



Beaver County Service Centre
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Ryley, Alberta T0B 4A0
Monday to Friday
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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Prepare for writing the GED Exam.

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North Saskatchewan Watershed Alliance

To celebrate the **20th Anniversary of the North Saskatchewan Watershed Alliance (NSWA)**, they are highlighting their partnerships with many organizations and communities. NSWA will be hosting webinars throughout the month of November, during lunch hours, entitled the 'Knowledge in Know-vember Speaker Series'.

You can listen in on one or all of the sessions and registration is through <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/knowledge-in-know-vember-speaker-series-tickets-123237644111>.

The topics are:

November 3 – EPCOR and Alberta Environment and Parks – WaterSHED Monitoring program

November 10 – Watershed Stewardship Groups

November 17 – ALUS Program and the LaFarge Biodiversity Program

November 24 – Cows and Fish – Living with Beavers

County Tax Collection and COVID-19

Beaver County continues to monitor the coronavirus outbreak, and our commitment to the health and safety of our community and our staff remains our top priority.

Staff are diligently practicing “physical distancing” and taking other necessary precautions to prevent the spread of the virus, and we ask that you respect the health and safety protocols we have implemented when paying your property taxes this year.

The deadline for payment of property taxes to avoid penalty is November 2, 2020.

To avoid line-ups and congestion in the County Services Centre, the County strongly encourages taxpayers to take advantage of the **many off-site methods of payment:**

- ✓ Cheque or money order mailed to Box 140, Ryley, AB T0B 4A0. The postmark on the envelope **MUST** be stamped on or before November 2, 2020 to avoid penalty.
- ✓ On-line banking (internet or telephone). Please allow 3-5 business days for processing.
- ✓ Payment at your financial institution. Please allow 3-5 business days for processing.
- ✓ Pay simply. Please allow 3-5 business days for processing.
- ✓ Drop box at the County Services Centre on or before November 2, 2020.
- ✓ Credit card, e-transfer, PayPal, or payment at a Canada Post outlet. NOTE that a convenience fee will be charged by the payment processing agency. Go to www.beaver.ab.ca for more information.

A penalty of 6% will be added to outstanding **CURRENT** taxes on November 3, 2020. Hours for the Beaver County Service Centre are: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (weekdays). Please call ahead (780-663-3730) if an appointment with the Assessor is required.

Staff are available and happy to assist you with any questions you have and are accessible by phone at 780-663-3730 or by e-mail to administration@beaver.ab.ca.

If you must attend the County Services Centre to pay your taxes, please come prepared for the following:

- If the Office lobby appears to be crowded, please wait outside the building at the spaces marked on the sidewalk until a safe space is available for you.
- A **MANDATORY** health check is required. Forms are available in the vestibule. Completed forms must be given to County staff before your tax payment will be processed.
- Please use hand sanitizer and wear a mask. Masks are available if you have forgotten to bring one.
- Please follow all signage. Arrows and floor markers are in place to direct traffic and minimize close contact with others waiting in line.
- Cheque and Interac are the preferred methods of payment.
- Please do not linger to visit with others inside the Office. You are welcome to visit outside at a safe distance from each other.

Please do not enter the County Services Centre if you are exhibiting any symptoms of COVID-19, been in contact with a confirmed case, recently participated in a large group gathering, or travelled outside of the country within the last 14 days.

Thank you for doing your part to slow the spread of the coronavirus.

Your cooperation and patience are appreciated.