



GRAPEVINE

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Visit our 'Agendas & Minutes' web page for Council meeting information and the 'Meeting & Events' web page for the complete list of other scheduled meeting dates and community events.

- Regular County Council Meeting
- May 9, 2024 @ 9:00 AM
- May 23, 2024 @ 9:00 AM
- June 13, 2024 @ 9:00 AM
- June 27, 2024 @ 9:00 AM

A Public Q & A Period is held during each Council Meeting 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM

- Agricultural Service Board Meeting
- June 18, 2024 @ 1:00 PM

Smoky Lake County Main and Public Works Offices will be **CLOSED** May 20, 2024 for Victoria Day

FARMERS & RANCHERS APPRECIATION DAY BBQ June 14, 2024 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Smoky Lake Complex Join us for free hot dogs & hamburgers Everyone Welcome!

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- Amended Policy Statement No. 61-03: Application for Development Permit.
- Rescinded Policy Statement No. 61-02: Resource Extraction Development Permit Application.
- Amended Policy Statement No. 03-18: Five-Year Road Plan.
- Third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1460-24: Annual Borrowing Bylaw.
- Approved the 5 Year Capital Budget.
- Approved the 2024 Operating and Total Function Budget.
- Third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1461-24: 2024 Tax Rate.
- Third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1429-23: Undeveloped Road Allowance, East Side of River Lot 10, Victoria Settlement.
- Third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1462-24: to amend Road Closure Bylaw No. 1429-23 – Undeveloped Road Allowance, East Side of River Lot 10, Victoria Settlement.
- Third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1453-23: to amend the Land Use Bylaw No. 1272-14, to define Supportive Living Facilities and creating provisions relating thereto, and to rezone Part of River Lot 15 (Victoria Settlement) from Victoria Commercial (C2) District to Direct Control (DC2) District.

Donations

- \$200 sponsorship of the 2024 Aspen View Robotics Tournament being held at H.A.Kostash School.
- \$526.50 to Heartland Training and Support Hub towards 2024 farm safety program initiatives.



Smoky Lake County Main and Public Works Offices will be **CLOSED on Friday, May 24, 2024** for all staff to attend our Annual Safety Meeting.

FIRE BAN & OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE RESTRICTION

A fire ban and off-highway vehicle (OHV) restriction has been declared for Smoky Lake County, effective April 12, 2024. This will stay in effect until fire hazard conditions improve significantly.

- No outdoor fires are allowed.
- No person shall operate an off-highway vehicle on municipal property, highway, permitted use area, or trail in Smoky Lake County. Bylaw No. 1454-24



Spring Clean Up Promotion May 1st to 31st, 2024 Smoky Lake County is offering free disposal of appliances containing Freon at County Landfill sites for all residents of the Smoky Lake Region. For more information call Dave Franchuk at 780-650-1800

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The 2023 Audited Smoky Lake County Consolidated Financial Statement and the 2023 Smoky Lake County Natural Gas Utility Financial Statement are available at the Smoky Lake County Main Office or on-line at: www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/finance

Hay permits must be renewed annually by land-owners that are planning to cut hay in County ditches adjacent to their land and submitted prior to June 1. Contact Smoky Lake County Agricultural Services at 780-656-3730 for more information. www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/vegmgmt

PROCLAMATIONS:		www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/proclamations	
Red Dress Day	May 5	Professional Municipal Clerks Week	May 5 - 11
Emergency Preparedness Week	May 5 - 11	Economic Development Week	May 6 - 10
Safety and Health Week	May 6 - 11	Mental Health Week	May 6 - 12
Victims & Survivors of Crime Week	May 12 - 18	Moose Hide Campaign Day	May 16
Public Works Week	May 19 - 25	National Accessibility Week	May 26 - June 1
Alberta Rural Health Week	May 27 - 31		

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