

SMOKY LAKE COUNTY

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November 2016



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COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

October 27, 2016

Decision Items

1. Policy Statement No. 61-04-02: Smoky Lake Region Strategic Plan: 2007-2027. -- **Amended**
2. Policy Statement No. 61-16-02: Regional Community Development Committee (RCDC): Communications -- **Amended**
3. Bylaw No. 1296-16 for the purpose of establishing a Regional Emergency Management -- **Adopted**
4. Bylaw No. 1295-16 Borrowing Bylaw . -- **Adopted**
5. Assist with the cost of a pump rental for Range Road 170 Flooding to a total of \$1,050.00 -- **Approved**
6. Participate in the Community and Regional Economic Support Program (CARES) grant, and agree to be the managing partner to prepare the draft grant application for funding the Smoky Lake Region Tourism Development Project. -- **Adopted**
7. 2017 Economic Development Budget -- split the Advertising budget of \$20,000 to \$10,000 each for Promotional Items and Advertising -- **Adopted**
8. Smoky Lake County expand to maximum of 100 feet, at a minimal cost, the existing approach to the home yard site on the land legally describe as SE-14-60-18-W4 to restore the access as prior to rebuilding Township Road 602 in 2015. -- **Approved**
9. Smoky Lake County will repair the Red River Cart monument if damage is sustained and not provide insurance due to the deductible being the same as the value -- **Approved**

Funding Support

1. The Royal Canadian Legion Smoky Lake Branch #227 -- Was-katenau Remembrance Day Ceremonies -- \$200
2. The Royal Canadian Legion Smoky Lake Branch #227 -- Smoky Lake Remembrance Day Ceremonies -- \$200
3. The H.A.K. School Senior Girls' Provincial Volleyball -- \$500.
4. Warspite Hotel Dart Tournament Food Bank fundraiser -- \$100

Delegation(s)

1. Darcy Hale, Risk Management Advisor, AAMD&C – Jubilee Insurance -- to discuss and Cyber Liability and Privacy Breach Insurance Policy.
2. Chief Superintendent Shanin Mehdizadeh, Eastern Alberta (EAD) District Officer (DO), R.C.M.P. and Sergeant A.E.A (AI) Baird, Smoky Lake Detachment, R.C.M.P. -- to discuss Smoky Lake County Policing concerns.

For complete minute details, please visit:

www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/council_meetings.html

Scheduled Meetings

Budget Meeting: November 7, 2016 @ 10:00 a.m.

Council Meeting: December 8, 2016 @ 9:00 a.m.

Committee Meetings: November 22, 2016 @ 9:30 a.m.

- Natural Gas
- Environmental Operations
- Agricultural Service Board

Committee Meeting: December 5, 2016 @ 1:00 p.m.

- Fire Protective Services

RCDC (Regional Community Development Committee) Meeting:
December 12, 2016 @ 10:00 a.m.

Council meetings are held in the County Administration Building located at 4612 McDougall Drive in Smoky Lake. The meetings are open to the public.



Reciprocal Thank You's:

Council Thanks STARS and the Pioneer Bible Camp for their kind words regarding the support offered to their organization.

OFFICE CLOSURE
SMOKY LAKE COUNTY OFFICE AND
PUBLIC WORKS

Office will be closed on
Friday, November 11, 2016
for Remembrance Day.



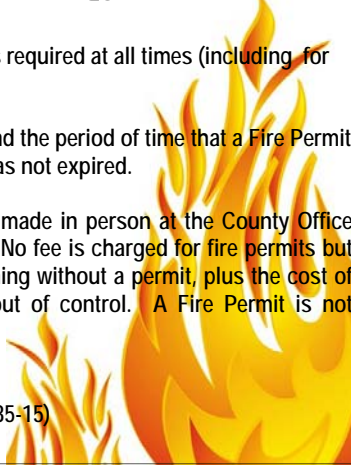
COUNTY FIRE PERMITS ARE REQUIRED ALL YEAR

Although it's winter, a fire permit is required at all times (including for the lighting of fireworks).

