## A Safe Workplace A Workplace Safety and Health Manual for Your Community

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Refer to part 33 Demolition Work of *The Manitoba Workplace Safety and Health Act and Regulations* and CSA Standard 5350-M1980 (R2003) Code of Practice for Safety in Demolition of Structures.

**PPE Required:** Safety glasses or face shield, hard hat, steel toe boots, work gloves.

The Manitoba Workplace Safety and Health Act and Regulations requires that "an employer must ensure that demolition work is conducted in such a way that, so far as reasonably practicable, workers and other persons are not exposed to risks to their safety or health in connection with demolition work."

Demolition work is defined as the removal of any or all components of a structure including any structural components or interior or exterior finishes.

There are two methods to complete community demolition work as follows:

- 1. Hire an independent qualified contractor to complete the demolition work.
- 2. Notify the Department when the contractor commences work.