



OCTOBER

- 4-10 Fire Prevention Week
- 5 Mayor's Forum
- 11 Thanksgiving Day (office closed)
- 12 Council Forum
- 18 Election Day
- 26 Organizational Meeting (7:00 p.m.)
- 31 Halloween



NOVEMBER

- 2 Council Meeting (7:00 p.m.)
- 5-11 Veteran's Week
- 11 Remembrance Day

**** Subject to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act of Alberta, Section 22(2)(a) and Section 38(z), information submitted to Town Council, including personal information, such as name, address and phone number of the writer may be disclosed to the public and the media at the public Council or Committee meeting.**

Veteran's Week	Page	2
Notice of Election	Page	3
Notice of Vote on a Bylaw/Question	Page	4
Provincial Referendum – Questions	Page	5
Virtual Candidate Forums	Page	7
Coalhurst Pathways	Page	8
Fall Leaf/Branch Collection	Page	10
55 Plus Society	Page	12

The Town News is published monthly
by the Town of Coalhurst
E-mail: main@coalhurst.ca
Check Web site www.coalhurst.ca for
details on locations for hard copy
pick up and for submitting ads

**This office will be closed on
MONDAY, OCTOBER 11th
for**



For public works emergency
call: 403-634-1627

**FIRE PREVENTION WEEK
OCTOBER 4-10**



Firefighters

Thank you to all our volunteer firefighters for
their dedicated and exemplary service
to our community.

Town of Coalhurst

VETERAN'S WEEK - NOVEMBER 5-11, 2021



REMEMBRANCE DAY – NOVEMBER 11



FORM 7RSE



**Notice of Election and Requirements
for Voter Identification**

Local Authorities Election Act
(Sections 12, 35, 46, 53)
Alberta Senate Election Act
(Sections 5, 37)
Referendum Act
(Section 7)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: TOWN OF COALHURST, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given:

A. That an Election will be held for the filling of the following offices:

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number (If Applicable)
MAYOR	1	
COUNCILLOR	4	

B. That an election will be held for the election of a Senate nominee for the purposes of the *Alberta Senate Election Act*;

C. That a vote of the electors will be held on the following referendum question(s) under the *Referendum Act*:

Should section 36(2) of the Constitution Act, 1982 – Parliament and the government of Canada's commitment to the principle of making equalization payments – be removed from the constitution?

Do you want Alberta to adopt year-round Daylight Saving Time, which is summer hours, eliminating the need to change our clocks twice a year?

Voting will take place on the 18th day of October 2021, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Voting stations will be located at:

Coalhurst Community Centre (Main Hall)
527 – 50 Avenue
Coalhurst, Alberta

An **ADVANCE VOTE** will take place on the 14th day of October, 2021 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Town of Coalhurst Administration Office, 100 - 51 Avenue, Coalhurst, Alberta.

INCAPACITATED VOTERS can make arrangements to have the Returning Officer bring a ballot box to their home on the 14th day of October, 2021 between the hours of 2:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. by calling the Town Office at 403-381-3033 no later than 4:30 p.m. on the 13th day of October, 2021.

In order to vote, you must produce identification for inspection. The identification must be one or more of Government – issued identification showing the name, address and a photo of the elector such as:

- Operator/driver's licence
- Government photo identification card

Chief Electoral Officer – approved identification showing the name and address of the elector such as:

- Bank/credit card statement or personal cheque
- Government cheque or cheque stub
- Income/property tax assessment notice
- Utility bill, e.g. telephone, gas, water

as required by section 53 of the Local Authorities Election Act.

For a complete list, please see: [Municipal elections – Overview | Alberta.ca](https://www.alberta.ca/municipal-elections-overview.aspx)

DATED at the Town of Coalhurst, in the Province of Alberta, this 22nd day of September 2021.

R.K. Hauta
Returning Officer

FORM 8



**Notice of Vote on a
Bylaw or Question**
Local Authorities Election Act
(Sections 7, 12, 35, 46, 53)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: TOWN OF COALHURST, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that a vote of the electors will be held on the following:

Question: Should the Town of Coalhurst reduce the speed on highways/roadways within the Town limits from 50 km/h to 40 km/h, unless otherwise posted, eg. playground zones?

Voting will take place on the 18th day of October, 2021, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Voting stations will be located at:

Coalhurst Community Centre (Main Hall)
527 – 50 Avenue
Coalhurst, Alberta

An **ADVANCE VOTE** will take place on the 14th day of October, 2021 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Town of Coalhurst Administration Office, 100 - 51 Avenue, Coalhurst, Alberta.

