



Member Bulletins

Draft AAMDC Municipal Agriculture Disaster Declaration Guide Now Available

The AAMDC has worked with Alberta Agriculture and Forestry and the Agriculture Financial Services Corporation (AFSC) to develop a *Draft Municipal Agriculture Disaster Declaration Guide*. The draft guide is intended to promote a consistent mechanism for data collection and monitoring to support municipal decision making and to guide the communications process when considering agricultural disaster declarations.

Learn more...

SAVE THE DATE: 2017 Alberta Rural Education Symposium

The Alberta Rural Education Symposium for 2017 is going to be held on May 5 – 7 and prospective attendees are being asked to save the date. This will be the fifth rural education symposium and it will be held at West Edmonton Mall.

Learn more...

Announcements

University of Alberta Faculty of Extension Course: Rural Wastewater Management

Water is the basic element of life and worthy of our protection as a vital resource. Explore how proper wastewater management ensures environmental protection as well as its impact on land use planning, health, and public safety. Through an understanding of the legislative framework that governs rural wastewater systems, we will explore the processes, permits and the







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Job Postings

Parkland County

Supervisor, Drainage,
Utilities & Aggregate
Resources

City of Leduc

Government Relations

Advisor

Leduc County
Health and Safety
Coordinator

Manager of Operations

Town of Bon Accord
Planning & Economic
Development Officer

County of St. Paul

<u>Director of Public Works</u>

County of Vermillion River
Planner

Learn more...

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Reminders

PROVIDE YOUR INPUT: Complete the AAMDC MGA Survey

The AAMDC has finished its member consultation tour of the province and wants to provide an additional outlet to collect member input on the proposed Bill 21:

Modernized Municipal Government Act. The AAMDC MGA Survey is now available online.

Learn more...

Alberta Motor Vehicle Industry Council

The AMVIC enforces the laws that are in place to protect automotive consumers. All automotive businesses in the province including sales, service/repair, wholesale etc. must legally be licensed by AMVIC. Businesses must meet several requirements before they are issued a licence, including proof of municipal approval. Learn more...

News

- <u>Tensions ease in Edmonton's annexation bid of</u>
 <u>Leduc County land</u>
- Pipelines and why they fail in Canada
- As Fort McMurray rebuilds, fire chief wants more wildfire resilience
- Varcoe: Alberta should explore importing hydro from other provinces
- Sage grouse making tiny comeback on prairies
- <u>Transportation Network Company regulation and insurance driven by safety and fairness</u>
- New study deems river floodplains 'most important feature in the mountain landscapes'
- Helping animals on the road can be deadly
- Springbank Reservoir to get federal environmental review
- Reform party registers with Elections Alberta, vows to woo right-wing voters
- · After fireworks in Ottawa, electoral reform could

Upcoming Events

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- turn into provincial issue in Alberta
- New first responder radio system launching July 1 will better protect Albertans
- Alberta toughens regulations after court ruling on orphan wells
- <u>'We're in the cellar': Alberta coal communities</u>
 <u>contend with end of mining era</u>

Rural View



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