



# *Rainy River*

## DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

### **RE: Changes to Collection of Unorganized Property/Education Taxes.**

Effective January 1, 2009, the Province of Ontario has implemented tax reform on unorganized taxes. Under this reform, school boards are no longer the taxing authority in unorganized areas. As a result of this reform, the Rainy River District School Board can no longer collect payment or changes of account information ie: change of name or address.

The new service provider responsible for issuance/collection of taxes is the Provincial Land Tax Office in Thunder Bay, Ontario. Any questions should be forwarded to **plt@thunderbay.ca** for a response or call the following:

**Local Calls: 1-807-625-2122**  
**Toll Free: 1-866-400-2122**  
**TTY: 1-888-321-6774**

Please forward tax payments to the following address.

**Cheque or money order payable to:**  
**City of Thunder Bay**  
**Provincial Land Tax**  
**PO Box 58**  
**Thunder Bay ON**  
**P7C 0A5**

Each property is identified by an Assessment Roll number. This is a nineteen digit number broken in sections by dashes, ie: 5902-000-000-00000-0000. This can be found on the upper right hand side of a previous tax bill.

The Assessment Roll number must be present or the payment will not be credited and correspondence will be returned to the taxpayer requesting the Assessment Roll number.

Non-Sufficient Funds cheques will lead to the NSF Fee of \$35 (as per the O. Reg. 754/92 under Section 8.1 of the Financial Administration Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter F.12) being charged to the customer's account.

For any legislative questions regarding Provincial Land Taxes call :

Ministry of Revenue Toll Free : 1-866-668-8297  
Ministry Revenue TTY : 1-800-263-7776

For any questions regarding property assessment call :

Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) Toll Free : 1-866-296-6722  
Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) TTY : 1-877-889-6722

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