

Where can I get a sign?

- You may purchase your sign from the County.
- You may purchase your sign from a sign manufacturer or distributor as long as it meets the guidelines outlined.
- You may make your own sign as long as it meets the guidelines outlined.



How do I install my sign?

Where practical, in rural and multi-lot subdivisions, signs should be installed one foot inside the property line at a 45 to 90 degree angle to the driveway.

The signs should be a minimum of three feet above the natural ground level and must be conspicuous to passersby.

Installation and maintenance of posts and signs is the responsibility of the landowner.

What are the benefits of having a sign?

Besides helping emergency services personnel, the addressing system will assist local service and utility companies and the general public in finding rural locations.

In the future, should Canada Post wish to convert to municipal addresses, the system will be in place.

Keep your family safe.

Post your municipal address.

To order a sign, call the Beaver County Transportation Shop at (780) 663-3515.

For more information, call the Beaver County Office at (780) 663-3730.

Keep your family safe



Post your Municipal Address



How Bylaw 10-970 can help you

Beaver County has a municipal addressing system to ensure residents receive the best possible emergency service.

Beaver County Municipal Addressing Bylaw No. 10-970, passed June 16, 2010, requires that:

- All parcels of land occupied by a structure be assigned an address by the County; and
- All property owners erect an address sign.
- Any person who contravenes this Bylaw is subject to a fine of \$100; and
- Subsequent fines of \$300 per day if offence continues.
- A Bylaw Enforcement Officer may issue a violation ticket to any person who contravenes this Bylaw.

To review the complete Bylaw, please call the Beaver County at (780) 663-3730 or visit www.beaver.ab.ca.

Your municipal address must be posted so emergency crews can find the correct address without delay - every second counts!

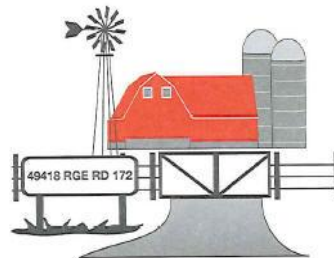
Emergency Services:

When you dial 9-1-1 from a land line, your municipal address is displayed at the 9-1-1 Call Answer Centre. The Emergency Communications Operator verifies the address with you, asks you a series of questions and then dispatches the appropriate emergency services personnel.

When you dial 9-1-1 from a cell phone, you have to provide your municipal address (and confirm it) and any other information required by the operator – your municipal address will not display. If you have a choice, use a land line to call 9-1-1. Plus, post your municipal address and call back number on your fridge or phone so they are handy at all times!

In Rural Areas:

Owners must post a sign with the complete address when the property is accessed directly from a township or range road. Letters must be a minimum of four inches high and made of reflective material.



In Hamlets:

Owners must post their three-digit address number in a conspicuous place no higher than the first story of the house. Numbers must be a minimum of four inches high.

In Multi-Lot Subdivisions with an Internal Road:

Owners must post their municipal house number at the end of their driveway. The County will post the complete address at the entrance to the subdivision. Numbers must be a minimum of six inches high and made of reflective material.



Owners of new developments must post their address sign within three months of building. The County will assign the address when issuing the development permit.