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A contestant in the tie down roping at the 25th annual Whitewood/Chacachas rodeo on August 15. See page 10 for more rodeo photos.

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Moosomin's new water plant now online

$5,492,190 federal funding, $4,576,367 provincial funding went into plant

BY KARA KINNA

Moosomin's new water treatment plant is now online, and according to Mayor Murray Gray, everything is running smoothly and residents should start seeing an improvement in their water quality.

The new plant started dumping water into the town reservoir on August 12.

"Everything is running fairly smoothly, there's still some more training that the water treatment plant staff need, but it's going well," said Gray last week. "There have definitely been some challenges as there is with any big project of this magnitude. I certainly have to acknowledge our staff. They have put in long hours and worked very hard in order to get it up and running. They have put a tremendous amount of effort into it."

Moosomin received more than $10 million in federal and provincial funding in 2022 to help move the project forward—$5,492,190 in federal funding and $4,576,367 provincial funding. The funding was approved through the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program and was the largest of 24 Saskatchewan projects approved under the program the week it was announced.

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