



PRESS RELEASE

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To All Residents within Mountain View County,

The Mountain View Regional Waste Management Commission is in the process of restructuring for the purpose of cutting costs. As reported earlier this year the Commission has decided not to continue the service of transporting waste. The Commission has hired a Contractor to provide this service for the facilities which the Commission will continue to operate. These facilities include the Landfill, Transfer Stations and Recycling Centres. Each Municipality has taken it upon themselves to hire a Contractor to provide this service as well. The Contractor that the Commission has hired will start their transporting service for the Commission on October 1, 2015. This will be for all of the Municipalities the Commission is currently hauling for today with the exception of the Mountain View County residents who currently use the Commission for their hauling. For these residents the Contractor will be starting their service on January 1, 2016.

While discussing options offered by the Contractor, the Commission has decided that there is not a need to process recycling material as the Contractor will be able to provide this service separately with the transportation of waste. The Commission has also looked into the cost of operating the Olds Transfer Station and has decided to close this facility effective October 1, 2015. Residents in the area will be able to continue to use the Recycling Centres in Olds for some material recycling and the Didsbury Regional Landfill for the purpose of recycling and disposing of waste.

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