



July 27, 2021

Calgary Metropolitan Regional Board  
Suite 305, 602 - 11 Ave SW  
Calgary, AB T2R 1J8

RE: Rocky View County & Wheatland County Intermunicipal Development Plan IREF Review

Wheatland County is requesting Calgary Metropolitan Regional Board (CMRB) approval of the Rocky View County and Wheatland County Intermunicipal Development Plan (IDP), in accordance with the Interim Regional Evaluation Framework (IREF) and Ministerial Order MSL:091/18.

The purpose of the IDP is to foster a collaborative planning approach for lands along the common border between the two municipalities. Staff at Wheatland County and Rocky View County collaborated throughout the process of preparing the document. In order to determine key considerations for inclusion in the plan, engagement of area Councillors and landowners from both municipalities was conducted. Councillors were engaged through the Intermunicipal Committee (IMC), which consists of two Councillors from each municipality, the CAOs or designates, and Administrative staff. McElhanney was engaged by Wheatland County to assist with various aspects of the IDP process.

Wheatland County's Council granted first reading to the IDP on April 20th, 2021. A public hearing was held on May 18, 2021, where Council granted second reading. Third reading will be considered pending Calgary Metropolitan Regional Board approval of the IDP in accordance with the Interim Growth Plan.

Wheatland County appreciates the work done by our counterparts at Rocky View County in preparing the Interim Regional Evaluation Framework (IREF) submission package, and supports the application as presented. Should any further information be required, please contact the undersigned at your convenience.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stefan Kunz".

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