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Mayerthorpe Town Council





Left to Right—Councillor Pat Burns, Councillor Bernie Jogola, Councillor Anna Greenwood, Mayor Janet Jabush, Councillor Sandy Morton, Councillor Pat Hagman, Councillor Jonathan Arseneault

Mission Statement

Mayerthorpe will serve its residents, businesses, and visitors through leadership and partnership while embracing opportunities for current and future generations.





Mayerthorpe Fire Department

Mayerthorpe Fire Department is recruiting. Our Station is a proud Station serving your community and surrounding area since 1940.

Paid-on-call \$25.44/hr.

Who is eligible to become a firefighter?

Adult firefighters must be over eighteen (18) and be in reasonable physical condition in order to perform firefighting duties. Applicants for the Cadet firefighting program must be between the ages of fifteen (15) and eighteen (18) years old and eligible to attend or be attending school, a minimum of 152 cm (5 ft.) in height and be in reasonable physical condition in order to perform firefighting duties.

If I have no training or experience, can I still apply?

ABSOLUTELY!! All necessary training is provided to new members. New members are expected to attend and complete courses in First Aid/ CPR, and Entry Level Firefighting. Subsequently, members are encouraged to take more advanced courses for structure fires, vehicle extrication, liquid fuel fires, dangerous goods, pump operations, apparatus driving, wildland fires, urban interface fires. Most of the courses are held within the county and are free of charge to members.

How much time does it take to be a member?

Members are expected to attend weekly training sessions. Members are expected to attend as many incidents as possible.

What benefits do "YOU" get out of this?

* Training and Knowledge * Develop important skills * Confidence * Pride * Self Assurance * * Sense of accomplishment * Being part of a bigger team * Learn to stay cool in situations *

**That GOOD FEELING of a job well done **

The training you receive is the same standard of training that is provided to firefighters across Canada and is internationally recognized. Please contact Mayerthorpe Town Office for inquiries 780-786-2416 or Fire Chief Schroeder at 780-608-3392 or firechief@mayerthorpe.ca

Compost Opening Date

The first operational day for the Compost Facility was May 2, 2019. The Compost Facility will be operational as

follows until October 31, 2019. Compost Facility will be closed in adverse weather conditions



Operational Hours:

Tuesday—12:00 Noon – 8:00 p.m.

Thursday— 12:00 Noon—8:00 p.m.

Saturday-10:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m.

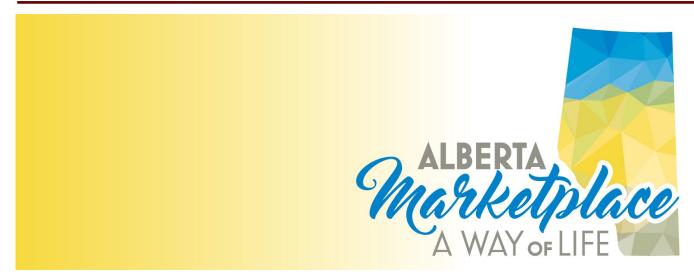
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Council Remuneration Committee

Do you want to join the Council Remuneration Committee? The Committee would meet a few times a year to review Town Council's current remuneration, remuneration comparisons, and make recommendations to Council. If you are interested in helping Council on this Committee, please e-mail admin@mayerthorpe.ca



Alberta Marketplace



Season Schedule:

May 15, 2019

June 19, 2019

July 17, 2019

August 21, 2019

September 18, 2019

October 16, 2019

We can't wait to see old and new friends, promote local vendors, young entrepreneurs and raise money for Friends of the Library. See you at the Market!

Grants

The Town of Mayerthorpe has the following grants available:

Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) grants must be of a preventative nature that enhances the social well-being of individuals and families through promotion or intervention strategies provided at the earliest opportunity, and do one or more of the following:

- * Help people to develop independence, strengthen copies skills and become more resistant to crisis;
- Help people to develop an awareness of social needs;
- * Help people to develop interpersonal and group skills, which enhance constructive relationships among people;
- * Help people and communities to assume responsibility for decisions and actions, which affect them;
- Provide supports that help sustain people as active participants in the community.

