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Beaver County Intermunicipal Development Plans Project

Beaver County and each of the Towns of Tofield and Viking and the Villages of Ryley and Holden have Intermunicipal Development Plans (IDPs). These were approved in 2008 with some updates over the last few years.

The IDPs are beneficial tools for neighbouring municipalities to provide guidance for future growth areas, address development-related matters of joint interest along and near municipal boundaries, develop policies that are mutually beneficial, provide opportunities to explore joint economic development initiatives, and provide mechanisms for cooperation in delivering services.

Beaver County, in partnership with the Towns and Villages, have engaged ISL Engineering and Land Services Ltd. to update the four existing IDPs. The updates will ensure that the policies within the IDPs meet current needs, reflect new and emerging trends and planning best practices, and are in alignment with the recent changes to the MGA.

A Discussion Paper has been prepared that includes a review of the existing IDPs, estimates future population growth, reviews the supply of land within each municipality, and explores potential opportunities and constraints.

To review the existing IDPs and the Discussion Paper, go to the websites for either the County or the municipality nearest you.

In late May, you will be given the opportunity to review the updated draft IDPs and provide input via an on-line survey.

For more information, contact your local municipal office.

2018 Audited Financial Statement

On April 17, 2019, Council accepted the 2018 audited financial statement as presented by MNP LLP. To view the statement, visit www.beaver.ab.ca/council/financials. Paper copies are also available at the Beaver County Service Centre.

Second Coat of Chip Seal

Over the next few weeks, Township Road 512 east of SH 630, Township Road 482 west of HWY 36 and Range Road 132 south of Township Road 482, will continue the process for being upgraded from gravel or oiled roads to all-weather hard surfaced roads and receive a second coat of "chip seal".

While this process is much different from the process to pave a road with asphalt, the end result will seem similar to residents and the travelling public, and will result in roads that are not dusty when dry, nor muddy when wet.

During this time, the roads may be closed to allow crews to work safely; however, access for local landowners will be maintained during construction. We encourage patrons to take alternate routes until the projects are complete.

There are potential hazards to the public and vehicles during the construction process. This can include heavy machinery, dust or mud, and road materials such as gravel, asphalt coatings and rock chips. After the roads are stabilized, a coat of chip seal will be applied that can make your vehicle dirty.

Finally, there will be loose rock chips present for some time after application that can scratch your vehicle. The final chips will be brushed off after the surface has cured (generally after a few weeks).

Please be advised the speed limit will be 50 km/h while posted, as there will be crews on the road who need to work safely, and it will help keep the loose rocks chips more stationary.

This schedule is weather dependent. Thank you for your patience and understanding during construction. If you have any questions, please call the Beaver County Service Centre at 780-663-3730.

Grazing School for Women

Agenda

Day 1- Lamont Ag Society Grounds

- Stock Dog Demonstration
- Horse Farrier & Dentistry Demonstration
- Long Table Dinner & Social
- Sustainable Beef

Day 2 - St. Michael Community Hall

- Plant Identification: Learn to identify range & riparian plants found in Central Alberta
- Soil Characteristics
- Cattle Nutrition
- Rural Crime Prevention

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Informative & Fun!

The Original
Grazing School
 for women

Lamont Ag Grounds & St. Michael Hall
 June 11 & 12

Registration Deadline
 May 31st

Registration Options

- Day 1 Only: \$45
- Day 2 Only: \$45
- Both Days: \$80

Registration Information

Linda @ (780) 603-3486
lindagrazingschool@gmail.com

Online Registration
www.grazingschool4women.com

Community Events

Happy Wanderers

Happy Wanderers is a group of ladies looking for opportunities to get out of the house, have some fun and socialize with other ladies. There will be planned monthly outings. Watch for posters around Tofield and Ryley, also on Facebook - Tofield Today & Ryley Today.

Friday, May 24 - Lois Hole Enjoy Centre. A unique multi-use facility featuring a greenhouse, spa, cafe, & restaurant, whole foods, bakery, and more!

Ryley pick up at 9am in front of Village Office, return at 4pm
Tofield pick up at 9:30am in front of Town Office, return at 3:30pm

Tickets: \$15.00 Includes transportation ONLY! Shopping and refreshments on your own. Deadline to purchase tickets is May 17, 2019. Tickets @ FCSS 5407 - 50 Street Upstairs Town of Tofield Administration Building or Ryley Village Office 5005 - 50 Street, Ryley
 For information: Loretta @ 780-717-8151 or Marilyn @ 780-914-5101.

Tofield

Sodbuster Rodeo

May 31st @ 5pm - June 2 @ 4pm

Friday Evening:

Rodeo Promenade: 5pm - 9pm on Mainstreet - sponsored by Tofield Chamber of Commerce.

This popular street fair has a little of everything for all ages. Tofield Rodeo "Slack" Performance - 5pm at Rodeo grounds (free admission Friday only)

Saturday:

9am - Pancake breakfast at indoor arena
 1pm - Rodeo Performance - Intermission event "Mutton Bustin." During the Rodeo: Concession, beer gardens, kids activities centre 9pm - Rodeo Dance

Sunday:

10:30am - Cowboy Church @ Community Hall.
 1pm - Rodeo performance @ fairgrounds, Beer gardens open, concession, Kids Activity Centre, Mutton Bustin, (intermission event) and more!!!