

# DISCOVER THE SADDLE HILLS ADVANTAGE

# **REMINDER: DITCHING PERMITS REQUIRED**

A friendly reminder that permits are required for any work carried out in County ditches and Rights-of-Way. It is the responsibility of the landowner to contact the County prior to any proposed work. Thank you for your cooperation.

# **ROAD CONSTRUCTION - TOWNSHIP ROAD 810 (DOE RIVER)**

Saddle Hills County is completing slide repairs on Township Road 810 by the Doe River. There will be traffic delays while equipment is present. We ask that all vehicles please drive slowly through the construction zone. Thank you for your cooperation.

#### **DRIVEWAY SNOWPLOW AGREEMENTS**

Driveway Snowplow Agreements for seniors and the public are now available for the 2023/24 season. To ensure that you are on the snowplow list, please fill out an application online or at the County office. Driveway snowplowing is free if you are disabled or a senior, otherwise fees apply.

#### **2024 FCSS GRANTS - OPEN**

We are currently accepting applications for the 2024 FCSS Grant Program. Any organization within the County may apply for programming based on the provincial requirements, full details of which can be found on our website at **saddlehills.ab.ca/fcss-grants**. The deadline for applications is **November 30, 2023**.

#### **RURAL POTABLE WATER SIGN-UP**

Council invites residents as identified in the map available on our website or by scanning the QR code, to sign-up to be connected to the Rural Potable Water Network to have water delivered to their residence. There is no financial contribution required at the time of

sign-up or once waterline is installed. To apply, please complete a Rural Potable Water Servicing Agreement, either online or at the County office. For any questions or help completing your application, please contact Manager of Environmental Services, Darren Lubeck, at (780) 864-3760 or email EnvSrvcs@saddlehills.ab.ca.





November 14, 8:30 a.m. Municipal Planning Commission November 14, 9:00 a.m. Regular Council Meeting November 15, 9:00 a.m. Operating Budget Meeting

November 28, 8:30 a.m. Municipal Planning Commission

**November 28, 9:00 a.m.** Regular Council Meeting **November 29, 9:00 a.m.** Capital Budget Meeting

# IT EQUIPMENT AUCTION - DEADLINE NOV. 24

The County has a variety of used IT equipment available for purchase by sealed bid. An equipment catalogue and bid sheet are available on our website, by scanning the QR code, or at our office. The highest bid for each item will be accepted, however the highest bidder of multiple items will have an option to accept any or all of their highest bids. Please be advised that bids will be taxable and GST added. The deadline to submit sealed bids is **November 24, 2023**, at 2 p.m. Bidders must pay for and collect equipment by December 8, 2023. For more

#### WATERLINE CONSTRUCTION IN EAST WOKING

information, please contact our office.

Crews have begun construction on the rural waterline project in East Woking as of October 4, 2023. The project is estimated to last around three months. During this time, you will experience increased activity in the area. Please drive with caution when passing through construction areas and watch out for equipment and workers. We thank you for your patience during this time and apologize for any inconvenience.

#### **SCHEDULED OFFICE CLOSURE - NOV. 13**

Please note that the Saddle Hills County Admin Building will be closed for Remembrance Day on **Monday, November 13, 2023**. We will re-open on November 14, 2023 at 8:15 a.m.









# **REMEMBERANCE DAY TRANSFER STATION HOURS - NOV. 11**

The Bonanza, Blueberry, Gundy, and Woking Transfer Stations will remain open on Saturday, November 11, 2023. Transfer Stations will open at 12 p.m. (Noon) instead of the usual 10 a.m. Bonanza, Blueberry, and Woking Transfer Stations will be open 12-6 p.m. and Gundy Transfer Station will be open 12-4 p.m.

# **UPCOMING 2023 TAX PENALTY**

A reminder to ratepayers that a 6% penalty was applied to outstanding 2023 property taxes on **November 1, 2023**. Payments can be made online through most financial institutions or by visiting us at the office. We accept credit cards, debit cards, and cheques.

# **ASSESSMENT DIRECT CONTACT DETAILS**

If you need to contact our Assessment Department with a question or concern you can call them directly at **(780) 506-0101**.



# **RURAL POTABLE WATER PROGRAM**

Making sure residents have access to clean and safe water is a top priority for Saddle Hills County. If you are interested in having your property hooked-up to the County's expanding rural potable water system, at no connection charge, please complete a Rural Potable Water Servicing Agreement, available on our website, by scanning the QR code, or at the County office. For more information: **Darren Lubeck (780) 864-3760** 



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Monday to Friday 8:15 AM to 4:30 PM







