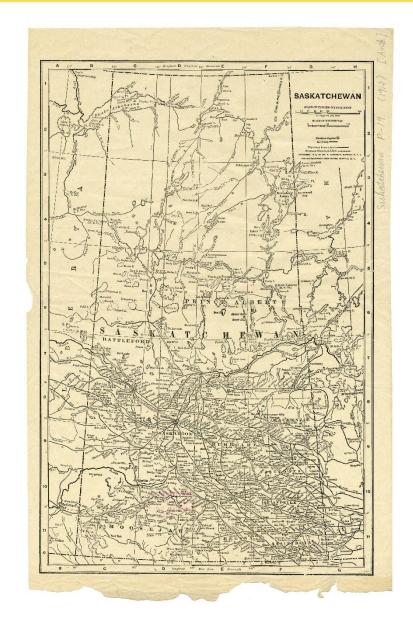
# **RM Divisions and Elections**

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#### Overview

- History and Purpose
- Division Boundary Review Policy
- Process to Change Division Boundaries
- Elections at Large or by Division





#### Saskatchewan in 1912....

- The Rural Municipalities Act
- RM size 324 square miles
- Each division 54 square miles
- Approximately 1 person per square mile















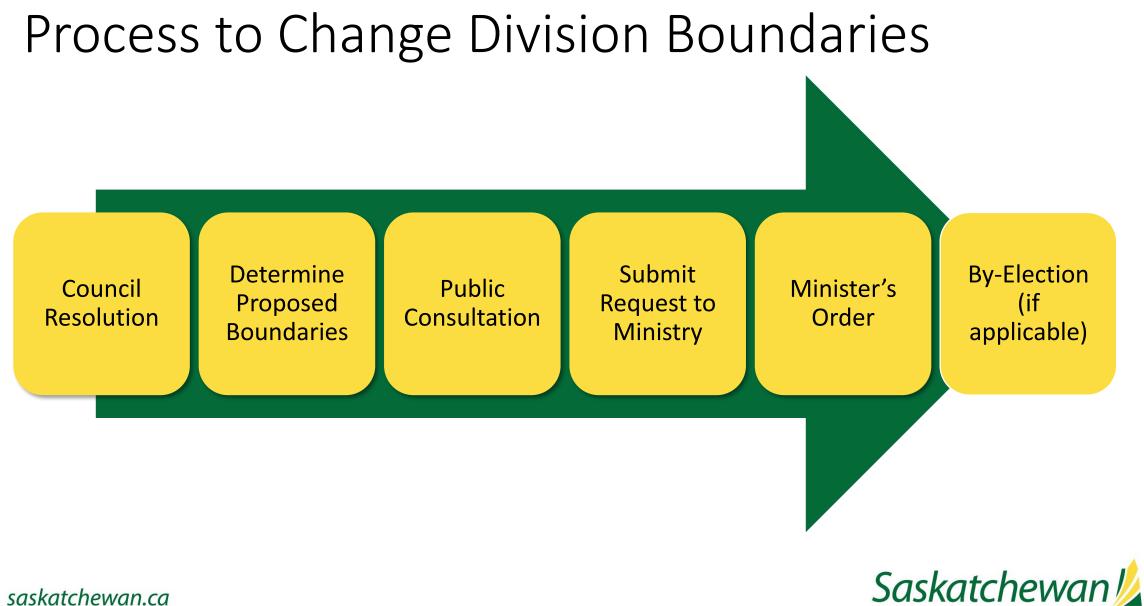




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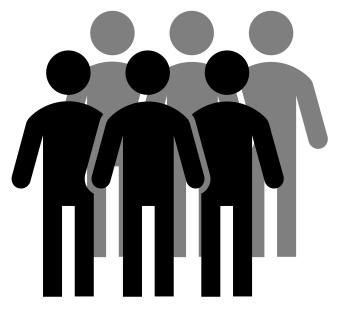
- Required to be in place by January 1, 2023
- Act outlines items required to be in policy
- Policy to review, not necessarily change
- No policy = Elections at large





### Election at Large

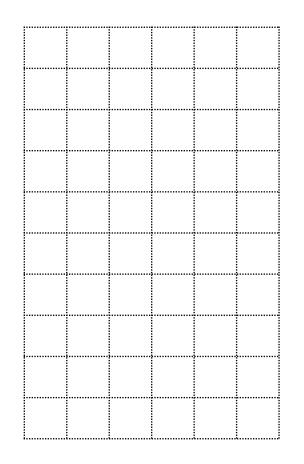
- All councillors elected every 4 years with Reeve
- Apply to remove all division boundaries
- Determine number of councillors
- Voter qualifications remain the same





### Election by Division

- Vote for reeve and vote for one division only
- Division determined by first that applies:
  - Where voter resides
  - Where voter owns assessed property
  - Where voter holds permit as occupant of trailer or mobile home





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What are you looking for?

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#### I want to...

- > Find and apply for jobs
- > Find regulated child care
- > Open a child care facility
- > Purchase an angling licence

#### Workplace

- > Employment standards
- > Wages and pay
- > Vacation, leaves and absences
- > Workplace safety

#### Students

- > Student loans
- > Graduate Retention Program
- > Scholarships and grants
- > Anti-Bullying

- Health
- > COVID-19
- > Health cards 🖸
- > HealthLine Online
- > MySaskHealthRecord ☑

