



# TOWN OF BEAVERLODGE BEAVER TAILS E-NEWS

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### Next Council Meetings

Monday, June 8, 2020

Tuesday, June 22, 2020

7:00pm

Council Chambers

### Town Office

The Office has re-opened to the public. Please be respectful of health measures and physical distancing protocols when accessing the building.

Hours: 9:00am—5:00pm

## GARBAGE BIN INFORMATION

The garbage dumpster behind the Town Office belongs to the Food Bank and is not available for public usage. All dumpsters located in the Town Square are also locked and only for Town facilities.

As residents of the Town of Beaverlodge you are provided with a curbside garbage bin and two recycling bins. We kindly ask that you use these options when disposing of household waste and recycled items. If needed, you can access the Tervita La Glace Landfill (Hwy 672 & RR 93) for free by stating that you are a resident of the Town of Beaverlodge.

If you are a resident of the County of Grande Prairie please contact their office or check out their website at [www.countygp.ab.ca](http://www.countygp.ab.ca) to find out the nearest landfill and recycling locations available to you.

Thank You for your cooperation.

## PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

The Town of Beaverlodge would like to recognize our Public Works department and thank them for their countless hours of service and dedication to our community.

Public Works plays a vital role in connecting all of us together. As the cornerstone of civilization, public works provides, maintains, and improves the structures and services that assure a higher quality of life for our community and its residents. THANK YOU for all that you do!

## TOWN SUMMER FAIR

As these are unprecedented times, the Town of Beaverlodge has made the difficult decision to cancel the annual summer fair in August. Due to the restrictions regarding Covid-19 protocols from the Government of Alberta on social distancing and mass gatherings, we are unable to host the fair. Please know that this decision was not made lightly and we are saddened to not be able to come together as a community.

We look forward to seeing you all again to celebrate in 2021. Stay Safe & Stay Healthy. Take Care of one another!

# TOWN INFORMATION

## Town of Beaverlodge Residents:

As we continue to move towards summer there has been a noticeable increase in the amount of Off Highway Vehicle traffic in and around Beaverlodge. The Town has a bylaw relating to their use in town as well the Province of Alberta has regulations on their use.

### Failure to abide by the OHV regulations may result in fines and the seizure of the OHV.

Our Town Traffic Bylaw # 971 states ***“A Person may operate an Off-Highway Vehicle within the Town to access land outside of the Town by the shortest direct route.”***

### Government of Alberta regarding Off Highway Vehicles:

As of May 15, 2017, CSA-compliant helmets must be worn by OHV users when riding on public land. Public land means Crown land, including areas that have been designated for public OHV use, public roadway and highway rights-of-way.

### Fines

The fine for not wearing a helmet is \$155. The fine for wearing a helmet that is not CSA-compliant is \$93.

Anywhere in Alberta, you cannot drive an OHV when impaired or drive it dangerously.

When riding on private property, you must obtain permission beforehand from the owner. When off-roading on public land, including Crown land, you must ensure:

- **your OHV is registered and insured**
- **your OHV is equipped with a license plate, head-light, tail-light, muffler and a spark arrester**
- **the driver of the OHV is at least 14 years of age unless the child is closely supervised by an adult of at least 18 years of age**

### When riding on public roads, you must ensure:

- you have a driver’s license (Class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7)
- follow all the rules of the road like other vehicles

### When crossing a road, you must ensure:

- you stop the OHV before crossing
- all passengers are off of the OHV and any vehicle or thing attached to it before crossing
- you yield the right of way to all other vehicles and persons on the road
- you drive across in the most direct, shortest, and safest route of travel available

Visit: <https://www.alberta.ca/off-highway-vehicle-helmet-law> or  
Email: [vehicle.safety@gov.ab.ca](mailto:vehicle.safety@gov.ab.ca)

## NOTICE

At its regular council meeting on Monday, May 25, 2020, Council passed the 2020 Tax Rate Bylaw #992. The 2020 Tax Notice & Assessments should be in the mail by the end of May.

# SENIORS' WEEK

June 1 - 7  
2020

## WE VALUE SENIORS

## BEAVERLODGE ART WALK



In celebration of Seniors' Week 2020 lets decorate our windows and sidewalks with positive messages and beautiful artwork. As a community this will show our seniors that we value and appreciate them!



## NOTICE OF DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATION

Take notice that the following development permit(s) for the proposed use listed below have been received in accordance with the Town of Beaverlodge Land Use Bylaw No. 860.

TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT:	Semi-detached Dwelling
LOCATION:	Plan 2592ET, Block 10, Lot 7 826-3 <sup>rd</sup> Avenue
TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT:	Sign Permit
LOCATION:	Plan 1340RS, Lot 8

Examination of the plans or additional information may be viewed at the Town Office. Any comments must be submitted to the Town office prior to June 2, 2020 for information for the Subdivision and Development Board.