
"A Sustainable, Vibrant, and Diversified Community with Opportunities for All"

COMMUNITY GROWTH CONTINUES

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The County of Vermilion River is pleased to be able to present funds in the amount of \$800,000 to the Buffalo Trails School Division and the E.H. Walter School construction project. The funds will be used to enhance the new school construction by allowing the community to add a stage and increase the size of the gymnasium. This will create a multi-functional facility for the community that could host arts and entertainment, special events, sporting tournaments and community celebrations. These types of activities will positively impact Paradise Valley and region by encouraging a lifestyle based on arts and fitness, will bring visitors to enhance the economy, and foster a sense of community.

The County has issued a debenture for \$750,000 and is committing an additional \$50,000 from Park Trust Funds towards the project. The total project is estimated at \$1.36 million with the EH Walter School Parent/Community Support Association fundraising for the remaining \$560,000.

*In east central Alberta at the Alberta-Saskatchewan border you will find the County of Vermilion River, which is home to 7,905 residents, 7 unincorporated hamlets, 4 villages and 1 town. The many features, amenities and opportunities in our municipality make it **"A sustainable, vibrant and diversified community with opportunities for all"**. Our municipal operations are based out of Kitscoty, Alberta – in the heart of a prosperous agricultural region and thriving energy sector built on an innovative entrepreneurial spirit.*

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