INCAPACITATED VOTERS can make arrangements to have the Returning Officer bring a ballot box to their home on the 14th day of October, 2021 between the hours of 2:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. by calling the Town Office at 403-381-3033 no later than 4:30 p.m. on the 13th day of October, 2021.

In order to vote, you must produce identification for inspection. The identification must be one or more of Government – issued identification showing the name, address and a photo of the elector such as:

- i. Operator/driver's licence
- ii. Government photo identification card

Chief Electoral Officer – approved identification showing the name and address of the elector such as:

- i. Bank/credit card statement or personal cheque
- ii. Government cheque or cheque stub
- iii. Income/property tax assessment notice
- iv. Utility bill, e.g. telephone, gas, water

as required by section 53 of the Local Authorities Election Act.

For a complete list, please see: [Municipal elections – Overview | Alberta.ca](https://www.alberta.ca/municipal-elections-overview.aspx)

DATED at the Town of Coalhurst, in the Province of Alberta, this 22nd day of September, 2021.

R.K. Hauta
Returning Officer

PROVINCIAL REFERENDUM - REFERENDUM QUESTIONS

When Albertans head to the polls for the municipal election on October 18, 2021, they'll also be able to vote on whether:

- to remove the principle of equalization payments from Canada's constitution
- Alberta should remain on Daylight Saving Time (summer hours) year-round

Results of the referendum will be made public following the vote. General information about the referendum is available on the [Elections Alberta website](#).

Equalization

Equalization gives federal funding to provinces less well-off so that all provinces can provide a similar level of services to their citizens. This funding mainly comes from federal taxes and fees.

Referendum question

Albertans will be asked the following question on the ballot:

Should section 36(2) of the Constitution Act, 1982 – Parliament and the government of Canada's commitment to the principle of making equalization payments – be removed from the constitution?

A 'yes' vote means that Albertans are calling upon the federal government and other provinces to enter into discussions on a potential amendment to the Constitution of Canada in respect of equalization.

A 'no' vote means that Albertans are not calling upon the federal government and other provinces to enter into discussions on a potential amendment to the Constitution of Canada in respect of equalization.

Next steps

If Albertans vote 'yes' to this question, the Alberta government would approach the federal government to initiate such discussions.

A 'no' vote means the Government of Alberta will not take further steps.

Daylight Saving Time

Summer hours (Daylight Saving Time) are the hours we observe in Alberta each year from the second Sunday in March until the first Sunday in November, when we revert to Standard Time.

Referendum question

Albertans will be asked the following question on the ballot:

Do you want Alberta to adopt year-round Daylight Saving Time, which is summer hours, eliminating the need to change our clocks twice a year?

Next steps

If a majority of voters in the referendum vote 'yes,' the Government of Alberta must take steps to implement the results of the referendum.

A 'no' vote means the Government of Alberta will not take further steps and Albertans will continue changing their clocks twice a year.

Regardless of the outcome of the referendum, Albertans will still change their clocks in the fall of 2021 and the spring of 2022. If Albertans vote to adopt summer hours permanently, that change would not happen before fall 2022.

More information can also be found at [Provincial referendum | Alberta.ca](https://www.alberta.ca/provincial-referendum.aspx).





VIRTUAL CANDIDATE FORUMS

Coalhurst Residents:

As you are aware we are unable to hold a live in-person forum due to current Covid restrictions, so we will be hosting two of them online.

These forums are being arranged by a group of Coalhurst resident volunteers because we feel it is important that you know the candidates for whom you will be voting.

Coalhurst Mayor's Forum

Time: Oct 5, 2021 7-8:30 PM

Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84785963765>

Meeting ID: 847 8596 3765

Phone-in Option: 1 587 328 1099

Coalhurst Council Forum

Time: Oct 12, 2021 6:30-8:30 PM

Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86059819632>

Meeting ID: 860 5981 9632

Phone-in Option: 1 587 328 1099

To submit questions ahead of time email:

coalhurstforums21@gmail.com

guidelines for questions

Please be clear, concise, and respectful.

Indicate if your question is to be addressed to a specific candidate, or open to the panel.

Indicate if it is for the Mayor or Councillor forum.

For those of you without access to the internet, perhaps ask a friend or neighbour if you can join them for the meetings. There will be a recording of the forum available for a limited time on social media platforms such as Youtube and Facebook.





575 Wt Hill Blvd S
Lethbridge, AB T1J 1Y6
p. 403.381-4947
F. 403.381-4937
<https://www.srcltd.ca/>

September 22, 2021

RE: Town of Coalhurst Pathway Phase I & II

Dear Residents,

The Town of Coalhurst has awarded the contract to Silver Ridge Construction (1999) Ltd. to include a new asphalt pathway work at all of the following locations within the Town of Coalhurst. Please find the attachment of the work.

