

Public Comments for Bylaw 2016-21:
Bunchberry Meadows Redistricting
Received before November 7, 2016

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Sent: Wednesday, November 02, 2016 2:32 PM
To: Karen Oxley
Cc: Tanya Klein; Larry Wall; Chris Thrall; David Cross; Lenny Richer
Subject: Bunchberry Meadows Redistricting File PD-16-021 Comments due November 7, 2016

Hi Karen,

The River Valley Alliance (RVA) appreciates the opportunity to formally voice our support for the Nature Conservancy of Canada's (NCC) application to redistrict all of section 14-51-26-W4M to designate the lands from Country Residential District to Conservation District.

The NCC's application is closely aligned with RVA's goals to protect, preserve and enhance the river valley; promote healthy, active lifestyles; and connect the river valley trail system.

RVA and Parkland County are partners in building the Devonian Botanic Gardens Trail, which will connect the river valley to one of Alberta's premier tourism destinations. NCC's proposed public conservation and recreation area will complement and run adjacent to the Devonian Botanic Gardens Trail, and will provide outdoor recreational and educational opportunities for generations to come.

We strongly support this initiative and are excited to be a part of the alignment of our organizations' shared goals and visions.

Best regards,

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Hi Karen,

Thank you for providing the information about this rezoning application. For your information we circulated it to our Parks and Biodiversity Team as we were sure they would be interested. They comment as follows:

The Open Space Strategy Unit, Parks and Biodiversity Section, supports application PD-16-021, as it aligns with the objectives of BREATHE: Edmonton's Green Network Strategy (under development), by protecting ecologically sensitive sites and creating a network of connected open space. Additionally, the site will provide passive recreational opportunities for the entire Region in a location that has the opportunity to connect to the regional recreational trail network.

We have no other comments. We look forward to a successful zoning amendment and hope that the project will be able to connect to the regional recreational trail network.

Regards
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On Fri, Oct 28, 2016 at 8:55 AM, Karen Oxley <koxley@parklandcounty.com> wrote:

Good day,

Please find attached a notice of Public Hearing for a redistricting to 14-51-26-W4M commonly known as Bunchberry Meadows.

Please forward any comments before **November 7, 2016** to be included in the Administrative Report to Council.