Recreation grants are available for Non—Profits within the Town's corporate limits that are developing and maintaining the business aspect of recreation, recreation facilities, parks, and programs for the benefit of residents of Mayerthorpe and area, and registered under the Societies Act of Alberta.

Culture grants are available for cultural Non-Profits within the Town's corporate limits that are hosting new cultural events for the benefit of residents of Mayerthorpe and area, and registered under the Societies Act of Alberta.

Tourism Town of Mayerthorpe has funding available for societies who are developing a tourism-related project that would benefit Mayerthorpe and area and registered under the Societies Act of Alberta. Applications are at www.mayerthorpe.ca Engage > Grants. Submissions are currently being accepted at the Town Office.

Vitalization Are you in the process of, or planning to enhance the exterior appearance of your building?

New Addition to this grant: Town of Mayerthorpe may help cover the cost of exterior paint, pick-up an application today for more details

This Grant applies to businesses with property located in the Town's commercial districts. Applications are at www.mayerthorpe.ca Engage > Grants. Submissions are currently being accepted at the Town Office.

Historical Residential Home Rehabilitation grants are available to help support the preservation of historical homes. To encourage rehabilitation of historical residential home exteriors to preserve the past while enhancing the home for the benefit of present and future generations.

Brownfield Redevelopment grants are available to provide funding tools to assist owners of Brownfield sites in revitalizing under-utilized brownfield sites for other uses such as economically viable business opportunities.

Please visit www.mayerthorpe.ca or call or visit the Town Office for additional information.



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Pembina Pipelines Corporation, Northern Lights District Presented the Town with a Sponsorship Cheque



Trevor Shand and Tony Tomkiewych of Pembina Pipelines Corporation, Northern Lights District presented the Town with a sponsorship cheque in the amount of \$10,000 to support energy upgrades to the Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre, which include insulation and new siding.

Tri Municipal Expo in Spruce Grove!



Town of Mayerthorpe joined up with Lac. Ste. Anne County to promote our region at the Tri-Municipal Expo in Spruce Grove on April 13th and 14th, 2019.

Mayors' Message—2019 Property Tax/Assessment Information

This year's budget was approved at a Special meeting of Council held November 20, 2018. The Town's operating budget increased overall – 10.62% over last year's budget to \$4,471,132. The increase to the total <u>municipal tax portion was</u> 2%, which is in line with inflation for Alberta.

The 2018 Residential Assessment for the 2019 Taxation Year decreased by \$2,323,930 primarily as a result of market value decreases. The 2018 Non-Residential Assessment for the 2019 Taxation Year decreased by \$682,490 primarily as a result of market value decreases. Market value decreases are an indication of the overall economic climate in Alberta.

Overall, Council supports the 2019 Budget and looks forward to completing the various approved projects to support the growth of Mayerthorpe!

Respectfully, On behalf of Council Mayor Janet Jabush

Important information you should know

PROPERTY TAX RATE IMPLICATIONS

Council approved an increase to the 2019 municipal Residential Tax Rate by 4.61% and increasing the municipal Non-Residential Tax Rate by 6.63%. In accordance with the 2019-2021 Strategic Plan, Council also approved increasing the Residential Minimum Tax Levy to \$858.00, the Mobile Home Minimum Tax Levy to \$525.00, and the Non-Residential Minimum Tax Levy to \$1,716.00.

Your property tax consists of Municipal, Education and Senior taxes, and if applicable, Local Improvement Levies. Property Taxes are for January 1 to December 31, 2019. **Please note: the deadline for tax payments, without penalty, is** <u>July 2, 2019</u>. Late payment penalties will begin July 3, 2019, and will be added to the balance owing at this time. Current taxes outstanding will be penalized at 12% on July 3, 2019. Tax arrears will receive a 12% penalty and will be imposed on January 1, 2020.

Please be aware:

Failure to receive a tax/assessment notice is not considered sufficient reason for non-payment of taxes. Late payment penalties will be applied after the July 3, 2019 due date.

