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AUGUST 2019



Scheduled Meetings

Committee of the Whole: Planning
RE: Victoria District Economic
Strategies
August 26, 2019 @ 10:00 AM

Highway 28/36 Regional Water
Commission Meeting
August 28, 2019 @ 10:00 AM

Natural Gas
Fire Protection Services
Environmental Operations
Agricultural Service Board
August 28, 2019 @ 1:00 PM

Regular County Council
August 29, 2019 @ 9:00 AM
September 26, 2019 @ 9:00 AM

Smoky Lake County
Main and Public Works
Offices will be

CLOSED

Monday,
September 2, 2019
for Labour Day



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NOTICE to ALL SMOKY LAKE COUNTY RESIDENTS

Please be advised that due to upgrades to the Regional Water Transmission Main, there will be two (2) temporary complete water shutdowns that will affect water usage for residents in Smoky Lake County.

These shutdowns are scheduled to occur **September 17-19 and September 24-26, 2019.**

During this time **ALL** Smoky Lake County Potable Water Truck Fills will be **CLOSED.**

More details will be released once available.

For more information please contact Dave Franchuk, Environmental Operations Manager
dfranchuk@smokylakecounty.ab.ca or at 780-650-1800

AAAF Memorial Bursary

The Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen, as an ongoing tribute to active or retired AAAF members who pass away, and in the spirit of continuing education valued by our Association, created the AAAF Memorial Bursary.

The bursary is intended for students continuing their education at a College or University and enrolled in an agricultural or environmental science program.

A \$1000 bursary is available in each calendar year for each of the 5 provincial regions of the Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen.

Application forms can be downloaded from:
https://aaaf.ab.ca/uploads/pdf/AAAF_Bursary_06-14-18.pdf

Deadline to apply is September 1, 2019

Please submit applications to Agricultural Fieldman, Tori Cherniawsky by email at toric@smokylakecounty.ab.ca



Request for Expressions of Interest

Smoky Lake County is requesting Expressions of interest for the removal of solid waste from transfer site bins throughout the County via front-load waste truck, compatible with County-owned bins. A description of capability and costs for servicing a total of 90 bins including locations at the Smoky Lake and Spedden Landfills, Waskatenau, Bellis, and Vilna transfer stations, and 23 other bin sites within the County with waste hauling to the Class 2 Landfill at Lafond is requested.

Smoky Lake County Council retains the unfettered right to use Expressions of Interest for information purposes only and to not procure private delivery of County operated services.

Submissions addressed to the attention of Dave Franchuk, Environmental Operations Manager may be hand delivered to Smoky Lake County Office 4612 McDougall Drive, Smoky Lake, Alberta.

Deadline for submissions: August 20, 2019 at 12:00:00

For more information please contact:
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Thank You

Smoky Lake County Fire Departments would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone that had a hand in making the 2019 Fireworks Show a huge success. The event wouldn't have been possible without the support of those attending the Canada Day Pancake Breakfast and the generous donations given by various businesses and individuals.



It's almost back to school time...



Please drive with caution

CURRENT PUBLIC WORKS MAINTENANCE & PROJECTS

- Grader road maintenance and divisional graveling continues throughout the summer along with culvert installations.
- Patching of oil base roads and dust controls will continue as weather permits.
- Crews have been limited in the amount of time spent on patching due to the above average rainfall this summer. Smoky Lake County will strive to have all areas patched and in good driving condition by season's end, along with concentrating on a 3 mile stretch west of RR 181 along TWP RD 604 .
- A plan will be put into place this fall in order to resolve all issues along TWP 604, beginning next construction season.

Smoky Lake County appreciates your patience.

Financial Plan Feedback



Smoky Lake County will be actively seeking public consultation for future budgets and financial plans. Taxpayers can provide feedback by:

- Emailing feedback to finance@smokylakecounty.ab.ca after reviewing the draft 2019-2023 Financial Plan at: www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca
- Complete the on-line survey at: <https://interceptum.com/s/en/smokey-budget>
- Attend the 2020 Budget Planning Meetings scheduled in the fall
- Provide feedback to your Councillor, CAO, or a County Manager