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Whereas Maureen Hodgins, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 2, is the only candidate: and Whereas Elmer Palmer, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 4,

is the only candidate; and Whereas Tim Amundson, nominated for the Office of Councillor for Division No. 6,

is the only candidate; and Whereas Linda Brown, nominated for the Office of Councillor for Division No. 8,

is the only candidate; and Whereas Dave Reynolds, nominated for the Office of Councillor for Division No. 10, is the only candidate,

I hereby give notice that **no** voting for the office of Councillors for Divisions 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 will take place on October 24th, 2018.

Dated this 21th day of September, 2018

Tracey Schacher Returning Officer

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NOTICE OF CALL FOR FURTHER NOMINATIONS

[Section 78 of the Act]

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF RENO No. 51

Public notice is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office of:

COUNCILLOR FOR DIVISION NO. 5

The returning officer or nomination officer will receive nominations of candidates for the above office during normal office hours from September 21, 2018 until 4:00 p.m. October 3, 2018 at the Rural Municipality of Reno #51 office, 306 Centre Street, Consul, SK.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the municipal office.

Dated this 21st day of September, 2018.

Tracey Schacher Returning Officer PAGE 2 THE RENO READER

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coming events

Everyone is welcome to the Reno Multiple 4-H Club Re-organizational/
Registration Meeting on Monday, October 1st at 5:15 p.m. at Consul School.
Supper supplied. Beef, Woodworking, Trapping and Ranch Horse projects offered for sure. Many other projects to choose from if we have leaders for those projects! Check out the Saskatchewan 4-H website at www.4-h.sk.ca. If you aren't a current member in our club, please let Heidi Beierbach know of your interest in joining before the meeting. For more info, please contact Heidi Beierbach at 306-299-2058.

The **Southwest Community Club** invites you to their **Annual Bingo and Bake Auction** on **Friday October 19, 2018** in the Govenlock Hall. The doors will open at 7 p.m. Bingo starts at 7:30 p.m. There will be a draw for the quilt that is on display at the Credit Union. Hope to see you there.

Mark Your Calendars - **Consul's Annual Craft, Gift + Trade Show** is **Wednesday, October 24th**, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Consul Community Hall. We are SOLD OUT and have many exciting vendors coming. Please come out for a browse and to support our many home-based businesses.

Consul Hall Fundraiser Night—Saturday, October 27, 2018 featuring LISA MOEN WITH GARTH HOWELL AND FULL THROTTLE! At the Consul Skating Rink. Cocktails @ 5 p.m. Beef Supper @ 6 p.m. Local Pickers and Grinners @ 7:30 p.m. Lisa Moen band @ 9 p.m. Supper and Show \$60 (advance tix only available until Friday, October 19. Reserved tables upon request). Just Show \$40 (available in advance or at the door). For tickets call Debra 306-299-7741 or 306-299-4911. Sorry NO minors. See Lisa and the band at www.lisamoen.com.



notices

The Village of Consul would like to remind everyone that the landfill is closed, and we are asking that whoever keeps leaving bags of garbage at the gate to please stop. If the person responsible is caught they may be subject to a fine.

We would like to wish Bob & Nancy-Jean Taylor all the best as they make the move to Saskatoon. One way to do that is by adding your name to a list that has been placed in the Consul Co-op for the next few weeks.

The RM of Reno No. 51 has lifted the fire ban. We remind the public to burn with caution.

Come for Turkey Dinner at Manley Bakery - Friday, October 5th. Starting at 5:30. Soup or Salad, Turkey Plate, and Dessert. \$16.95.

consul skating rink

The Consul Skating Rink will be having their Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, October 10th @ 7:30 p.m. at the rink.

We are in need of individuals to fill the following positions:

- 1) a minimum of 2 directors to join the board
- 2) individual(s) to do the booth ordering/organizing for the 2018-2019 season For more information on any of the above positions please contact one of the board members or Heather Fisher 306-299-7717.

The Consul Skating Rink is now accepting **APPLICATIONS** for the positions of:

- 1) Ice Maintenance Person
- 2) Rink Caretaker

Please submit your application for either of the above positions, with salary expected, to the Consul Skating Rink, Box 2, Consul, SK SON OPO. Applications must be received before 7:30 p.m. on October 10, 2018. If you have any questions or would like to see a job description please contact Heather Fisher 306-299-7717.

MLA REPORT

Greetings, Consul and surrounding communities:

As the season of Thanksgiving approaches it is a time for us to consider some of the things we're most thankful for. We often think about our family, our friends and our quality of life.

In this part of the world, particularly at this time of the year, we are thankful for the producers who keep our economy strong by feeding a growing global population. We are thankful for a resilient and diversified economy and for confidence of those who, in spite of challenges in the resource sector, continue to invest in our province.

