



## APRIL EDITION

### PROTECTING WHAT WE LOVE

March 29, 2018



The eastern slopes should be a place for OHV users, campers, anglers, hunters, hikers and everyone in between. But in order for that to happen, activities need to be supported accordingly. Under the current framework that simply isn't possible. The draft plans released March 27, 2018 offer a path forward.

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### FISH STICKS! FAMILY PUPPET WORKSHOP

March 19, 2018

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Drop in with your family and create a puppet show to celebrate the flora and fauna in the Oldman Watershed. With guidance from professional puppeteer Wendy Passmore-Godfrey of Calgary's WP Puppet Theatre, make...

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## NEWS & EVENTS!

Farewell to Anna Garleff, Yvonne Barker and Larin Guenther. Thank you for your contributions to OWC and we wish you all the best in your future

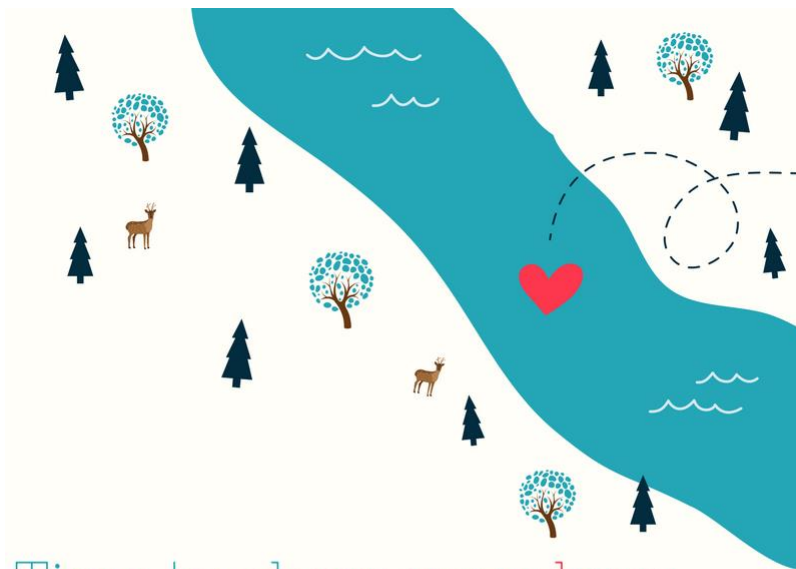


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**-->DON'T FORGET!<--  
IT'S TIME TO RENEW YOUR OWC  
MEMBERSHIP!!!**

Renew your free membership by April 30 to show your support for clean, clear water in Southwest Alberta! Showing your support helps us secure funding. It only takes 5 minutes - what are you waiting for??



Time to show your love  
for the Oldman... RENEW  
YOUR MEMBERSHIP!

DEADLINE IS APRIL 30, 2018 - RENEW NOW



**RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW!**  
**(click here)**

### **Volunteers STILL Needed: Read All a-Boat It!**

Do you own a boat near a lake in the Oldman watershed? Do you consider yourself a lake steward? The Alberta Lake Management Society (ALMS) has an exciting opportunity to help pilot the Lakekeepers Project - a new citizen science monitoring project! Stewards will be trained to sample lake water quality three times over the course of the summer.

To learn more, contact OWC Education Program Manager, Sofie Forsstrom ([sofie@oldmanwatershed.ca](mailto:sofie@oldmanwatershed.ca), 403-382-8974) or Brad Peters with ALMS ([programs@alms.ca](mailto:programs@alms.ca), 780-415-9785)



**EARTH DAY SYMPOSIUM**

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: PHILLIP  
BONNAVENTURE



# EARTH DAY SYMPOSIUM

APRIL 10TH  
2-5PM  
UHALL ATRIUM



This is a FREE EVENT! Our very own Executive Director, Shannon Frank will be presenting at 2:30p.m. For more information visit: [Earth Day Symposium](#)

