

Be Ready!

- ✓ Bait stations should be well marked and inaccessible to children.
- ✓ Bait should be checked regularly and kept fresh.
- ✓ Bait stations should protect the bait from the weather.



If you think you have rats on your property, please contact your Pest Control Officer or RM office as soon as possible.

Contact your Pest Control Officer for further help with baiting and rat-proofing your property.

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Rats are heading your way!



- ✓ One of the best ways to protect your property is to have prevention bait stations out before rats arrive.
- ✓ Prevention baiting is one of the keys to cleaning up and controlling the rat population in Saskatchewan.
- ✓ Rats that escape a clean-up program often disperse to neighbouring yards.
- ✓ Prevention baiting is a good neighbour policy in that it benefits everyone.

- ✓ Rats move quite freely on machinery and loads of feed that travel all over the province.
- ✓ Saskatchewan has an aggressive rat-poisoning program focusing on provincial rat eradication.
- ✓ The Provincial Rat Eradication Program (PREP) provides grants to rural municipalities for rat control measures, as well as information and resources for municipalities, PCOs and ratepayers.



How to Set Up Prevention Stations



- Use long term baits such as well packaged dry baits and paraphanized blocks.
- ✓ Water soluble poison is an excellent cleanup tool, but evaporates and does not keep as well as long-term bait.
- ✓ Prevention bait stations should be set up in a way that larger animals will not have access.
- ✓ Bait stations should allow free access to rats and mice.
- ✓ Used material is better than new for building bait stations.