

MLA <u>REPORT</u>

Greetings Consul and surrounding communities;

Saskatchewan's population has grown for more than 49 consecutive quarters with newcomers to Saskatchewan adding to the strength of our province through their contributions to our communities and our growing provincial economy.

The province's growing technology sector will receive an additional boost through Innovation Saskatchewan's new tax incentive program. The Saskatchewan Technology Startup Incentive is a non-refundable 45 per cent tax credit for individual, corporate, or venture capital corporations investing in eligible startup businesses on a first-come-first-serve-basis.

This pilot program is designed to encourage investment in early-stage technology startups. Technology startups within the program will not only bring new products and services to market, but they will also create jobs within Saskatchewan.

The technology sector is flourishing here, and our government is committed to helping entrepreneurs and startup companies thrive. This is an excellent way to attract investment to this growing sector and Innovation Saskatchewan is excited to see the investor interest and economic growth that will be generated.

Applications to the program are now being accepted. Technology startups and interested investors can find program information and apply online at <u>www.innovationsask.ca/technology/stsi</u>.

The Government of Saskatchewan is also accepting applications for the Saskatchewan Value-Added Agriculture Incentive. Aimed at improving investment attraction and retention outcomes in the value-added agriculture sector, this incentive offers a non-refundable, non-transferable 15 per cent tax credit on capital costs for newly-constructed or expanded value-added agriculture facilities.

There is an increasing global demand for food, fertilizer and fuel, and Saskatchewan is well-positioned to be a global export leader in those sectors. This initiative supports rural growth, provides outlets for locally-produced crops, and creates more opportunities to attract entrepreneurial talent and foreign investment.

To learn more and apply, visit <u>www.saskatchewan.ca/Business/Investment-and-Economic-Development/Business-Incentives-and-Tax-Credits/</u>Saskatchewan-Value-Added-Agriculture-Incentive.

I would also like to acknowledge the important work of Fire Prevention week. This year's theme is, "Look. Listen. Learn. Be Aware. Fire can happen anywhere."

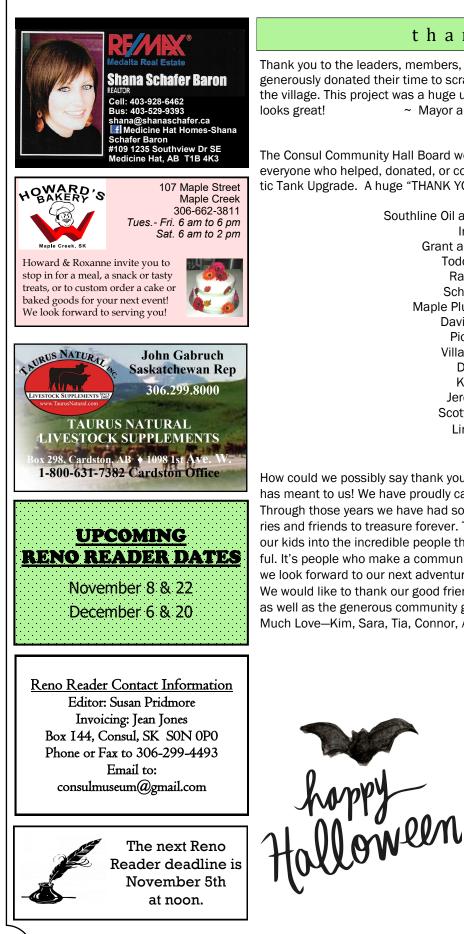
I encourage everyone to look where fires are most likely to occur, learn how to reduce the fire risk, and to be aware so that if there is a fire, you know how to best protect yourself and your family.

To learn more about Fire Prevention Week, smoke alarms and how working smoke alarms help save lives, visit <u>www.firepreventionweek.org</u>.

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



Totally online at www.consulmuseum.ca EXPLORE YOUR HISTORY!



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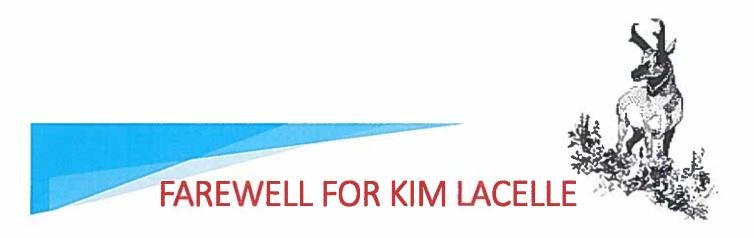
Thank you to the leaders, members, and parents of Reno Multiple 4-H club who generously donated their time to scrape and paint the water treatment plant in the village. This project was a huge undertaking and the water treatment plant looks great! ~ Mayor and Councillors

The Consul Community Hall Board would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped, donated, or contributed in any way to the Consul Hall Septic Tank Upgrade. A huge "THANK YOU" to:

Southline Oil and Gas-Larry McMillan Ira Blakley Grant and Peggy Brown Todd Sanderson Randy Genert Schafer Electric Maple Plumbing & Heating Davis Excavating Pioneer Coop Village of Consul Dave Zilkie Kevin Tittle Jeremy Genert Scotty Amundson Linda Seifert

How could we possibly say thank you and truly express all that this community has meant to us! We have proudly called Consul home for over 14 years. Through those years we have had some great experiences, loads of fun, memories and friends to treasure forever. This amazing community has helped shape our kids into the incredible people they are and for that we will be forever thankful. It's people who make a community great and this little village is busting. As we look forward to our next adventure, our Consul roots run thick in our hearts. We would like to thank our good friends for throwing us a "see you later" party, as well as the generous community gift collected at the Co-op. Much Love—Kim, Sara, Tia, Connor, Akosha, Claire & Verix





Please join us, Friday, November 2, 2018, for a come and go visit with cake and refreshments, in appreciation for Kim Lacelle's 14 years as the Administrator of the RM of Reno. The celebration will be from 2:00pm to 4:00pm at the RM of Reno Office.

All ratepayers and community members are welcome!!!

The R.M. of Reno No. 51 is now accepting tenders for 2, used, 14 volt Lincoln Grease Guns, no batteries included. Tenders to be received by 4:00 p.m., November 6, 2018. For more information please contact the office.

The RM reserves the right to reject any or all tenders. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

Please send tenders to:

RM of Reno No. 51

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