Tax payments sent by mail are deemed to have been received by the Town on the date of the postmark. Post-dated cheques are accepted.

WHAT ELSE IS ON YOUR TAX NOTICE?

Each individual property tax notice will also include the Alberta School Foundation Fund (School Requisition) and Lac Ste. Anne Foundation (Senior Requisition); these two **requisitions are set by the Province of Alberta and Lac Ste. Anne Foundation.** The Town is required to collect and flow through these requisitions to these two entities.

Congratulations!!

Congratulations Misty Locke and Tracey McKinnon on winning \$20 gift certificates to the Mayerthorpe Aquatic Centre during the Whitecourt Trade Fair. Congratulations to Ed Henneberg for winning a \$25 Gift Certificate to Rexall during the first Alberta Marketplace Market.

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2019 Property Tax/Assessment Information

HOW YOUR PROPERTY TAX LEVY IS CALCULATED

Properties are assessed every year, typically these assessments are determined in the summer prior to the current tax year; property assessment takes into consideration the market value of the property. The Town develops Tax Rates based on an approved budget and change in growth (*overall assessment change*). The Tax Rates are used in the calculation formula, in conjunction with the assessed property value, to determine the tax levy associated with each specific property (i.e. *Assessed Value of Land and Building multiplied by the applicable Tax Rate per the approved Tax Rate Bylaw*).

ASSESSMENT COMPLAINT PROCESS

A person is entitled to see or receive sufficient information about their assessed property in accordance with Section 299 of the Municipal Government Act or a summary of an assessment in accordance with Section 300 of the Municipal Government Act, or both.

To discuss or review the specifics of your assessed property value, as indicated on your Combined Assessment and Property Tax Notice, please contact the Town Office at 780-786-2416.

If, after a review of your inquiry has been complete and you are still of the opinion that your assessment is incorrect, you may file a completed Assessment Complaint Form at the Town Office, within sixty (60) days from the "Assessment date" to the Assessment Review Board. These forms are available at the Town Office or on the Town's website at www.mayerthorpe.ca. Your complaint must follow the procedures identified under the Assessment Information section (found in the Assessment Information portion of the Property Tax Notice).

The Assessment Complaint Form must be filled out completely and the appropriate fee must accompany the Assessment Complaint Form. *Return the Form and fees by July 2, 2019 to:*

Town of Mayerthorpe Email: <u>utclerk@mayerthorpe.ca</u>

Box 420, 4911 – 52 St., Mayerthorpe, AB ToE 1No Fax: 780-786-4590

Category of Complaint	Complaint Fee
Residential 3 or fewer and farmland	\$50.00
Residential 4 or more dwellings	Variable
Assessed Value of up to \$249,999	\$200.00
Assessed Value of between \$250,000 to \$499,999	\$400.00
Assessed Value that exceeds \$500,000	\$650.00
Non-Residential	Variable
Assessed Value of up to \$249,999	\$200.00
Assessed Value of between \$250,000 to \$499,999	\$400.00
Assessed Value that exceeds \$500,000	\$650.00

Complaints with an incomplete complaint form, submitted after the deadline or without the required fee, are invalid.

A complaint against your assessed property value does not exempt you from paying taxes on time or from late payment penalties. If a complaint is successful, the adjustment (in addition to a credit of your application complaint fee) will be applied to the tax roll. If you wish to have this money refunded, refund requests must be made in writing to the Town of Mayerthorpe.

