**--For Immediate Release—**

The Wapiti Area Synergy Partnership (WASP) is pleased to announce its annual Open House coming up from 5:30pm to 9pm, Tuesday, August 10, 2021 at the Philip J. Currie Dinosaur Museum in Wembley, Alberta.

Join the WASP Executive, Industry members and Landowners to network, discuss important topics and connect with one another over dinner, all while enjoying the beautiful ambience of one of the region’s premiere tourism facilities.

“This is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect and educate yourself on the new and ongoing oil and gas projects in the West County and to find out more about our local Synergy Group,” said Richard Harris, WASP Chair and local landowner. “

Doors open at 5:30pm with an opportunity to visit Industry and Community displays throughout the building and outside. Enjoy a wonderful dinner catered by Café on 43 and then listen to keynote speakers from the Canada Energy Regulator on their primary role and function and from PAZA as they discuss the results of a recently completed Air Quality Monitoring Report for the region. There is then plenty of time to reconnect and network with one another while enjoying a coffee.

“The WASP group is how I find out about new projects, connect with Industry to ask any questions I might have and get a better understanding of the overall outlook for oil and gas in my area,” said WASP Facilitator and local Landowner, Holly Sorgen.

Please visit <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/wasp-open-house-tickets-159722982741> to register for this free of charge event. Deadline to register is coming up quick, Friday, July 30, 2021. Interest parties may also book a display inside or outside by contacting Holly Sorgen, WASP Facilitator at hmsorgen@gmail.com.

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Tuesday, August 10, 2021

Philip J Currie Dinosaur Museum

5:00pm Display Set Up

5:30pm Doors Open – Displays and Networking

 Indoor displays along concourse and in classroom

 Outdoor displays in parking lot

6:00pm Dinner – catered by Café on 43

 Prize Draw

7:00pm Formal Program - Theatre

 Chair Richard Harris MC

 Welcome

 WASP Background

7:15pm Speaker 1 – CER – presenting virtually via Teams

 Question and Answer

7:30pm Speaker 2 – Elizabeth Bell, PAZA

 Question and Answer

 Prize Draws

8:00pm Dessert and Networking