## Well Water: Risky or Safe?

When: April 13, 2018

Where: Oldman Watershed Council Office @ 319 - 6th Street South

Time: 11am-12pm

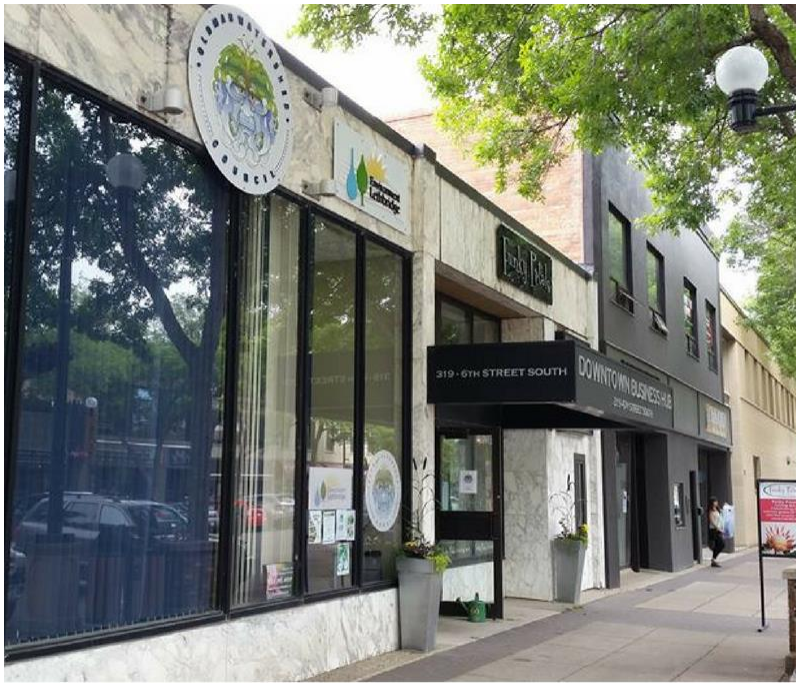
Over 400, 000 rural Albertans rely on well water for everyday use and are responsible for their own testing, treatment and well maintenance.

Perceptions of water quality influence the adoption of important well water management practices that ensure safe water.

University of Calgary PhD student, Abraham Munene, will share the results of his recent study about perceptions of well water quality in Alberta, which included surveying and interviewing well owners.

The study identified what factors are pertinent in the perception of well water quality among rural Albertans and what risk factors individuals associate with well water contamination.

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## FOR RENT!!!

We have offices for rent in our shared downtown office, on busy 6th Street South / Festival Square Lethbridge. Perfect location to attract new customers! Rent includes access to shared meeting room, kitchen and open area for events. \$350/month includes internet, furniture, taxes, everything. Flexible, month to month lease, no annual obligation. Call 403-330-1759 today or [click here](#) to view the Kijiji ad!

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SAVE THE DATE! \*Eventbrite coming soon\*

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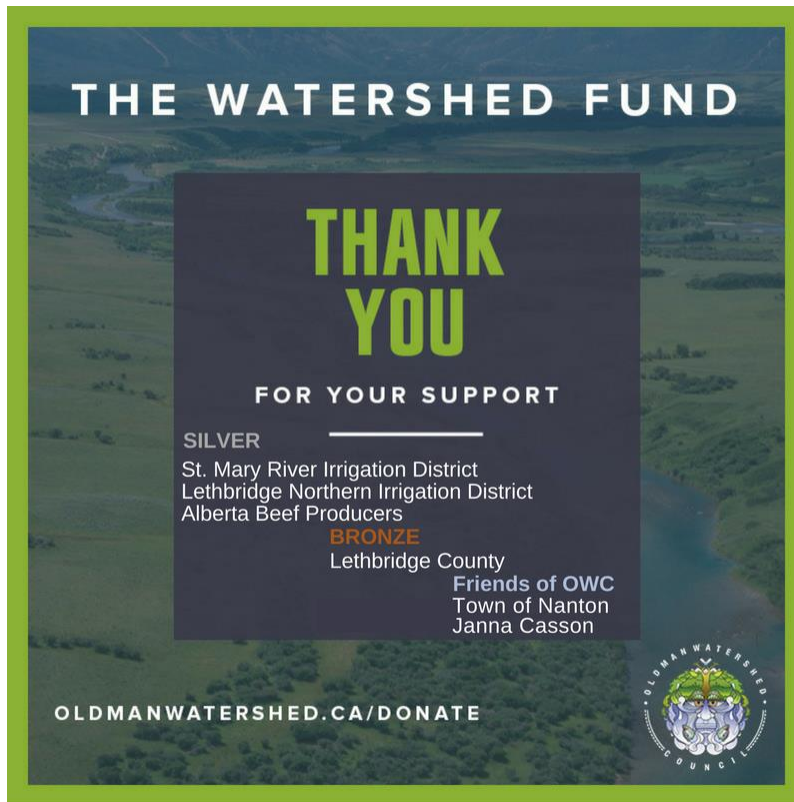
Oldman Watershed Council's

Annual General Meeting

May 29, 2018



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