

# MUNICIPAL DISTRICT BONNYVILLE NO. 87

## COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS October 12, 2011

Keeping you informed of the services, business and development that affect YOU!

**☐#1 Public Safety Update** – Director of Public Safety Chris Garner advised they are currently in discussions with Devon representatives in replacing the Speed Display Sign which will better fit the needs of the department.

**☐#2 Funding Support** – Council approved the Willow Prairie Agricultural Society's annual Operating Grant in the amount of \$15,000. The Goodridge Social and Agricultural Society received funding in the amount of \$20,000 (\$15,000 for the annual Operating Grant and a Special Projects grant of \$5,000 to replace tables and chairs).

**☐#3 Agricultural Update** – As of October 1 the Coyote and Wolf Reduction Program has been implemented once again. This is the second year for this program.

**☐#4 Transportation and Utilities News** – The Fort Kent Street Improvement Program is wrapping up – paving will be commencing next week. The Fort Kent Storm sewer is scheduled to be completed this week. The Road Oiling Crew has completed work at Cherry Ridge Estates and will be moving next to Range Road 415. The Patching trucks have moved to Wards Two and Four for October. The Construction Crew will be completing work north of Fort Kent and will then be moving onto Range Road 483 in the subsequent week before the snow falls.

**☐#5 Planning and Development News** – Development Summary – September 2011 month end value \$4,054,700.00 year total- \$47,066,930.00 housing starts: Mobile homes 9 units – Single Family Dwellings 108 units. Bylaw #1499 to close and lease a portion of registered road under Plan 902 2371 and 902 0297 for a three year term as this portion of road is not required to maintain public access was passed.

**☐#6 Briefs, Briefs, Briefs** – The Seniors Transportation Grant will end as of December 31, 2012. Council approved a motion to amend the Library Board from seven members to five with two elected representatives and three members at large.

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