



# MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW No. 16

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Council Meeting Highlights  
October 13, 2015

### Delegations

#### Queen Elizabeth II (QEII) Hospital Foundation Campaign

- Capital Campaign Board Member Leanne Beaupre, Executive Director Cindy Park and Senior Development Officer Dawn Miller provided a presentation to Council regarding the QEII Hospital Foundation. They are seeking fundraising agreements with area municipalities over the next 5 to 10 years to support the new Grande Prairie Regional Hospital. Once items have been purchased by the foundation, replacement and operating costs of equipment are funded by Alberta Health Services.

#### Wayne Drysdale, MLA Grande Prairie-Wapiti

- MLA Wayne Drysdale provided an update regarding activities in the Grande Prairie-Wapiti Constituency since the spring provincial election. Mr. Drysdale has been appointed Party Whip and Agriculture Critic for the Progressive Conservative Caucus. The fall session will start on October 26, 2015 followed by the provincial budget speech on October 27.

#### Valleyview Regional Multiplex

The building tender for the Valleyview Regional Multiplex will be awarded to Scott Builders pending successful negotiations to make the total cost meet the \$36 million budgeted for the project.

#### Bylaws

Bylaw 15-751 (Secure Energy) received second and third readings. The bylaw redesignates lands within E ½ 5 64 5 W6M from Crown Land (CL) District to Industrial (I) District. The facility will manage wastewater and byproducts of the oil and gas industry. Their goal is to recycle materials that are suitable for reuse and dispose of waste materials. The facility's life span will be 30 to 50 years depending on use.

Bylaw 15-752 (Klassen Brothers) to redesignate areas within SW 11 72 2 W6 from Industrial (I) District to Rural Commercial (RC) District received second and third readings. The area will expand the existing development of Trapper Gord's. The existing Klassen Brothers office building will become part of the store and the future Klassen Brothers office will be developed on the Klassen Brothers site at a later date.

#### Grants

Gary Cymbaluk will receive a \$12,000 grant matching the Northern Alberta Development Council (NADC) Bursary for his third year studying dentistry. Mr. Cymbaluk has received previous NADC matching grants from Greenview in the amount of \$24,000 for the first two years of his studies. Funds include a provision requiring a return service agreement to reside and perform dentistry in Greenview for a three year term.

The Valleyview Enhancement Society Christmas Gala on November 21, 2015 will receive a \$1,000 sponsorship from Greenview.

### **2015 Golf Tournament Report**

The 2015 Greenview Memorial Golf Tournament raised \$18,386 for the Caribou Child and Youth Centre and the Grande Prairie Red Cross Home Equipment Loan Program.

### **Geothermal Study**

Greenview will provide \$20,000 to assist with a University of Alberta study that is being done in partnership with Alberta Innovates, Energy and Environment Solutions (AI-EES) to determine whether geothermal energy production is commercially viable in targeted areas of the province. All contributions are eligible for dollar for dollar matching funds from AI-EES.

### **Fox Creek Development Site Study**

ParioPlan has been awarded the Request for Proposals for the Fox Creek Development Site Study for \$89,908.54. The study will look at potential development in the Fox Creek area to increase Greenview's permanent population and diversify the assessment base.

### **Strategic Plan**

Council will hold a strategic planning session in January 2016.

### **Dollar Lakes Aeration**

Administration will look into the feasibility of continuing the aeration Swan Lake and East Dollar Lake over the winter.

### **Photo Contest**

The deadline for our annual photo contest is November 2, 2015. Winners will receive \$100 cash award, promotion in our 2016 calendar and a framed copy of their print. Send your entries in now to [photocontest@mdgreenview.ab.ca](mailto:photocontest@mdgreenview.ab.ca)!

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