



Date: July 9th, 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 general board meeting August 27, 2021 (10:00am)
- The Executive Committee met today.
- Thank you to Warren Griffin for his 7 years of service on the board. He has resigned his position and Vice Chairship.
- Vicky and I visited the Mundare municipal council this week and presented on our services. We also presented a plaque in recognition of the 25th anniversary of their library.
- We have upcoming meetings with Gibbons, Island Lake, and Mewatha Beach.
- Congratulations to Debra McQuinn on election to Treasurer and Cyndy Heslin to election as Vice Chair on the Executive Committee
- [Draft Minutes](#) of the May 27, 2021 general board meeting is available

OPERATIONS

- Our cellular boosters and antenna have been installed at headquarters. We now have excellent service in the building. We will communicate about our transition plans off the desk phones in the coming weeks and months.
- Tim Kuelker our new manager of Technology Services and Infrastructure joins us on August 3rd.

LIBRARIES

- Fishing Lake Métis Settlement made a motion in council to join our system. We are drafting letters to the province and working with them to establish membership and services.
- Our upgrade to Polaris version 7 went off fairly well Tuesday – there have been a few hiccups for some libraries but we are working through those. Version 7 makes all of the functionality of the system available in the web-based version of the ILS. This report is too short to get into why that is a big deal. Trust me, it is.
- Our Summer Reading Program is in full swing. Check out the many programs being offered by visiting your library website. Drop in on Trivia nights, play an online group game, enjoy a reading of Twilight by the local Bonnyville Pontiacs hockey team, and much more! Big kudos to our member library services team and our amazing libraries.

I am reading the Foundation series by Isaac Asimov on loan from Smoky Lake. Apple TV is slated to come out with a TV series based on the books in the fall. This is essential Sci Fi reading I am told.

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Zones

Zone 1

Athabasca County
 S.V. of Bondiss
 S.V. of Sunset Beach
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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