

Deputy Mayor's Report March 16 2023

Sun and Sand Rec League Seniors March 21 2023

Attended at Tree Foil Was an enjoyable get together, casual discussions on various topics. Small attendance but hopefully will grow with better weather.

SVLSACE March 25 2023

Hyw 43 Waste new cell construction complete, with final development in progress. Tipping fees increase from \$57.50 to \$60.00 per tonne. Looking into more and better household and vegetative recycling. Website is online.

Seniors Foundation 1.5 million Provincial requisition not increased since 2014. No new money at this time. Slight changes in net income and other to qualify for residence. Cost of Covid \$35,000.00 over reimbursements.

East End Buss Support is required. Amount set for Summer Villages is \$350.00

WildWater . Rich Valley truck fill open. This makes 7 stations open in the region. Total of \$81 million has been spent on system in this area. No proposed increase in Debentures for 2023. Water cost \$4.99 m/3 at all truck fills. Members meeting TBA for April.

Water Quality Spray program for Flowering Rush Lake Isle in second year. Concern about increase of Rush on Lac. Ste Anne near Alberta Beach.

Emergency Management Plan templates to be done. Is ours? Working with Sunset Bible camp on evacuation plans and housing. Block Captain program in progress. Working with County on possible training grants. 72 hour kit. Need to have link posted on Website and possible reminder/flyer sent with tax notices.

March 25 training exercise, Elected officials to be available, phone only. Still working on joint meeting of Advisory and Agency TBA.

ASVA upcoming Conference Reminder for Silent Auction donations.

Regional Municipalities Meeting For June 16 Or 19 TBA. Council member(s) should attend. Discuss items of concern agenda April and /or May.

AB Munis Broadband mapping for funding did not include some areas but has been updated. Funding available for municipalities. See CAO if contacted by Broadband people for address to council.

Policing Small local communities being left out of discussion and input towards new regulations (min pop. over 5000 required)

EPR Recycling programs in flux with new Provincial Regulations to come. Focus on Producers being involved. Small Villages will need considerable info to apply for funding towards programs.

Upcoming Events March 29/30 Future of Municipal Govn't will focus on collaboration. March 30/31 Municipal Leaders Conference

Dinosaur Day Camp July 1 to August 31 at onoway Arena. \$20.00 1/2 day \$45.00 full day includes lunch. Broucheres available Post on Website. Mailout with tax notices? Promote through Rec League?

All Net. How many are signed up? Promote for More? Should we be posting more about issues (Wastewater, OHV use, events, meetings and other?)

County RMA 99+% against change towards Alberta police force. \$33 million has been funded towards wastewater. Includes South View, Silver Sands, Sandy Beach, Sunrise Beach, Nakamun, and Tri Village. Barhead County looking into similar project. Villages to pass Bylaws for Sewage Tank Inspections funded by village, (possible grants) and then Village would have results. Review tax increases in other Villages and County within area, to establish what our rate increases should be. Discuss at meeting.

Emergency Services Looking towards contracts with School Bus Companies and East End Bus for evacuations.

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