Wishing everyone a safe and plentiful harvest.

Heartfelt "Thank You" to all the local volunteer firefighters and emergency staff, their families and supporters. The firefighters and emergency staff voluntarily commit to making every effort within their scope of training and ability to assist residents and communities in our most vulnerable time of need.

Happy Thanksgiving. Hope you enjoy your time with family and friends.

Doug Steele, MLA Cypress Hills Constituency 1-844-672-1755



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The next Reno Reader deadline is October 8th at noon.

thank you

Thank you to everyone who attended my bridal shower and to those who sent gifts and well wishes from afar. A huge thank you to all my hostesses for all their hard work planning a wonderful afternoon. Coy and I are truly overwhelmed by all the generosity and support we received from our small community. Rather than sending out shower thank you cards, a donation will be made to the Consul Community Hall. We look forward to seeing everyone at our wedding celebration on October 6 at Consul Community Hall; doors open at 7p.m. ~ Jaide Sanderson



Todd and Debra Sanderson are proud to announce the Graduation of their daughter,

JAIDE SANDERSON,

who completed a Bachelor of Nursing Degree from the University of Calgary. Jaide also successfully wrote and passed her NCLEX exam to become a Registered Nurse and is currently working at the Medicine Hat Regional Hospital.

All your hard work and determination paid off and we are so proud of you!!

Congratulations!!

Love Dad, Mom, & Kayla

NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS:

The RM of Reno No. 51 Council would like to notify our ratepayers as to why they felt it was necessary to increase the mill rate factor, resulting in a slight increase of taxes. This year's assessment showed a \$2.9 million loss in our assessment. This loss is felt on the commercial side and is due to well shut-ins, loss of compressor stations and batteries. There has been a steady decline on the commercial side with a \$21.9 million loss in assessment since 2011.

In order to make up this loss, Council has increased the following:

2017 Mill Rate – 11.0 Mill Rate Factor Commercial – 2.5 Ag - 0.25 Residential – 0.25 2018
Mill Rate – 11.0
Mill Rate Factor
Commercial – 2.50
Ag – 0.31
Residential – 0.31

Council feels this is a fair strategy to compensate for the loss. The increase across Ag and Residential will make up the loss and we will be raising the same total tax dollars as last years budget. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the municipal office.

Sincerely, Tracey Schacher Acting Administrator



Discover the best way to protect your team and put out a wildland fire.

Get trained and prepare for the big one

with a weekend wildland firefighting course tailored for Southern Saskatchewan.

In this course you will learn:

- How wildland fire behaves in different conditions
- Strategies for attacking the flames
- How to calculate rate of spread in high wind
- Key principles of fireline safety
- L.A.C.E.S.- The word that can save your life
- How to use Incident Command Structure in a wildland fire
- Options of equipment to use
- Communication strategies
- How to stay out of The Deadman Zone, and more...



Wildland fires are getting bigger. We have had drier conditions and higher winds that are possibly due to climate change. As a result, emergency crews have been overwhelmed by the sheer velocity and scope of oncoming fires. We have been blindsided, and entire towns and cities have experienced burn-over.

When that big fire happens, volunteer firefighters must respond at a higher level. It is like being called up suddenly from the minor leagues to a Stanley Cup game.

They need to coordinate well with Incident Command. They must anticipate the dangers. They must maneuver knowing where the fire might go. And they must maintain situational awareness. Sadly, we still see fatalities. Our modern trucks and clothing give a false sense of invincibility. We go in where we would have stood at a safe distance in the past. Yet even the smaller fires can turn deadly. Any veteran can tell stories of how a fire turned into a near miss in a heartbeat. This puts volunteer firefighters and property in jeopardy.

So to help your team get ready for the big game, we are offering a weekend training course on wildland firefighting. The course is designed by the Saskatchewan Department of Wildfire Management and is the identical course at the popular SVFFA Schools (Saskatchewan Volunteer Firefighters Association).

Instructor

The course is taught by Dr. Scott Francis. Scott is a veteran firefighter who has seen action with Eston FD, Swift Current City FD, and White City FD.

Scott is a husband and father of two teens. His day job is a leadership development specialist. He is an author, speaker, and one-on-one executive coach for companies throughout Saskatchewan. www.leader.fm (podcast)

Course Details: Open to anyone in the RM of Reno 51 but especially people who will, want to, or do fight grass fires.

Anyone who fights grass fires should not miss this training.

Training means: The life you might save will most likely be your own!

Location: Consul Community Hall

Dates: Dec. 7-8-9 Friday 6:00-9:00pm (Refreshments and lunch

Saturday 9:00-6:00pm provided)

Sunday 9:00-Noon

Please RSVP and enroll with David Zilkie (306) 661-0388

Free of charge but I need to know who and how many are coming.

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