



FEATURED:

Livestock Tax Deferral Provision Update

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada has posted their list and map of initial prescribed areas that will be eligible for the Livestock Tax Deferral program in 2018.

[Learn more...](#)

MEMBER BULLETINS

AGLC Reviewing Public Special Event Policy

The Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (AGLC) is requesting stakeholder and public input into a review of the Public Special Event Policy. The review is focusing on resale special event licensing and the modernization of the current approach to approving resale special event licenses for organizations holding events selling liquor.

[Learn more...](#)

Apply for a Status of Women Community Grant

The Alberta Status of Women Community Grant Program provides one-time funding to local non-profit and charitable organizations for projects and activities that improve the lives of women and girls in Alberta.

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AGRICULTURE UPDATE

Crop Report

(September 4, 2018)

Moisture Report

(September 11, 2018)

JOB POSTINGS

City of Leduc

Facility Monitor

Program Leader

Disaster Forum 2018 Incident Command System Workshops

One of the ways that emergencies are managed is through an Incident Command System (ICS). The Disaster Forum 2018 offers an opportunity for emergency managers to improve their ICS skills and feel confident in responding effectively to future emergencies.

[Learn more...](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RMA Fall 2018 Convention Registration is Now Open!

Registration for the Fall 2018 Convention and the Fall 2018 Partners Program is now open! Visit our website to register and download the draft convention agenda.

[Learn more...](#)

Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) Annual Report Now Available

NRCB has published their annual report for the 2017-2018 year on their website.

[Learn more...](#)

REMINDERS

RMA Fall 2018 Convention Accommodations

The Hyatt Place Downtown is no longer partnered with the hotel parent group RMA works with. RMA recommends that if you have booked with the former Hyatt Place Downtown, you revise your reservations to one of the current hotels listed on our website.

[Learn more...](#)

R.W. Hay Award: Call for Nominations

Leduc County

**Manager of Economic
Development**

MD of Greenview

Municipal Engineer

**Assistant General Manager -
Infrastructure & Planning**

**Manager - Construction &
Engineering**

Wheatland County

**Manager of Legislative
Services and Community
Relations**

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our job board.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 21
District 1 Meeting

September 28
District 5 Meeting

October 12
District 2 Meeting

October 15
District 3 Meeting

November 19-22
2018 RMA Fall Convention

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A PREVIOUS ISSUE?**

View our [Contact newsletter
archive](#) or our [member
bulletin archive](#).

The RMA extends an invitation to member municipalities to nominate outstanding rural administrators for the R.W. Hay Award for Rural Administrative Excellence. Any chief administrative officer that served or is serving in the current calendar year in an RMA member municipality is eligible to be nominated.

[Learn more...](#)

Learn more about the key issues facing rural Alberta by reading our **position statements**.

IN THE NEWS

- Albertans are **buckling up for a throwdown** over pipelines, oilsands and Trans Mountain
- Funding offered for **'mental health first aid' courses in farm communities**
- Supporting critical **land and water conservation**
- **'Urgent action needed'** to preserve wetlands and mitigate flood risk: report
- County launches **rural homelessness estimation** project
- Wet snow is drenching crops but some **Alberta farmers hold out hope** for clear skies



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