



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF SPIRIT RIVER

NO. 133

Regular Council Meetings are scheduled for: June 7 and June 21, 2010 at 9.00 am at the MD office.
Regular Council meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month
Reminder: Contact the MD office three days prior to meeting to be added to the agenda.

• MD #133 Fire Department:
(Fire Chief – Bill Mortland)
Summer meetings are scheduled for the fourth Wednesday of each month. The next scheduled practice/meeting is on June 23 at 7:30 pm
For more details call Bill 864-3057 or 864-0782.

• Public Works
(Jess Gingell – Public Works Supervisor)
In the event of Emergency Call out of Municipal Equipment please call, in the following order:
Jess at (780) 864-9358 or
Mike M at (780) 864-9365 or
Tom at (780) 864-9600.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF SPIRIT RIVER
BIRCH HILLS COUNTY; SADDLE HILLS COUNTY
VILLAGE OF RYCROFT; TOWN OF SPIRIT RIVER

PUBLIC NOTICE

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE ROUNDUP will be held
SATURDAY JUNE 26, 2010 at 10AM to 2PM
AT THE MD #133 FIREHALL – 4310 – 47TH STREET
IN THE TOWN OF SPIRIT RIVER, ALBERTA

Bring your potentially hazardous products to the Round-up site, such as the following: Cleaners, antifreeze, car batteries, degreasers, glues, hair sprays, medicines, paints & thinners, pesticides, solvents, weed killers and also uncontaminated used motor oils.
SUBJECT TO YOUR RESPECTIVE COUNCIL'S APPROVAL

DUST CONTROL

The MD of Spirit River will be applying Calcium Chloride as a dust suppressant.
Our dust control program cost sharing program will operate similar to previous years.
Please notify the MD Office to be placed on a list and you will be contacted to determine payment, location and timing of application.

Notice of Cemetery Grants Available

Organizations and individuals looking after cemeteries within the boundaries of the M.D. #133 are again advised that the Council of the Municipal District of Spirit River No. 133 will on an annual basis provide grants of \$500.00 to organizations for the maintenance of cemeteries. The application form is available at the M.D. #133 office. The application must be submitted with the organizations yearly financial and pictorial (picture) including planned expenditures and accomplishments. Grants to organizations will be dependent upon total compliance with previously awarded grant requirements.

2009 Financial Statements are now available and may be picked up at the M.D. #133 Administration Offices in Spirit River.

2010 Bursary Program

The Council of the Municipal District of Spirit River #133 has implemented three \$1,000.00 bursaries for students entering full time studies at a post secondary institution in Canada such as University or Community College and on-line programs.

These bursaries apply to students and "continuing students" alike that are residents of the Municipal District of Spirit River #133.

Applicants must demonstrate their past leadership qualities and/or commitments to their community in helping others. Applicants must also illustrate how their course of study will assist them in the future to exercise leadership and/or continue to demonstrate their commitment to their communities and to others in Northern Alberta.

Applications can be picked up at the Municipal District of Spirit River #133 office at 4202-50th street, Spirit River, Ab.

Applications must be received no later than August 31st, 2009 at the M.D. #133 office.

Notice of Mailing of Assessment & Tax Notices for the Municipal District of Spirit River No. 133

Notice is hereby given that the assessment and tax notices for the 2010 taxation year will be mailed June 1st, 2010 and will be payable by September 15th, 2010.

Anyone wishing to object to the assessment value on any property in their name must, within 60 days of receiving this notice, lodge their complaint using only the prescribed "Assessment Review Board Complaint" form #LGS1402 (2009/08) (which will be included with your tax assessment/tax notice and is available at the MD Office) to the Assessment Review Board Clerk of the Municipal District of Spirit River No. 133. The appeal must be accompanied by a \$20.00 fee per parcel, which will be refunded to the complainant if the complaint is successful. A copy of "Filing a Property Assessment Complaint and Preparing for Your Hearing" booklet as well as a "Guide to Property Assessment and Taxation in Alberta" can be obtained at the Municipal District of Spirit River No. 133 office at 4202 – 50th St. Spirit River, AB.

All assessments and tax notices are deemed to have been received seven (7) days after mailing within Alberta and fourteen (14) days outside of the province. The Property Assessor is available to discuss any concerns or questions you may have about your property assessment. He may be reached at the Saddle Hills County Office at 864-3760. Municipal Clerk Louise Gostick 780-864-3500.

NOTICE OF DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPROVAL

The following development permit has been approved by the Municipal District of Spirit River No. 133. Anyone wishing to lodge an appeal against this development must do so in writing before 4:30 p.m. on appeal deadline. A non-refundable fee of \$100.00 must accompany the appeal.

Letters of appeal should be addressed to: Secretary, Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, Box 389, Spirit River, Alberta T0H 3G0.

Landowner	Bobby and Orma-Jean Shmyruk
Permit:	03-DP-10
Location:	NW 29-79-4-W6th
Development:	New Modular Home
Approval conditions:	Discretionary Use – Second Dwelling Proposed plan approved by the Municipal Planning Commission
Appeal Deadline	June 1, 2010

Mark Your Berry Trees

The Municipal District will be commencing spraying operations along the rights of ways beginning June 1st for the control of noxious weeds and unwanted brush control. There will be no spraying 50 meters each side of farm yards and dugouts without signed permission from the landowner. It is the landowners responsibility to register where they would like the MD not to spray by entering into a do not spray agreement. If you require "Do not spray signs" they are available at the MD office for \$5.00 and must be displayed in a visible area. Agreements can be signed that will allow the MD to spray unwanted weeds and brush that may be within 1.5 meters of the fence line on the farm property. Efforts to not spray berry trees along right of ways will be undertaken if the areas are registered and flagged. Any questions can be addressed to Kelly Hudson Agricultural Fieldman 780 864 3500.

Greetings from FCSS!

Camp WaNaGo will be operating again this year. The first week of camp will be July 5th and will run for a six week period. Registration packages will be available at the MD of Spirit River#133, Town of Spirit River, and the Village of Rycroft.

The next van trip to Grande Prairie is scheduled for June 17, 2010. Please call Carolyn at 780-864-3500 to book your seat.



Camp WaNaGo

6 weeks of games, crafts and fun for kids ages 4-11.

Camp runs from July 5-Aug. 13 -- 9 am - 3 pm

New themes each week.

Registration starts June 1. Pick up registration forms at the MD office in Spirit River, Spirit River Town Office or the Village of Rycroft office.

Call 780-864-3500 for more information

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