

# From the Bear Pit

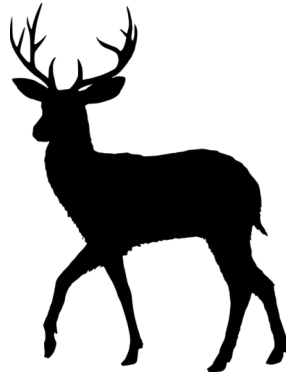
Regional Council Newsletter

April 8, 2019

## Deer Feeding Bylaw Review

At the February 25, 2019 meeting, Regional Council requested additional information regarding restrictions placed on feeding deer in other municipalities. This report provides a brief history of the growing deer concerns in the province, a review of practices in other jurisdictions and related options for Council's consideration.

Regional Council resolved that our current Garbage Disposal & Wildlife Attractants Bylaw be amended and brought back to Council for further review. [Administration Report #27/19](#)



## Memorial Dedication Policy



A draft Memorial Dedication Policy was presented to Council in order to establish procedures to follow when members of the public wish to honour or pay tribute to an individual by way of the donation of a public Memorial Dedication bench, tree or picnic table. Regional Council approved the draft policy as presented. [Administration Report #29/19](#) • [Memorial Dedication Policy](#)

## "Health Services Outside of Fort Nelson" Survey

Regional Council approved the 'Health Services Outside of Fort Nelson' survey to be distributed both online and as part of the Community Health Plan update newsletter. The survey will be available at the upcoming Chamber of Commerce Tradeshow May 4-5, 2019.



The survey was developed to better understand to what degree health services are required outside of Fort Nelson; respondents will also be able to provide their contact information should they wish to participate in future initiatives related to the [Community Health Plan](#). The information collected will support the evaluation of various initiatives aimed at improving the experience of patients requiring health services not available locally. [More information](#) • [Draft Survey](#)



**EASTER**  
**EGGSTRAVAGANZA**

Join Save On Foods & the NRRM for an Easter event with carnival games, prizes, crafts, face painting, popcorn, sno-cones, hot dogs & more!

**FREE ALL AGES EVENT**  
**NRRRC - COMMUNITY HALL**  
**APRIL 17 | 5:00 - 7:00PM**

Come see the Easter Bunny and enjoy the treasure hunt throughout the rec centre!

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## Northern Rockies

### Tourism Advisory Committee

Regional Council discussed the [proposed Tourism Advisory Committee Terms of Reference](#). Council opted for a minimum of 7 representatives, inclusive of a committee chair (Councillor Todd Penney) appointed by Council, who will be presenting a report at the Council Meeting following the Tourism Committees monthly meetings. The chair will also be responsible for selection of committee members. Minutes from these meetings will also be available on the weekly Council Information Package (CIP). [Admin Report#31/19](#)




### Poplar Hills Golf and Country Club

Regional Council approved a letter of Support request for the Poplar Hills Golf and Country Club, that is applying for a Northern Development Initiative Trust (NDIT) Community and Recreation Funding Grant. [More Information](#)

### Northern Rockies Senior Society

Regional Council approved a Letter of Support request for an NDIT Feel the Heat Project Grant. [More Information](#)

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## Also of note...

- Regional Council appointed all sitting members of Regional Council to the Parcel Tax Review Panel. [More information](#)
- Regional Council adopted [NRRM Procedure Amendment \(Recording Device\) Bylaw No. 169, 2019](#) as presented.
- Regional Council approved a Letter of Support request for RCMP Appreciation Day. [More information](#)
- Regional Council received correspondence from MLA Dan Davies regarding [Costs Associated with Necessary Medical Travel Including Maternity Services](#) and the [Northern Rocky Mountain Park Draft Management Plan](#)
- Regional Council requested further information regarding recording and broadcasting Regional Council meetings.

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