Appropriate county staff may extend the period of time that a Fire Permit is valid, provided the Fire Permit has not expired.

Request for Fire Permits must be made in person at the County Office with the appropriate county staff. No fee is charged for fire permits but there is a \$300 fine if there is burning without a permit, plus the cost of any fire fighting if a fire burns out of control. A Fire Permit is not transferable.

(Smoky Lake County Bylaw No. 1285-15)



**SNOW CLEARING OF PRIVATE DRIVEWAYS
(County Policy No. 03-35)**



Public Works Dept. would like to remind all residents who have purchased a flag that Snow will be cleared along the most direct route commonly used to access the residence, including the turn-around in the yard where it is safe to do so, conditional upon a minimum of 6 inches of snow.

More information may be found on the County's website www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/public_works.htm, or obtain a copy from the County Office or the Public Works Office.

Flags may be purchased at the County's Public Works Shop between 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Eligible general public individuals may buy a seasonal flag entitling the purchaser to snow clearing for the full winter season.

After October 31, 2016 the cost of a flag is \$175.00 plus GST

Eligible seniors and handicapped individuals may buy a seasonal flag entitling the purchaser to snow clearing for the full winter season.

After October 31, 2016 the cost of a flag is \$100.00 plus GST.

County staff will fix the Flag to the residential signs

All flag purchasers must sign a "Hold Harmless Agreement". Each Agreement shall clearly indicate:

- The name of the purchaser(s);
- The title of the document proving age or handicap, when required;
- The legal description for the location where snowplowing is requested; and,
- The serial number(s) of the flag(s) sold.

Vilna Veselka Dance Club
Invites you to their
PEROGY SUPPER

Friday November 25th
5-7pm

Vilna Cultural Center
Adults \$16 Kids 6-12 \$8
5 and under Free

50/50 Draws
Silent Auction
Door Prizes
Dance Performances!

Raffle to Win!!!
OILERS EVENING OUT PACKAGE



Submission date extended to November 30, 2016



LAND DEVELOPMENT/LEASE OPPORTUNITY

1 HAMLET OF WARSPITE

- Single/Multi-family Residential
- Commercial
- Retail

LOT 1 (PLAN 2562BS RLY 59)
ACREAGE: 7.81 ACRES
FRONTAGE: 790M
ZONING: HAMLET GENERAL

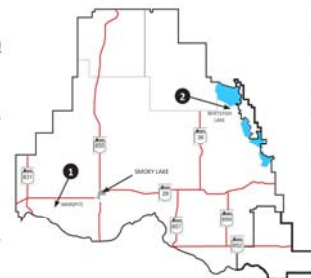
LOT 2 (PLAN 3474MC)
ACREAGE: 6.65 ACRES
FRONTAGE: 210M
ZONING: HAMLET GENERAL

2 WHITEFISH LAKE

- Identified for future residential use
- Lakefront property
- Adjacent lots

LOT 1 (SW 8-62-13-W4M)
ACREAGE: 153.5 ACRES
FRONTAGE: 282M (LAKE)
ZONING: AGRICULTURE

LOT 2 (SE 8-62-13-W4M)
ACREAGE: 125.1 ACRES
FRONTAGE: 815M (LAKE)
ZONING: AGRICULTURE



FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT
www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/rfp.html

Smoky Lake County Community Events...

If you have an event happening within the County of Smoky Lake and would like residents to know about it, please forward us the information a minimum of 30 days prior to the event. Submissions may be dropped off between 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday to the County Office located at 4612 McDougall Drive in Smoky Lake, Alberta; or mailed to:

Box 310;
Smoky Lake County;
Smoky Lake, AB; T0A 3C0
Attn: Communication Department

or faxed to the Communication Department at 780-656-3768

or email to: eci@smokylakecounty.ab.ca

