



Date: June 11th, 2021

The following report is for your information. If you have questions, concerns, compliments please direct them to the Executive Board representative for your zone. Contact information is found on page two of this report.

BOARD

- Next Executive committee meeting July 9, 2021 (10:00am)
- Next general board meeting August 27, 2021 (10:00am)
- I met with Vicky (Chair) and Warren (Vice-Chair) this afternoon to discuss an upcoming meeting with the Public Library Services Branch on the Libraries Act.
- Vicky and I have been invited to meet with the Gibbons council in late July.

OPERATIONS

- I met with the TRAC directors this week. We included the director of Parkland Regional Library System and have hammered out a deal to share our e-book content with one another. This will increase the number of materials available to our patrons and reduce hold queues. The best part – it costs us nothing!

Current Overdrive electronic book/audiobook content in TRAC:

Current holds – 36,586 holds on 5596 titles

eAudio holds – 13,397 holds on 2031 titles

eBook holds – 23,189 holds on 3565 titles

Holdings – 47,143 titles in our holdings

- 38,182 are eBooks
- 8,961 are eAudio
- Parkland is set to invest significant money into its new Overdrive collection and we will see thousands of new items available in our collection as a result. This follows a pattern of sharing with Parkland. Like our Cloud Linking agreement with Parkland our libraries will be unable to see items from their collections that already have holds and vice-versa.
- We are forming a system level Overdrive collection development team to help coordinate purchases to avoid too much duplication.

LIBRARIES

- Libraries are moving to Phase 2 and are in the midst of reopening.
- The 24 hour quarantine requirement for library materials has been lifted by Alberta Health.

I will be travelling back to Canada from Utah mid next week. This will make me unavailable from Wednesday June 16 to Friday June 18. It is a long drive in a moving truck.

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 S.V. of Island Lake South
 S.V. of Mewatha Beach
 S.V. of West Baptiste
 S.V. of Whispering Hills
 Smoky Lake County
 Thorhild County
 Town of Athabasca
 Town of Smoky Lake
 Village of Boyle
 Village of Vilna
 Village of Waskatenau

Zone 2

City of Cold Lake
 County of St. Paul
 County of Two Hills
 Lac La Biche County
 M.D. of Bonnyville
 S.V. of Pelican Narrows
 Town of Bonnyville
 Town of Elk Point
 Town of St. Paul
 Town of Two Hills
 Village of Myrnam

Zone 3

Beaver County
 Lamont County
 Sturgeon County
 Town of Bon Accord
 Town of Bruderheim
 Town of Gibbons
 Town of Lamont
 Town of Morinville
 Town of Mundare
 Town of Redwater
 Town of Tofield
 Town of Viking
 Village of Andrew
 Village of Holden
 Village of Ryley

Zone 4

County of Minburn
 County of Vermilion River
 M.D. of Wainwright
 Town of Vegreville
 Town of Vermilion
 Town of Wainwright
 Village of Chauvin
 Village of Edgerton
 Village of Innisfree
 Village of Irma
 Village of Kitscoty
 Village of Mannville
 Village of Marwayne
 Village of Paradise Valley