The work on Phase I and Phase II has commenced on Monday, September 20, 2021, with a proposed completion of October 29, 2021, depending on weather conditions. We will begin from 7:00 am to 9:00 pm on weekdays but will accommodate local pedestrian traffic after hours to enter their properties.

We understand that this may be a short-term inconvenience, and we hope to work together with you professionally and amicably for the long-term improvement of your neighbourhood.

You will begin to see line locates done on your streets, and staff will be placing signage in the work zone areas soon.

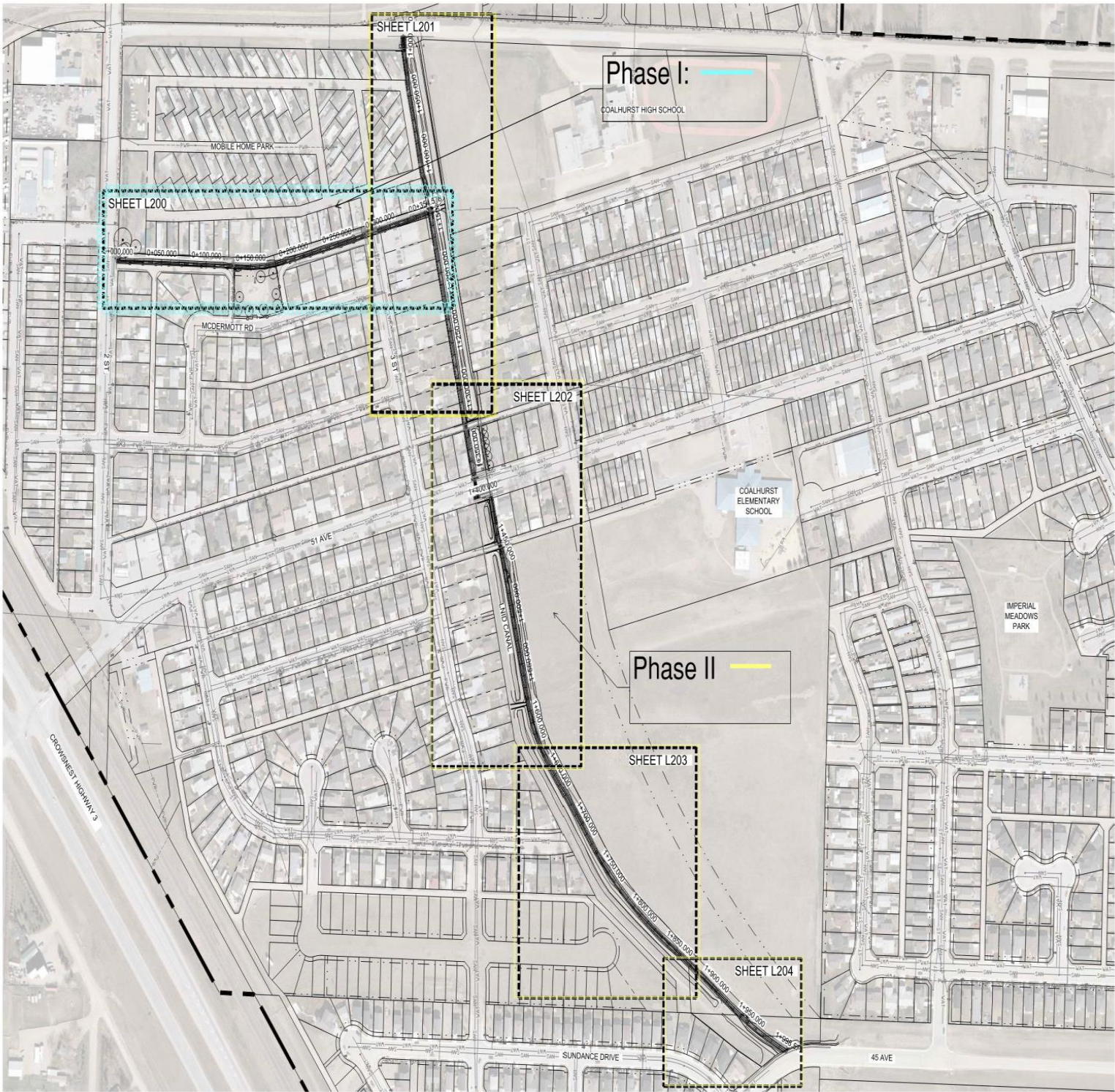
If you have any questions regarding this notice or the roadway improvements, please get in touch with Silver Ridge Construction at the above address or the Project Manager at (403)-795-1503. Thank you for your patience and cooperation during this project.