Mayerthorpe Aquatic Centre June Schedule

Mayerthorpe Aquatic Centre June Hours

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Mayerthorpe Aquatic Centre <u>July/August</u> Hours

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Swimming Pool Rates and Fees

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Season Passes	Opening to August	July and <u>August</u>
Child (3-12 years) Youth (13-17 years) Adult (18-59 years) Seniors (60+ years) Family (maximum 5)	\$100.00 \$120.00 \$155.00 \$120.00 \$260.00	\$ 80.00 \$100.00 \$135.00 \$100.00 \$230.00
Punch Cards	11 Single Admissions	21 Single Admissions
Child (3-12 years) Youth (13-17 years) Adult (18-59 years) Seniors (60+ years) Family (maximum 5)	\$ 40.00 \$ 50.00 \$ 60.00 \$ 50.00 \$190.00	\$ 75.00 \$ 95.00 \$115.00 \$ 95.00 \$375.00
<u>LESSONS</u>	Season Pass <u>Holders</u>	Non-Season Pass Holders
Preschool (10 - ½ hour lessons) Levels 1-5 (10 - ½ hour lessons) Levels 6-10 (10 - ¾ hour lessons) Bronze Cross Bronze Medallion National Lifeguard Private Lessons Adult Lessons - Learn to Swim (6 - ¾ hour lessons)	\$ 45.00 \$ 45.00 \$ 50.00 \$125.00 \$125.00 \$225.00 \$ 35.00 \$ 45.00	\$ 55.00 \$ 55.00 \$ 60.00 \$150.00 \$150.00 \$265.00 \$ 35.00 \$ 55.00
POOL RENTAL	Season Pass <u>Holders</u>	Non-Season Pass Holders
½ Hour 1 hour	\$ 45.00 \$ 90.00	\$ 50.00 \$100.00

Bylaw 1103

Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre



Contractors have started the Diamond Centre Project by strapping the building, installing insulation, and affixing new siding to the building. Funds for this project were provided by the Community Facility Enhancement Program and Pembina Pipelines Corporation.

New Trees on 53rd Street



New trees were planted along 53rd Street north of 48th Avenue. Once the ground is drier, crews will work on levelling dirt, seeding boulevards, and ditching/gravelling of the road surface.

Seniors Don't Be Scammed

In Mayerthorpe June 11th, 2019

Learn How to Protect Yourself from Scammers



Scammers target people of all ages, backgrounds and income levels. Every year, Canadians lose millions of dollars to the activities of scammers. Learn about the many types of scams and how to protect yourself.

Tuesday June 11th, 2019

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm No charge
at the Pleasant View Lodge (community centre), 4407 42A Avenue

Instructed by Lorraine Yagos If you have questions, call Carla at 780-554-2940



Phone 780-554-2940 or 780-268-2435 Email info@wlsa-adultlearning.ca www.wlsa-adultlearning.ca

Located at NorQuest College Facility 4739 50th Avenue in Whitecourt, Alberta Office Hours

Tuesday 1pm-4:30pm Wednesday 8:30am-2pm Thursday 8:30am-4:30pm Or by appointment



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CELEBRATE SENIOR'S - JUNE 2 - 8, 2019



Monday June 3 10:30am Opening Ceremonies at Elmer Elson Elementary School.

11:30am Lunch provided by Town of Mayerthorpe.
Entertainment by Elmer Elson students and local musicians.

Tuesday June 4 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm FREE Ice Cream Parlour at Auxiliary.

Everyone Welcome!!

ATB – all day FREE coffee and donuts.

West End Bus – Legislative Senior Tea and Streetcar Trip. \$20.00 The streetcar travels from Strathcona across the High Level Bridge to Jasper Ave. This trip has received Trip Advisor Certificates of Excellence. Contact Town of Mayerthorpe

for booking information. 780-786-2416.

Wednesday June 5 11:30am – 1:30pm BBQ at Co-op. All net proceeds donated to

West End Bus.

2:00pm - 4:00pm. Extendicare. FREE Ice Cream Parlour with

entertainment. Everyone Welcome!

Thursday June 6 Noon – 3:00pm – Lessard Lake Tea. Light lunch and entertainment

sponsored by the County of Lac Ste. Anne. For transportation assistance please contact the County Office at 780-785-3411.

Friday June 7 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Strawberry Tea and Lock Up at Pleasant View Lodge.

5:00pm - 7:00pm - Mayerthorpe Legion - Senior Portion Fish and Chips

Includes salads, dessert and coffee - \$10.00 includes GST

Saturday June 8 10:00am – 7:00pm - Crockett House – Senior Special

Soup, biscuit, cinnamon bun, iced tea or lemonade - \$7.



