



# 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.

**Policy Committee Meeting**  
December 4, 2023 @ 10:00 AM

**County Council Budget Meeting**  
December 5 @ 9:00 AM

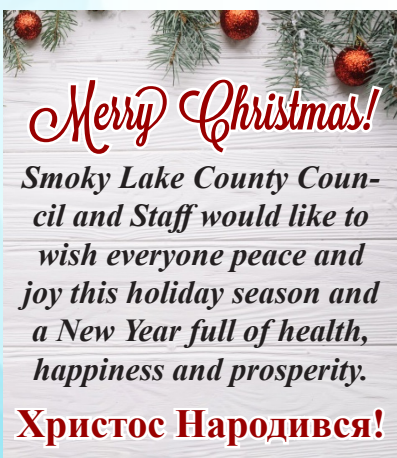
**Agricultural Service Board Meeting**  
December 12 @ 9:00 AM

**Property Tax Sale**  
December 12 @ 10:00 AM

**2024 Budget Open House**  
December 12 @ 7:00 PM  
Virtual

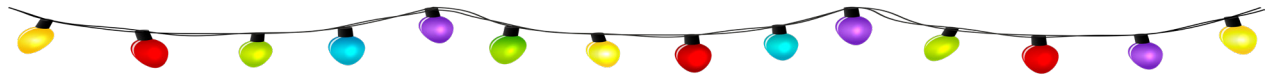
**Regular County Council Meeting**  
December 14 @ 9:00 AM  
January 11, 2024 @ 9:00 AM  
January 25, 2024 @ 9:00 AM

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



Smoky Lake County Main and Public Works will be **CLOSED**

December 25, 2023 - January 2, 2024  
and January 8, 2024



## COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- Approve reserve bids for properties on the Tax Sale being held December 12, 2023 at 10:00 AM.
- Amend Policy Statement No. 02-12-04: Peace Officer: Traffic Safety Plan.
- Approved an honorarium cost-shared with the Town of Smoky Lake for two Smoky Lake Fire Department work experience students.
- Awarded the Smoky Lake Region Investment Attraction Strategy to Michelle Wright Consulting Services.
- First Reading of Bylaw No. 1453-23: Supportive Living Facilities, Establishment of a Direct Control District for Supportive Living Facilities & Rezoning of River Lot 15, Victoria Settlement, from Victoria Commercial (C2) District to Direct Control (DC2) and schedule a Public Hearing on December 14, 2023 at 9:15 AM.

### Donations

- \$240 to the Smoky Lake Christmas Hamper Program.
- \$673.32 to the Spedden Ukrainian Orthodox Hall.
- \$5,000 of FCSS funds to the Smoky Lake Agricultural Society for the Public Skating Program.
- \$900 of FCSS funds to the Victoria Trail Agricultural Society for their volunteer appreciation event.

## BUDGET 2024 OPEN HOUSE

December 12, 2023 @ 7:00 PM

Held Virtually Via Telus Business Connect:

<https://video.businessconnect.telus.com/join/770860295>

By phone: 1-844-511-2074 Meeting ID: 770860295

Visit our website for more information and meeting link.

[www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca](http://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca)

## EMPLOYMENT- CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Are you a proven leader, with 5-years senior management experience or more in the public sector with a National Advanced Certificate in Local Authority Administration (NACLAA) Level 1 Certificate or a Certified Local Government Manager (CLGM) designation and/or relevant post-secondary education or degree in public administration, business, or related discipline? Our competition to fill the position of Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) has been extended!

For full details visit: [www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/employment](http://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/employment)

Extended deadline to apply: January 12, 2024

# TAX SALE

Under the provisions of the Municipal Government Act, Smoky Lake County will offer several properties in arrears for sale, by public auction on **Tuesday, December 12, 2023, at 10:00 A.M.** Full details can be found on our website:

[www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/taxsale](http://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/taxsale)

## Transfer Station HOLIDAY HOURS

### BELLIS TRANSFER STATION

December 23 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 27 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 30 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

### SMOKY LAKE LANDFILL

December 23 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 26 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 30 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

### SPEDDEN TRANSFER STATION

December 24 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 27 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

December 31 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

### VILNA TRANSFER STATION

December 23 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

December 26 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

December 30 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

### WASKATENAU STATION

December 23 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

December 30 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

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Box 310  
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