

TOWN OF STETTLER

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Title: **Toilet Replacement Program**

Purpose: To establish guidelines for the replacement of old style high volume toilets with new low flush toilets.

Policy Statement:

- a) Eligible to home owners within the Town of Stettler who have a utility account in good standing.
- b) Eligible to homes built before January 1, 2007, who have a 13 to 20 litre toilet to replace.
- c) Eligible replacement toilets will be six-litre (6L) or three-litre/six-litre (3L/6L) dual flush and must be on the list of acceptable toilets.
- d) The application form will be available from the Town of Stettler office. One application per toilet and a limit of four toilets per utility account.
- e) Toilets to be purchased locally from a vendor/business/contractor in possession of a valid local Town of Stettler business license and a proof of purchase receipt will be required for the new toilet.
- f) A rebate of \$50 for a six litre toilet or \$100 for a three/six litre dual flush replacement toilet.
- g) Applicant must certify/declare that they have disposed of the “Removed” toilet to the extent that it can never be used as a functioning toilet anywhere again.

Town of Stettler Toilet Replacement Program

Your big, old toilet is costing you a fortune! A toilet can waste thousands of litres of water every year, figuratively flushing your money down the drain. New six-litre toilets with proven technology can give the same results with less water, saving up to two-thirds water with every flush, and saving you up to \$100 per year in water and sewer charges.

The Toilet Replacement Program gives citizens in Stettler an opportunity to receive a Toilet Replacement Rebate for replacing old toilets with new water saving toilets. Applicants may be eligible for a Toilet Replacement Rebate by installing water saving six-litre or three-litre / six-litre dual flush toilets. Rebates range from \$50 - \$100 per toilet.

Slow the Flow



Water saving toilets can cost as little as \$150. A list of eligible toilets is available at www.stettler.net or visit Town Office for a list. Review the performance information and choose a toilet best suited to your home or office. The toilet list is updated regularly.

Why Switch Your Toilet?

- Preserve the environment!
- Save money on water bills!
- Receive a toilet replacement Rebate!

How it works

STEP 1 – Determine your Eligibility

Eligible Applicants

- Current Town of Stettler Water and Wastewater Utility customer
- Utility Account in good standing
- Property built before January 2007
- Have a 13-litre or 20-litre toilet to replace

STEP 2 – Purchase a “Locally: new “Eligible” water-saving toilet

Eligible Toilets

Six-litre (6L) or three-litre / six-litre (3L/6L) dual flush toilets must be on the Town of Stettler acceptable toilet list (on the Water and Wastewater page of our website or available at the Town Office). Toilets are to be purchased locally and a proof of purchase receipt will be required for each new toilet. Maximum of four Toilet Replacement Rebates per utility account.

STEP 3 – Send in your Application

To receive your Rebate – Send in:

- Completed application form
- Original sales receipt for new toilet (keep a copy for your records)

Program Details

Toilet replacement Rebates will be processed on first-come, first-processed basis. Rebates will be applied as a credit to the utility account. Incomplete applications will be returned and applicants must then resubmit them.

One application form must be completed for each Toilet Replacement Rebate. Maximum of four Toilet Replacement Rebates per utility account.

Rebate amounts:

- 6L toilet replacement - \$50
- 3L/6L toilet replacement - \$100

APPLICATION FORM

Homeowner Property Manager

Full Name _____
(as appears on Water & Wastewater Utility Bill)

Utility Account Number _____

Mailing Address _____
Postal Code _____

Home Phone _____

NEW TOILET INSTALLATION INFORMATION

Installation Address _____ Year Built _____

Installed by: self plumber other _____

Make/Model/Name _____

Toilet Volume 6L 3L/6L dual flush

Store Purchased From _____

Purchase Date _____

Installation Location

- Main bath
 Master/Ensuite
 Guest
 Other _____

WATER CONSERVATION INFORMATION

Number of toilets at this address _____

Number of persons at this address _____

Number of toilets previously replaced under this rebate program _____

Checklist – I have included:

- Original sales receipt for new toilet
 Completed application form

DECLARATION

I declare that I the undersigned have removed a 13L or 20L existing toilet and have installed an eligible 6L or 3L/6L dual flush toilet. I have disposed of the toilet so that it can never be used as a toilet again. I have read and understand the parameters of the program and understand that the Town of Stettler is not responsible for the installation or functioning of the toilets.

Signature of Applicant

Date

The personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, section 33(c) and will be used solely for the purpose of administration and evaluation of the Toilet Rebate Program. Participants may be contacted by survey for evaluation and water conservation program development. The Town of Stettler makes no warranties of representations respecting the operation or performance of the eligible toilets. This offer may be withdrawn without notice.