2019 Assessment and Tax Notices

In accordance with Section 310(3) and Section 311(1) of the Municipal Government Act, this notice is to advise Town of Mayerthorpe property owners (residents and business owners) that the 2019 Assessment and Tax Notices have been mailed out <u>Thursday</u>, <u>April 25</u>, <u>2019</u>. If you have not received your 2019 Assessment and Tax Notice, please contact the Town Office.

Tradeshows

Town of Mayerthorpe and Lac Ste. Anne County jointly attended the 2019 Tri-Municipal Expo at the Trans Alta Tri-Leisure Centre April 12-14. Councillors and staff promoted the region to thousands of Albertans.

The Town also had a booth at the Whitecourt Chamber of Commerce Tradeshow May 10 - 12 promoting the Town and area!



Mayerthorpe in Bloom

Planting & gardening season is upon us and we would like to take this time to thank the volunteers that form Mayerthorpe in Bloom for keeping our community flowers looking great! If you are interested in joining the group, please contact the Town for more details.

Community Services Board



Do you want to have input into community/recreation programs, services, grants and policies? If so, put your name forward along with a short description on why you want to serve on the Community Services Board by e-mailing fcss@mayerthorpe.ca today!

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Mayerthorpe Business Support Network Meeting

Join us for our next Mayerthorpe Business Support Network Meeting (BSN)!

In order to strengthen the community and provide an environment where businesses can thrive and grow, BSN is intended to be an ongoing group of business, business organizations, and government, who work within the Town and surrounding areas, to identify and address common business and human resource issues. The meetings build stronger partnerships within the business community.

Follow our Facebook page for all upcoming workshops and lunch meetings: https://www.facebook.com/mayerthorpebsn/. The next Business Support Network Steering Committee meeting is June 4, 2019 at the Lariat. The next Business Support Network Workshop is scheduled for June 27, 2019 featuring Humor in the Workplace being held in the Mayerthorpe Exhibition Centre Mezzanine. For more information contact Economic Development Officer, Ashley Olsen at the Town Office.

Healthcare Retention Committee

Do you have a keen interest in Healthcare? Are you wanting to work collaboratively to discuss ways to best attract and retain healthcare workers into our community?

Council for the Town of Mayerthorpe approved the formation of a Health Attraction and Retention Committee. The Committee is designed to work collaboratively to discuss ways to best attract and retain healthcare workers.

If you are interested in attending the next Committee meeting please email Economic Development Officer, Ashley Olsen at edo@maythorpe.ca for the next meeting date and time!

2018 Growth Award Recipient

Congratulations to the 2018 Growth Award Recipients! Fas Gas Plus, John & Sherry Duplessie, former lease operators of Fas Gas Plus, are very community-minded. They are a friendly-welcome aspect of the community and are great ambassadors of the Town. Fas Gas Plus employs 10 employees, all local, and some high school and youth. Fas Gas Plus makes donations to numerous community groups including Minor Hockey, Rodeo Club, Barrel Racing and Arena Association. Fas Gas Plus is a long-standing part of the community. They are community-focused, employ local, and support local. Fas Gas Plus has completed extensive renovations to their business.

Light Banner Advertising Opportunity

A great advertising opportunity! The Town of Mayerthorpe has created an opportunity for businesses to gain exposure to traffic utilizing the Highway 43 intersection. This is an opportunity to help promote businesses and increase visitors' interest from visitors.

If you would like more information, or to sign-up, please reach out to Ashley Olsen, Economic Development/Communications Officer at edo@mayerthorpe.ca or call the Town Office.

Mayor Janet Jabush



Mayor of Mayerthorpe. I guess that's another name to which I'll answer now. More importantly I answer to wife of Darrel, mom to Cole, Pam and TJ, mom-in-law to Tamye, Sean, and Shara and Grandma (Gran) to Felicity, Nik, Will, Hayden, Quinn, Tomasyn, Reid and Parker.

