community Service District:

- Community Centers
- Schools

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Instruction for Residential Single Family Homes

How to receive your rebate:

For each replacement toilet, ensure your old toilet has a flush volume of at least 13 litres per flush.

Purchase and install a new CAS- or C-UPC- approved 6 litre or less flush toilet on or after January 1, 2012.

To prevent re-use of your old high-flush volume toilet(s), properly dispose of it in accordance with local landfill rules.

Submit a photocopy of the sales receipt, which clearly indicates that a low-flush model toilet has been purchased.

It is recommended that a copy of the sales receipt(s) and of the completed application form be retained for your records.

Fill out and drop off or mail the completed application form with a photocopy of the sales receipt(s) to the Town of Pilot Butte office at the address below.

Town of Pilot Butte
Box 253
Pilot Butte SK S0G 3Z0

The application will be reviewed for eligibility, and The Town of Pilot Butte personnel may ask to inspect the installations. Once accepted, the Town of Pilot Butte will issue a cheque for \$50 for each eligible toilet replacement (no more than three toilets per single-family home will be rebated).

NOTE: If applying for rebates for low-flush toilet installations at more than one address, please supply one completed rebate form per location.