

RADON

ACTIONS FOR MUNICIPALITIES

ON RADON SASKATCHEWAN

PLANTING THE SEED

- Sharing radon information on website
- Pamphlet and poster distribution
- Community education sessions
- · Postcard mailout

GROWING STRONG

- By-law protection
- Resolutions for provincial support
- Radon testing of public buildings
- C-NRPP mitigation training

HARVESTING THE BENEFITS

- 100 Test Kit Challenge
- Library Lending Programs
- Radon Action Month Proclamation















Municipal Website Information

Adding radon information, and/or links to Health partners is a great way to educate your citizens about the **second leading cause of lung cancer**.

EXAMPLE:

City of Regina's

Advisory Radon Gas PDF





PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES ADVISORY

Radon Gas

Question

What is radon? Why is it a concern?

Suggested Links:

www.lungsask.ca/lungs/lung-health/radon

www.healthcanada.gc.ca/radon

www.takeactiononradon.ca

www.c-nrpp.ca

For more information please contact: Sandy Hutchison

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Information Sessions

Health Canada and our radon stakeholders are enthusiastic about spreading the message about lowering your risk of lung cancer by reducing your exposure to radon gas. Available virtually, or sometimes in-person, our team can review radon and its health effects, testing, mitigation (fixing), financial supports and more.

Target Audiences:

- Health Professionals
- Library Patrons
- Community Groups
- Real Estate & Property Managers
- Municipal Staff

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Public Building Testing

Radon surveys have repeatedly demonstrated that radon is present in all buildings, across all regions of Canada. Have your Municipallyowned buildings been tested? Have you shared the results with staff and the public who use public spaces?

Canadian National Radon Proficiency Program certified professionals and training courses are listed at www.c-nrpp.ca. Perhaps you consider training staff in-house or use existing services. Either way, Health Canada has protocols and standards to make testing and mitigation a part of your indoor air quality commitment.

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Thank you for choosing to Take Action on Radon!

Radon Action Month Proclamation

Show your commitment to healthier citizens by proclaiming:

November as

Radon Action Month



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