I grew up in Edmonton, but I've always been a small town girl at heart. Darrel and I have Mayerthorpe home for the past 13 years. Now, two of our kids and their families, including five of our grandkids call this town home too.

That's why I ran for council in 2017 and why I decided to run for mayor. I owe it to my family and to all the other families who live, work and play in Mayerthorpe.

I'm committed to advancing the interests of our community through sustainable economic development and advocacy with regional and provincial stakeholders. Working within our region on key initiatives in support of those interests is a focus for this council and our administration.

When I'm not busy doing "Mayor Stuff", you'll find me with my family or, in the summer, riding my motorcycle. I work from home in the safety field and I'm a mature You Tuber.

The opportunity to serve this community as its Mayor is humbling and I will always do my best to be deserving of the trust you've placed in me.

Volunteer Appreciation



Volunteer Appreciation Night at the Royal Canadian Legion was a great success with 104 volunteers attending. Keep up the great work in the community volun-



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Councillor Anna Greenwood



I am excited to be elected to Mayerthorpe Town Council. I believe Mayerthorpe is a great town and I am looking forward to collaborating with the rest of council, as we work towards making it become even better.

I was born and raised on a family farm north of Sangudo. This farm has been in operation for 100 years and is now on the fourth generation. I graduated from Sangudo High School and then attended the University of Alberta obtaining a Bachelor of Education degree.

I moved to Mayerthorpe and began teaching in 1983 and remained at Elmer Elson Elementary until my retirement in December of 2018. During that time I taught for 21 years, was assistant principal for 8 and a half years and principal for 6 years.

Over the years I have been involved in the community in many ways. I have been a member of the curling club, ladies fastball team, community slow pitch teams, ladies hockey team player and coach and I still remain a golf club member. I was a member of the Citizen's Advisory group which helped create the 25 year sustainability plan for the town. I have served on the FCSS board as well as the youth justice committee.

Mayerthorpe is my home and I want to make it the best place to live, not only for myself but every citizen. I want our community to be sustainable and grow by becoming the choice of new families and businesses.

Fall Clean Up—September 24, 2019

MARK YOUR CALENDARS—September 24, 2019

If you wish to participate in Fall Clean Up, please have your items for disposal placed next to your garbage bin. To be sure they are not missed during the initial drive around inspection, please have them out the night before. **Mark your items with surveyors tape** (any color). If your items for disposal <u>are not marked</u> with surveyors tape they will not be picked up.

Watch for further details closer to the date.
Will be advertised in the:
Mayerthorpe Freelancer
Web Page—www.mayerthorpe.ca
Facebook—My Mayerthorpe

For Information Regarding Senior's Outreach Programs, Senior's Support Services and Low Income Tax Returns Please Contact Merry Pearce at (780)786-2416 Ext. 228.

Tuesday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.

My Mayerthorpe





@mayerthorpe1

We are on the Web www.mayerthorpe.ca

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Council Meeting Dates

June 10, 2019	7 p.m.
June 17, 2019	7 p.m. P & P
June 24, 2019	7 p.m.
July 8, 2019	7 p.m.
July 15, 2019	7 p.m. P & P
July 29, 2019	7 p.m.
Aug. 12, 2019	7 p.m.
Aug. 19, 2019	7 p.m. P & P
Aug. 26, 2019	7 p.m.
Sept. 9, 2019	7 p.m.
Sept. 16, 2019	7 p.m. P & P
Sept. 23, 2019	7 p.m.

If you wish to meet with Council please have your written request to the Town Office the Thursday before the Policies and Priorities (P & P) meeting.

Important Dates

May 15, 2019	Alberta Marketplace Started Up @ Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre
June 1, 2019	
June 3, 2019	
June 4, 2019	Business Support Network Steering Committee Meeting
June 2 - 8, 2019	
June 7, 2019	Pleasant View Lodge Strawberry Tea and Lock Up
June 14-16, 2019	
June 16, 2019	
June 27, 2019	Business Support Network Workshop—Humor in the Workplace
July 1, 2019	
August 10-11, 2019	