

## April 21, 2021 Council Meeting

### BYLAWS AND POLICIES:

**Bylaw No. 03-2021:** Council duly enacted Bylaw No. 03-2021, being the Unpaid Taxes Bylaw, having a 2% penalty (on current) applied on November 1, a 5% penalty (on current and penalty) applied on December 1 and 10% penalty (on current and arrears) applied on January 1.

### COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS:

**Two Hills Lions Club:** Council provided a Letter of Support to the Two Hills Lions Club in their application to the Community Facility Enhancement Grant to assist with Clubhouse upgrades.

**Alberta Donkey & Mule Club:** Council approved a trail ride in the Lac Santé area, proposed by the Alberta Donkey & Mule Club for May, 2021.

**2021 RCMP Policing Priorities:** Council received delegation from Sgt. R. Daisley and discussed the Two Hills 2020 Policing Report and 2021 Policing Priorities.

### TRANSPORTATION:

**NOTICE – New Traffic Controls:** Yield Signs will be installed at the intersection of Range Road 123 and Township 564. Also, on Range Road 124 South of Hwy 29 for half a mile - 40km/hour speed signs will be posted.

### Next Council Meeting:

The May Regular Council Meeting shall be Call of the Chair.

### For further information contact:

Sally Dary, CAO, County of Two Hills at 780-657-3358.



The County of Two Hills encourages developers, builders and contractors to apply now for your 2021 development permits. Development permits allow construction to start anytime within 12 months of the permit issue date. For further information on obtaining your development permit please contact: Gary Buchanan, Director of Planning & Development by phone at 780-657-3358 or by email: [gbuchanan@thcounty.ab.ca](mailto:gbuchanan@thcounty.ab.ca)

### DERWENT AND WILLINGDON RESIDENTS

Please be advised that County of Two Hills will be carrying out water valve maintenance and hydrant flushing in the month of May. Residents may experience intermittent water outages. Also, residents may experience some water discoloration when water is turned back on. Please allow water to run until discoloration has cleared up. Please visit <http://www.thcounty.ab.ca/> for specific times. If you have any questions or concerns, please call Pat Gordeyko, Director of Utilities by phone at 780-657-2446 or 780-632-1560.

### FIRE RESTRICTIONS & PERMITS



**PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT DUE TO DRY CONDITIONS A FIRE BAN IS IN EFFECT. FOR FIRE BANS AND RESTRICTIONS, PLEASE VISIT:**

[www.albertafirebans.ca](http://www.albertafirebans.ca) or [www.thcounty.ab.ca](http://www.thcounty.ab.ca)

### 2021 PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS

To complete the 2020 property assessments, assessors will be conducting physical inspections of properties throughout the County. When assessors enter onto your property their vehicles will be clearly marked with the County of Two Hills logo. Your cooperation with assessors is greatly appreciated as it is essential in determining property assessments.

### CANADA SUMMER JOBS PROGRAM

The County of Two Hills is accepting applications for two Labour positions under the Canada Summer Jobs program, being:

#### Natural Gas Utility – Labourer

Duration of Position: 8 weeks, commencing July, 2021.

#### Public Works – Labourer

Duration of Position: 17 weeks, commencing May, 2021.

Eligible participants must be youth, aged 16 to 30 years old. All interested parties may submit their resume citing posted position, inclusive of references, and a Driver Abstract to the "Selection Committee" at the County of Two Hills Administration Office between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. **Application deadline May 15, 2021.**

#### SELECTION COMMITTEE

Mail: Box 490, Two Hills, AB, T0B 4K0.

Phone: 780-657-3358

Email: [kkenney@thcounty.ab.ca](mailto:kkenney@thcounty.ab.ca)

### CONTACT US:

Box 490, 4818-50 Avenue, Two Hills, Alberta, T0B 4K0  
[www.thcounty.ab.ca](http://www.thcounty.ab.ca)

**ADMINISTRATION OFFICE**

780-657-3358

**PUBLIC WORKS**

780-657-2499

**NATURAL GAS UTILITY**

780-657-2446



Roadside Safety Reminder: Being Spring, there will be an increase of farm equipment and machinery on local roads. Please obey all traffic regulations and be courteous of all persons travelling.

## AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD

### STRYCHNINE SALES AND EQUIPMENT RENTALS

From this time forward, Agricultural Producers or Bonified Farmers **MUST** make an appointment for the purchase of Strychnine or to rent Agricultural Equipment. To make an appointment please contact the Agricultural Service Board at 780-657-3358.

### 2022 ASB CALENDER

The Agricultural Service Board will be publishing a 2022 calendar! All photos must be of the County and be agriculturally related (for ex. livestock, landscape, harvest, etc.). Get your spring photo featured!

### Are you a local landowner, concerned citizen, or nature lover?

Check out the Vermilion River Watershed Alliance's monthly blog which features stories and projects relating to healthy water and landscapes.



#### APRIL BLOG:

*Partner Series: Get to Know Bryon Wolters, Conservation Specialist - Ducks Unlimited Canada*

To learn more, go to:  
<https://vrwa.ca/blog/>



## NATURAL GAS UTILITY

### EQUAL PAYMENT PLAN

The County of Two Hills Natural Gas Utility is offering customers the option to enroll in an Equal Payment Plan. Please call the Natural Gas Office at 780-657-2446 for inquiries.

For those customers on the Equal Payment plan with a balance owed, please ensure that the outstanding amount is received to the Gas Utility Office by June 15, 2021. Should payment not be received, customers may be removed from the Equal Payment Plan. Please note, with fluctuating gas prices and the Federal Carbon Tax increase, the provided estimate may be considerably higher in order to be adequate for the year.

### LATE PAYMENT PENALTIES

The County of Two Hills Natural Gas Utility kindly reminds customers, that to avoid late payment penalties, payments must be received by 4:30 p.m. on the due date (the 15<sup>th</sup> day of each month). Please be advised that payments made at the bank, phone-banking or online take 2-3 business days to process. If mailing a cheque, please allow 7-10 business days.

## PUBLIC WORKS



### CONTRACTOR OPPORTUNITY

County of Two Hills No. 21

**Notice – Gravel Truckers**

The County of Two Hills is accepting applications for Gravel Trucks to haul within the County of Two Hills No. 21 during the 2020 graveling program.

All interested parties may obtain applications by contacting Susie Elkow, Shop Supervisor at the County Shop located in the Town of Two Hills between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. **Application deadline May 28, 2021.**

Phone: 780-657-2499

Email: [selkow@thcounty.ab.ca](mailto:selkow@thcounty.ab.ca)

### DUST CONTROL

The Public Works Department would like to advertise to qualifying residents the commencement of 2021 Dust Control Applications, available April 1, 2021 to **May 14, 2021**. Please contact the Public Works Office at 780-657-2499.

### GRAVEL SALES

The Public Works Department would like to advertise to qualifying residents the commencement of 2021 gravel sales, available April 1, 2021 until September 30, 2021. Effective 2021, all private gravel sale deliveries will be the responsibility of the purchaser. The gravel pick up date must be booked through the Public Works Office. For inquiries, please contact the Public Works Office at 780-657-2499.

**Please be advised that all County of Two Hills Offices shall be closed Monday, May 24, 2021 for Victoria Day.**