Sincerely,

Aaron Benson  Digitally signed by
Aaron Benson

Project Manager, Silver Ridge Construction

Figure 1: Represents the work taking place for the new pathway.



FALL LEAF AND BRANCH COLLECTION



The Town of Coalhurst will be offering a leaf, yard waste and branch collection for the fall of 2021 on **October 18th** and **November 15th**.

Leaves and compostable yard waste such as plants and flowers must be **in disposable brown paper bags** available at the Town of Coalhurst office (Maximum 5 per household) or for purchase at various retailers. If leaves are in any other type of bag or container, they will not be picked up.

Branches must be cut to a maximum length of 6 ft. Please tie smaller branches in manageable bundles with string or twine.

Bags and branches can be placed neatly along the fence in your rear lane. If you do not have a rear lane, they can be placed at the front of your property **no earlier than 1 week before** the collection date. Please do not block rear lanes or sidewalks. The bags and branches must be out **by 7:30 am on October 18th & November 15th** and there will be **no callbacks** for pick-up.

*Kevin Lewis
Director of Operations*

TOWN OF COALHURST APPOINTMENTS TO COMMITTEES/BOARDS

The Council of the Town of Coalhurst invites applications from residents, and surrounding district individuals, interested in sitting on the following Committees/Boards:

- 1) Municipal Subdivision & Development Authority – **1 member-at-large**
- 2) Chinook Intermunicipal Subdivision & Development Appeal Board – **2 members-at-large**
- 3) Director of Emergency Management
- 4) Deputy Director of Emergency Management
- 5) Disaster Social Services/Transportation Services Coordinator for the Municipal Emergency Management Agency
- 6) Emergency Advisory Committee – **3 members-at-large**
- 7) Recreation and Culture Committee – **5 members-at-large**

Please submit your application, in writing, to Town of Coalhurst, by October 8, 2021, via one of the below listed methods:

Mail to: Box 456

Coalhurst, Alberta T0L 0V0

Fax: 403-381-2924

e-mail: main@coalhurst.ca

or, drop it off at the Town Office: 100 – 51 Avenue





WEEK SPECIALS OCTOBER

5-9: PUMPKIN PIE REG. \$ 9.95 SALE \$8.95
 (+ WHIPPING CREAM \$ 9.95)
12-16: 6 SQUARES REG. \$ 8.10 SALE \$ 6.95
19-23: 6 PEPPERONI SNACKS REG. \$ 16.50
SALE \$ 14.50
26-30: FROZEN CAKE REG. \$9.95 SALE \$ 8.95

Tuesday – Friday 8am-6pm
Saturday 8am-4pm
514 51 Ave, Coalhurst,
403 394 7676 cell: 403 795 3202
email: kooymanbakery@gmail.com



DOG GROOMING AND TRAINING

All Breed Dog Grooming – Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays

Special care given to your family member:

- dogs are not crated, hand dried, short grooming time, provided with play opportunities

Training: Class and Private Training in Puppy, Obedience, Agility,

Located just across the highway from Coalhurst beside Noble Diesel

403-393-1269 OR 403-381-6890

Perfectpooches.com

Follow us on Facebook

*Bring this coupon and get \$10 off
of your first grooming
appointment.*

ELECTION 2021

VOTE



Reiki

Julie Anhorn
Reiki Practitioner
Animal Communicator



Sessions Now Available for Animals & Humans!

Reiki is a Japanese technique that can
assist the body to
reduce stress,
which allows for relaxation & restoration
of the
body, mind & spirit



509 - 52 Avenue, Coalhurst, AB
julieanhorn.reiki@shaw.ca 403-892-4584

COALHURST 55 PLUS SOCIETY

WE ARE OPEN WITH RESTRICTIONS

We sponsor ongoing programs that anyone in the community is welcome to join in:

Currently we are gathering on Wednesday and/or Friday mornings (10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) and Wednesday evenings (7:00 p.m.) for friendship and laughter! On Wednesday mornings we have coffee and visit, and some of us like to exercise too! In the evening we meet for more fun and games and some special events. On Fridays, most of us play Crib, same hours as Wednesday, but some come just for coffee and a chit chat. We also have computers, and shuffleboard available.

We are hoping to expand these hours and activities. We are always happy to have new members join our friendly group.

We are located at 5205 6 street, lower, rear entrance of the Coalhurst Legion. Visitors and new members are welcome to come and check it out. Some minimal fees may apply. For more information call Chris Bice at 587-425-2617 or e-mail chrisbice@shaw.ca.



Happy Thanksgiving!
To You And Your Family