

# AGENDA FOR THE TOWN OF BEAVERLODGE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING TO BE HELD MONDAY JANUARY 13 @ 6:00 PM COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 400 10 ST BEAVERLODGE, AB

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1.0	CALL TO ORDER	
	Town of Beaverlodge's Legislative Meetings are being live streamed effective June	
	12, 2023 via Council resolution #145-2023-05-23	
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As long as the sun shines, grass grows and the rivers flow – we acknowledge the homeland of the many diverse First Nation & Métis people whose ancestors have walked this land.

We are grateful to live, learn and work on the traditional territory of Treaty 8 and we make this acknowledgement as an act of reconciliation and gratitude.

## **Nichole Young**

Subject:

Women of War Memorial Unveiling - Special Invitation to Municipal Leaders

Hi Nicole, sorry for the delay

We would like the person attending to say a few words - 2 - 3 minutes.

Dear Municipal & Indigenous Community Leaders,

On behalf of the Veterans Memorial Gardens & Interpretive Centre, I am extending a special invitation to you and your Council members to attend the historic unveiling of the Women of War Memorial.

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE CANDLELIGHT UNVEILING OF THE WOMEN OF WAR MEMORIAL

Date: Friday, March 7th, 2025

Schedule: 5:00 PM - Meet & Greet with Finger Foods

7:00 PM - Ceremony & Memorial Unveiling Location: Veterans Memorial Gardens & Interpretive Centre 10121-93 St Grande Prairie, AB T8V 1Y1

This candlelight ceremony marks a significant moment in recognizing and honoring the contributions of women in military service.

Your presence as municipal leaders would greatly enhance this meaningful occasion and demonstrate our united commitment to preserving and celebrating our military heritage in Northwest Alberta.

We would be honored to have representatives from your municipality join us for this momentous event. Please RSVP by February 17th, 2025

Phone: (780) 933-0182 Email: <a href="mailto:exec.director@motorcycletourism.ca">exec.director@motorcycletourism.ca</a> Thank you for your continued support of our veterans and military history preservation efforts.

Renee Charbonneau, CTA, DStG

Executive Director - CMTA + CIMTA

veteransmemorialgardens.com

#### A Commemorative Garden Connecting Community

"We respectfully acknowledge that we are on the traditional lands of Treaty 8, the traditional territory of the Cree, Dane-zaa (Beaver), Dene (Chipewyan), and Métis peoples. We honor the rich history, languages, ceremonies, and cultures of the Indigenous peoples who have lived on and cared for this land for generations. We are committed to ongoing learning, understanding, and fostering relationships with the diverse Indigenous communities and are deeply grateful for their continued stewardship of the land and contributions to our communities."













Beaverlodge FCSS 400-10<sup>th</sup> Street Beaverlodge, AB

December 10, 2024

Dear Town Council,

The 2025 Passionate Heart planning committee formally invites you to our annual Passionate Heart Celebration to celebrate and honour individuals and organizations who contribute significantly to their community, enhance social services in the region, and are dedicated to improving the quality of life in our community.

The celebration will take place at the Bowes Family Crystal Gardens on February 14, 2025, starting at 11:30 am. All nominees will be recognized, and award winners will be announced and honoured.

We are requesting your attendance at the 2024 Passionate Heart Celebration to present the Passionate Heart Award in one of the four award categories.

Thank you for considering our invitation. Please provide a response to Reanna Stockman with the name of the council member who will announce it by January 24, 2025. Additional tickets for the event can be purchased for \$30.00 at bonnettsenergycentre.com for any further attendees. Should you have any questions, I can be reached by phone or email.

Sincerely,

Reanna Stockman

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## **Nichole Young**

Subject:

FW: {External}Meeting request with Minister McIver – ABmunis Spring Municipal Leaders

Caucus 2025

Attachments:

2025 Abmunis MLC Meeting Template.xlsx

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### Dear Chief Administrative Officer:

I am writing to inform you of a potential opportunity for municipal councils to meet with the Honourable Ric McIver, Minister of Municipal Affairs, at the 2025 Spring Municipal Leaders' Caucus (MLC), scheduled to take place at the Westin Edmonton from March 6-7, 2024. These meetings will be in person at the Westin Edmonton or the Alberta Legislature, as scheduling permits.

Should your council wish to meet with Minister McIver during the MLC, please submit a request by email with potential topics for discussion on the attached meeting request template to <a href="mailto:ma.engagement@gov.ab.ca">ma.engagement@gov.ab.ca</a> no later than January 10, 2025.

We generally receive more requests than can be reasonably accommodated over the course of the convention. Requests which meet the following criteria will be given priority for meetings during the convention:

- Municipalities that identify up to three discussion topics related to policies or issues directly relevant to the Minister of Municipal Affairs and the department.
  - o It is highly recommended to provide details on the discussion topics.
- Municipalities located within the Capital Region can be more easily accommodated throughout the year, so priority will be given to requests from municipalities at a distance from Edmonton and to municipalities with whom Minister McIver has not yet had an opportunity to meet.
- Meeting requests received after the deadline will not be considered for the convention.

Meeting times with the Minister are scheduled for approximately 15 minutes. This allows the Minister to engage with as many councils as possible. All municipalities that submit meeting requests will be notified at least two weeks prior to the convention as to the status of their request.

Municipal Affairs will make every effort to find alternative opportunities throughout the remainder of the year for municipalities the Minister is unable to accommodate during the convention.

If you encounter any issues with the meeting request template, please email the Engagement Team for assistance.

Engagement Team Municipal Services Division Municipal Affairs