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The Weekly Policy Bulletin

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Feedback

Intensive Livestock Operations Survey

The Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture has asked for SARM to reach out to our membership on the topic of Intensive Livestock Operations, for feedback from all RMs.

SARM has always supported the growth and development of the livestock sector in Saskatchewan and offers to do what we can to assist in these efforts.

Our board and members recognize the direct and indirect benefits of the livestock sector in rural areas including the creation of local job opportunities, spin-off and support businesses and resulting economic opportunities for local producers to contribute feed and provide access to land for activities like manure spreading and livestock grazing.

RMs also need livestock developers to realize their responsibility in ensuring successful development which includes open, regular communication and engagement with both RMs and the public. That includes not only promoting the industry but ensuring the needs of the local community are met by offering to help pay for required infrastructure, allowing local ratepayers and businesses to access spin-off opportunities, and agreeing to provide investment in maintenance such as dust control where applicable. We want to state how important it is for developers to engage with the RM council and ratepayers early in the site selection process; long before they make land purchases. If the developer explains their

plan, not only for development but for potential future growth, RMs can assist them in finding the best location before they purchase land.

In an effort to both support growth in the livestock sector in Saskatchewan and maintain strong local autonomy of RM's, please provide your RM's input by completing the survey below.

Deadline to submit is end of day September 24, 2021.

Results will be shared with SARM, RMAA, and Ministry of Agriculture for the purposes of gaining sector feedback on the Intensive Livestock Operations and regulations.

**Take the
Survey**

Information

Rail Safety Week September 20-26, 2021

Rail Safety Week is an important opportunity to highlight how to be safe around tracks and trains. CP Police Service will be working with the public to educate them about the dangers of unsafe behaviour around the railway. Train incidents are preventable and rail safety must be an on-going priority each and every day.



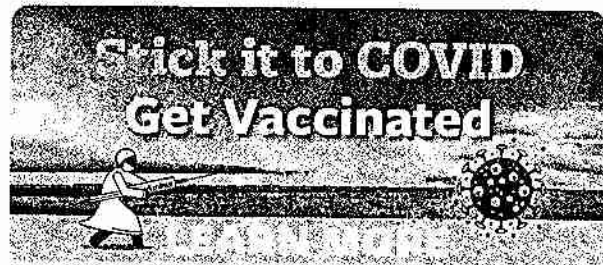
**"Together, we can build safer communities,"
said Al Sauve, Chief of CP Police Service.**

The strong commitment of municipalities continues to have a significant impact on community awareness, helping to reduce avoidable accidents, injuries and damage caused by collisions between trains and vehicles or pedestrians. Together with other communities, railways and members of the public, your support this year will go a long way towards making Canada's rail network even safer.

Learn More - Municipal Toolkit

Resources

Find current/upcoming COVID19 immunization clinics - both booked and pop-up clinics. Information is regularly updated, so check to ensure a clinic is still active before travelling.



COVID 19 Vaccine Clinics



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