

### 2018 Construction Schedule

Task	Start Date	Working Days	End Date
Culvert Maintenance	Apr 24	135	Oct 30
Patching Oil	May 7	24	Jun 8
TWP 492 Terracem	Jun 11	15	Jun 29
Rge 201 Terracem	Jul 2	2	Jul 3
Twp 510 Terracem	Jul 4	5	Jul 10
Twp 512 Terracem	Jul 12	5	Jul 18
Rge 191 Terracem	Jul 19	2	Jul 20
Patching Oil	Jul 23	10	Aug 3
Oiling (TBD)	Aug 7	14	Aug 24
Patching/Shoulder Pulls	Aug 28	24	Sep 30
Backsloping- TBD	Oct 2	21	Oct 31
Gravelling	Apr 24	112	Sep 28
Dust Control- 1st Application	May 22	22	Jun 22
Dust Control- 2nd Application	Jul 30	14	Aug 18

\* Town of Tofield's Rge 191 July 23 - 27 (tentative)

Schedule is subject to change depending on the weather.

### 2018 Fall Dust Control Program

Beaver County residents desiring an application form for dust control, on the County road adjacent to their property can call the County Service Centre to be put on the mailing list. Residents must apply for dust control by July 31, 2018 for August application to:

Beaver County  
5121 – 50 Street Box 140 Ryley, Alberta T0B 4A0  
Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday

The fee will be imposed as a fee-for-service, calculated on the basis of 50% of the cost of the dust suppression product. The County shall provide 50% of the cost per application. Residents that would like a subsequent second application (within the same year) will be required to pay the full cost.

For more information or applications, please visit [www.beaver.ab.ca](http://www.beaver.ab.ca) or call (780) 663-3730.

### Looking to fill 3 FCSS Positions

#### The Tofield/Ryley/Beaver County West FCSS Advisory Board

The Tofield/Ryley/Beaver County West FCSS Advisory Board is currently looking to fill 3 volunteer **Public at Large Positions (PAL)** to represent Beaver County West, the *Town of Tofield and the Village of Ryley*.

Interested parties must reside in their respective municipalities.

If you would like more information please call our office at 780-662-7067, or forward your letter of intent to:

Ruth Gill, FCSS Director  
P.O. Box 1058, 5407-50 Street.  
Tofield, AB T0B 4J0  
E-Mail: [rgilltofieldfcss@gmail.com](mailto:rgilltofieldfcss@gmail.com)

### Attention Farmers

#### If Strychnine Is An Essential Management Tool On Your Farm Make Your Voice Heard And Get Involved In The Consultation Process

#### Consultation on the Proposed Registration Cancellation of Strychnine and Its Associated End-use Products

Health Canada is proposing to cancel the registration of Maxim 2% Liquid Strychnine Concentrate, and to require the removal of ground squirrels use from the label of S.A.R.M Gopher Poison R.T.U. Strychnine is a registered pesticide used by growers to control ground squirrels. Following a scheduled re-evaluation under the Re-evaluation Program, Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency is consulting Canadians on the proposal to cancel the use of strychnine for ground squirrel control due to effects on non-target animals. This review identified environmental concerns in the potential poisoning of non-target animals, including species at risk such as the swift fox and burrowing owl. There is concern mitigation measures would not be practical.

#### CONSULTATION ON STRYCHNINE – How to get involved

<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-re-evaluation-decisions/2018/strychnine.html>