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Premier Candidates Forum

w / Thomas Lukaszuk,
Ric McIver and Jim Prentice

August 7, 2014
Nisku Inn
1101 4th ST.
Nisku, AB

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Job Postings

Parkland County
[Equipment Operator II](#)

Lethbridge County
[Waste and Wastewater
Operator - Level 1](#)

Strathcona County
[Coordinator, Current Planning](#)

Town of Taber

Member Bulletins

Government of Alberta's Guidelines on Consultation with First Nations on Land and Natural Resource Management Now in Effect

The process for consultation is outlined and includes consultation triggers, the various stages of consultation and processing timelines.

[Learn more...](#)

Help Alberta Receive Federal Funding for Rural Broadband

Industry Canada has officially launched Connecting Canadians, the new federal program that will invest \$305 million until 2017 to upgrade rural broadband across Canada.

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South Saskatchewan Regional Plan Released

Regional plans are used to establish a long-term vision for the region and align policies with the goal of balancing economic, social and environmental interests.

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New Alberta Community Partnership Webinar Recording Available Now! Additional Live Webinar to be Hosted on August 6, 2014.

The Alberta Community Partnership Program is a grant program that offers funding for a range of topics including intermunicipal collaboration and viability review support.

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Attend a Free Workshop on Rail Safety

The workshop, on improving rail safety and emergency response, will focus on common training and procedures undertaken by railways to ensure the safe movement of dangerous goods.

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Reminders

Apply Now! AAMDC Post-Secondary Scholarship Deadline is August 4

The AAMDC Scholarship Program is designed to encourage young rural Albertans to pursue further education. All interested persons are invited to apply for the AAMDC Scholarship by August 4, 2014.

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Register Now for the EOEP's Municipal Governance Seminar

The Elected Officials Education Program (EOEP) is Alberta's only professional education program designed for municipally elected officials.

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Alberta Recreation and Parks Association Conference - October 23-25

Not only a unique networking opportunity with other Mayors, Reeves, and Councillors in Alberta, the ARPA Conference provides an opportunity to meet and foster relationships with the next generation of recreation and parks leaders and programmers.

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[Purchasing Agent](#)

Red Deer County
[GIS Coordinator](#)

Town of Okotoks
[Financial Services Officer](#)

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Upcoming Events

[Meet the Candidates for Premier](#)

August 7, 2014

District 4 Meeting
August 15, 2014

[EOEP: Municipal Governance Seminar](#)

October 7-8, 2014

[AAMDC Fall Convention](#)
November 18-20, 2014

News

- Albertans asked to conserve energy as [demand for power hits record](#)
- Four species added to Alberta's [threatened species list](#)
- [Alberta Open Farm Days](#) promoting locally grown food
- Ministers Dallas and McQueen on the pending [sale of AltaLink](#)
- Trumpeter swans soar off [Alberta's at-risk species list](#)
- 911 call centres get boost in funding from [cellphone levy](#)
- Collaboration defines 10-year [Alberta Sport Plan](#)

Rural View



Duane Gladden and Miranda Marcinkoski recently visited the Stollery Children's Hospital to donate \$11,000 on behalf of the AAMDC and our members.

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Local Links

[Alberta Energy Resources Heritage](#)

[Get to Know Parkland County](#)

[Virtual Tour of Camrose County](#)

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The town of Leesshore was the first Albertan town to record a crop circle sighting.

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