

# FROM THE 'BEAR PIT'



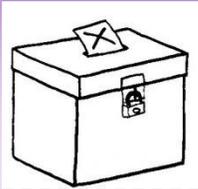
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## NORTHERN ROCKIES REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY

### Remember to Vote!

- Next **Advanced Voting Opportunity** will be held on Wednesday 16th November at Municipal Office from 8am-8pm
- **Saturday the 19th of November is General Voting Day at Municipal Office and Toad River Community Hall from 8am—8pm.**

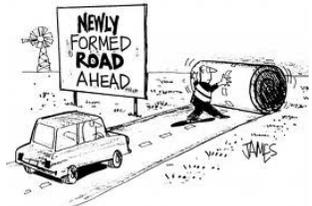


### Roads Prioritized for Rehabilitation

Regional Council has authorized Northern Rockies Engineering (NRE) to move forward with the final designs to rehabilitate 49th Street North, 44th Street, and Liard Street in order to prepare for tender of the works in 2012.

NRE prepared a report identifying roads that are in need of rehabilitation, based on a priority ranking. The report was presented to the Capital Project Committee who made a motion to recommend the top three priority roads that NRE should move forward on to final design stage. In order of priority, the following roads will be moved forward with final designs for tender for the 2012 construction season:

- 1) 49th Street North including Gairdner Crescent;
- 2) 44th Street; and
- 3) Liard Street overlay with sidewalk and ditching.



### National Aboriginal Addictions Awareness Week



Addictions are an overwhelming social problem in Fort Nelson and the province of British Columbia.

Mayor Streeper proclaimed this week, November 13-19, 2011, as National Aboriginal Addictions Awareness Week.

The purpose of National Aboriginal Addictions Awareness Week is to raise awareness in the community and by doing so, perhaps reduce the stigma that exists for those individuals who are

marginalized by addictions and increase the support for those affected.

By providing support it will enable those affected to seek treatment and resources which will allow them to live a life free from their addiction.

Each year during the 3rd week of November, NAAAW encourages people to celebrate in positive, collective healing events and support education beginning with ourselves, our families, communities

and organizations and "Living the Good Life".

For more information either visit: [www.addictionsawareness.com](http://www.addictionsawareness.com)

Or call or visit the Fort Nelson Aboriginal Friendship Society:

Phone: 250.774.2186  
or 250.774.2993

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### Also of note...

- Regional Council gave First, Second, and Third Reading on the Capital Financing Service Establishment Bylaw No.65, 2011.
- Regional Council discussed the investigation of perceived sewer issues at the School District 81 Administration building and at various locations along 50th Avenue North.
- Regional Council approved that the Emergency Rescue Truck no longer required by the Fire Department be transferred to Public Works to be utilized as a mobile equipment centre for the crew when performing large repair work to roads, sewer and water infrastructure.
- Regional Council approved a new pick up truck be purchased for the Airport Operations Manager to replace the current pick up truck that requires repairs.