Aghaming

Community Status

Aghaming is located on the eastern shore of Lake Winnipeg, roughly 70 kilometers north of Pine Falls. It is one of four communities in a 16 kilometer square area. The Hollow Water First Nation, also known as Wanipigow, lies at the center of this area, with Aghaming to the northeast. Seymourville to the west and Manigotagan to the south-west.

Aghaming is represented by a contact person and is administered under *The Northern Affairs Act.*

Community Contacts

By mail

Contact Person Aghaming Community Wanipigow P.O. Wanipigow, MB, R0E 2E0

By phone

Call (204) 363-7212

Office hours and staff

Additional information can be obtained from Aboriginal and Northern Affairs, North Central Region Office in Winnipeg, (204) 945-1313.

The community shares the services of a recreation director with Manigotagan, Seymourville and Bissett.

Community Statistics

Population

1985	19
1991	16
1996	16
2001	10

Information is from Statistics Canada after 1985.

Households

There are six housing units in the community.

By-laws

Employee Benefits (by minister's regulation)

Boundary

Manitoba Regulation 161/95, as amended, refers to the Director of Surveys Plan 19532. See map.

Property Assessment and Taxes

Value of Assessments Business Real Property Grant-in-lieu Exempt	nil \$122,000 46,200 7,800
Total	176,000
Rate of taxation (mills) General Municipal School Levies	7.00
Farm & Residential	5.75
Commercial & Other Frontier School Division (#48)	17.00 22.75
Business Tax	4%

Information is based on the 2003 assessment roll and tax by-law of Aboriginal and Northern Affairs.

Emergency Services

Fire

Fire fighting capability is limited to forestry style portable equipment. Additional support is available from Manigotagan and Seymourville.

Police

Police response is from Powerview detachment, RCMP, phone (204) 367-2222.

Medical

Medical services are provided at Pine Falls. Ambulance service is available from either Pine Falls or Bissett.

Community-based Services

Hydro

Manitoba Hydro provides land line electric power. Residential rates are:

Basic charge	\$6.25/month
First 175 kWh	5.78 cents/kWH
Balance	5.16 cents/kWH
Hydro Regional Office is located a	t Pine Falls, phone
(204) 367-2617.	

Telephone

Manitoba Telecom Services provides individual line service and digital switching with toll free calling to Bissett and Pine Falls. Call MTS toll-free (204) 225-5687.

Water

Treated water is supplied from a pumphouse on the Hollow Water Reserve to a standpipe in the community, and to five of the housing units.

Waste Disposal

Provided through use of the Hollow Water Waste Disposal Site. Solid wastes are individual responsibility and liquid wastes transported to the site or to the Seymourville lagoon by private business pump-out truck.

Schools

Children attend the Wanipigow School, located on the Hollow Water Reserve, operated by the Frontier School Division. Children from Manigotagan, Seymourville and Wanipigow also attend this school. Phone (204) 363-7392.

Recreation Facilities

Mini-gymnasium

Government Services

Communities Economic Development Fund, Head Office located in Thompson, phone (204) 778-4138.

Manitoba Conservation, Regional Operations, Eastern Region, District Office located at Lac du Bonnet, phone (204) 345-1444

Manitoba Conservation, Regional Operations, Eastern Region, Natural Resources office located in Bissett, phone (204) 277-5212.

Manitoba Conservation, Regional Operations, Eastern Region, Public Health, (204) 345-1447.

Manitoba Culture, Heritage and Tourism, Regional Services, Eastman Regional Office located at Beausejour, phone 1-800-665-6107

Manitoba Intergovernmental Affairs, Community Development Services, Regional Office located in Selkirk, phone (204) 785-5005.

Manitoba Intergovernmental Affairs, Community Planning Services, Regional Office located in Beausejour, phone (204) 268-6063

Manitoba Justice, Circuit Court sits at Pine Falls and is coordinated from the Selkirk Regional Court Office, phone (204) 785-5120.

Manitoba Labour, Employment Standards, Employment Standards officer located in Winnipeg, phone (204) 945-3352.

Manitoba Labour, Office of the Fire Commissioner, Assistant Fire Commissioner located in Winnipeg, phone 1-800-282-8069.

Commercial Services

Accommodation

Nearest accommodation is:

- North Star Hotel, Manigotagan, with four rooms, restaurant and pub, phone (204) 363-7283.
- Wood'n Bell Resort, Manigotagan, phone (204) 363-7333

Transportation

Aghaming is served by M. Osadchuk Trucking for freight business.

Businesses

Bob's Septic Service, (204) 363-7212

Economic Overview

Economic activity near Aghaming is affected by its location within the Precambrian Shield region of Manitoba, an area of granite-gneissic rock with little or no soil cover. The land within the immediate vicinity of the community is clay with rock outcroppings supporting softwood and hardwood forest cover.

The economic activity in the area includes fishing, hunting and trapping as well as pulpwood logging for the Pine Falls Paper Company Ltd.

Trapping is organized under the Hole River and Lac du Bonnet Registered Trap Line Zones. These trapline zones are shared with the nearby communities.

