

Lorette...The Community

Located 18 kilometers SE of the mint and just 12 kilometers from the perimeter Hwy.

Current population approximately 2000

As part of the RM of Tache, Lorette is the largest residential center. It is also home to the RM of Tache offices, municipal shop, and largest fire hall.

With four schools this community offers K to 8 schooling in French, English and Immersion. The recently constructed high school offers classes for grades 9 to 12 in English and Immersion.

Not only is Lorette an area hub for learning, it is also home to the Seine River School Division offices and the DSFM, French school division offices.

The community's spiritual needs are met by its four churches, which are all located within the community.

The community is also well serviced professionally by two doctors, a lawyer, a chiropractor, a pharmacy, and a massage therapist.

In addition to these services there are two hair salons, a grocery store, several convenience stores, a hardware store, insurance agency, caisse populaire, a florist shop, service station, several restaurants and gas bars.

The local recreation center is situated on approximately twenty acres and offers numerous rink activities, curling, soccer, and softball. As well the village also operates two first class tennis courts, beach volleyball court, two parks and two outdoor rinks.

The community is home to an RCMP satellite office and is also closely watched by community volunteers under the RM's first Citizens on Patrol Program. (COPP)

The village has recently (2000) constructed a 1.5 million dollar sewage facility on 90 acres approximately 5 KM south of the village. This new facility was constructed without any tax increase and will give the community approximately 25 years of growth potential.

In a recent independent survey conducted by the Canadian Taxpayers Federation, Lorette was found to be the least expensive place to own a home in the Winnipeg Capitol Region.

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