Waste Transfer Site and Recycling Depot Relocation
Airdrie Waste Management Inc. receives transfer site contract

EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2019
The Transfer Site & Recycling facility located at 1109 LAUT AVENUE is being RELOCATED TO 12 LAUT CRESCENT

AIRDRIE WASTE MANAGEMENT INC. (AWM) will now operate the waste transfer and recycling facility at 12 Laut Crescent, Crossfield. This new site is privately owned and operated by AWM.

FEES for use of the transfer site will remain the same as they are currently:
- All AWM Transfer site users will pay a $2.00 per bag to a maximum of five (5) bags and thereafter $16.00 for a ½ ton truck load or $31.00 for over a ½ ton truck load.

NOTE: Effective May 1, 2019
The transfer Station will no longer be accepting cash – debit or credit cards only.

The hours of operation are:

WASTE TRANSFER
** Times subject to change **

SUMMER HOURS
(May 1 - September 30)
Wednesday 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Thursday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

WINTER HOURS
(October 1 - April 30)
Wednesday 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Thursday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

RECYCLING – Open 6 days a week – CLOSED on Sundays

Accepted materials:
- Household waste
- Cardboard
- Newspaper
- Mixed paper
- Metal
- Clear glass (no ceramics, light bulbs, mirrors)
- Automotive batteries
- Electronic waste (Alberta’s Electronic Recycling Program)
- Appliances (fridges, freezers and water coolers, $28 charge for Freon removal)
- Grass and leaves (seasonal)
  - Christmas trees (seasonal)
  - Branches-less than 6 in. diameter (no stumps, these would be garbage)
- Cell phones
- Paint cans, aerosol can
- Styrofoam
- All recycling plastic materials #1-7
- Food waste

If you require additional information – please contact the Town Office at 403-946-5565 or AWM Inc. at 403-945-1492

CURBSIDE RECYCLING
*PICK UP SCHEDULE CHANGE*
The Town of Crossfield is pleased to announce BluPlanet as our new service provider for Recycling collection and hauling effective for May 1, 2019.

Please be aware that the curbside recycling will change to THURSDAYS beginning May 2, 2019.

There will still be regular service pick up on Tuesday April 30

Cart Placement will remain the same:  
⇒ Point lid arrows towards center of street or lane,  
⇒ Cart must have at least 3 ft clearance around the cart and 10 ft above the cart,  
⇒ Place cart on even ground,  
⇒ Have carts placed out the night before & moved back onto your property by 10 pm the same day,  
⇒ Bundle plastic bags together in a single bag and tie closed before recycling. For the rest of your recyclables, put them loose in your bin,  
⇒ Extra bags are not accepted – all recyclables must be in the cart.
Joint Public Open House

Transportation Master Plan (TMP) and Wastewater Reuse Planning Public Open House

April 1 2019, 6pm to 8pm (come-and-go format)
Town Office (1005 Ross Street)

The Town of Crossfield is updating its Transportation Master Plan (TMP) to guide the long-term (20 year) transportation vision for the Town. The TMP will provide a framework for Council and Administration to assess the capability of the road network, to accommodate new development and is useful in short- and long-term planning and budgeting.

The Town is also exploring the use of an innovative technology to develop a local water treatment system. Implementing this system could potentially eliminate the need for building a sanitary/sewer line to Airdrie into the long-term.

Join us at the Public Open House to:
Share your thoughts on existing transportation issues and opportunities related to safety, pedestrian/cyclist connectivity, congestion and the road network
Learn more about the water treatment technology the Town is exploring
Discuss your concerns and questions with Town staff and project team members from both ISL Engineering and Swirltex

We hope to see you on April 1, 2019, 6 to 8pm at the Town Office (1005 Ross Street). Light refreshments will be provided.
If you are unable to attend the open house in person, you can also provide your feedback on the TMP online from March 25 to April 5. Visit www.crossfieldalberta.com/ to learn more.

Crossfield Development News

If you are considering making renovations to your home, a garage construction, new furnace, or gas line for your barbecue, etc., please visit our website for information, permit forms and fee schedules. As always town staff are happy to assist you should you have any questions.

Development Permits – when do I need one and what are they for?

A Development permit is written approval from the Town to say that your plan is in accordace with the Town of Crossfield Land Use Bylaw and applicable policies. Development Permits ensure that the use, size and location of structures or buildings on a site are appropriate based on the Town’s and applicable agency’s regulation (i.e. Health Authority, Fire Department, etc.).
Further, with new development in various neighborhoods, the Town is working closely with Developers to ensure that all the new construction is respectful and has the least amount of impact to neighboring properties. Should concerns arise we encourage residents to contact the Town office at 403-946-5565 so that Administration can follow-up with Developers.

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| Maintenance repair or alteration on a structure, both internal and external | No – unless:
  • The work requires structural alterations
  • The work does not change the use or intensity of the use of the structure
  • The cost of the work (excluding labour) does not exceed $1,000.00 |

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Limitless 2019
Bringing women in the Crossfield and area together

We are very excited to invite all Crossfield area women to join us for our third Women’s Conference on May 29. Limitless is this year’s theme and we are ready with a new venue that will allow us more room and greater opportunities to connect and celebrate. Organized by the Crossfield and District Chamber of Commerce and sponsored in part by the Town of Crossfield. Visit the event website for up to date information including guest speakers and workshops: ruralwomeninbusiness.ca

Join as a Member Today!
MEMBERSHIP IS ONLY $1.00
Come see what we are all about! Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Crossfield Community Centre. Come be part of the growth!
www.crossfieldsociety.com

Rotary Alberta Youth Entrepreneurship Camp
(August 11 – 17, 2019)
Application Deadline: May 31, 2019
Send your 13 to 15 year old business-minded kid to camp this summer. An action packed week of adventure and entrepreneurship that gives real hands on experience starting and operating a business in a camp setting. Best of all – it’s free (a $650 value, sponsored by local businesses). Interested youth must apply. Visit centrewest.albertacf.com/youth-entrepreneurship for more information and online application.
What fun we had at the grand re-opening of the fire hall. Everyone enjoyed watching the fire trucks drive through the ribbon. The kids really liked the face painter, going in the trucks, and wandering around the hall. There were a lot of firefighters answering questions and showing people around, as well as our RCMP Officer who also answered questions while showing a service dog.

We also had a lot of fun helping with the Family Day skate. What a great tradition the Town has started, and the Fire Department really enjoys participating in it.

We are still having some crazy weather and big dumps of snow. Take a look at your emergency kit and make sure it is still in your vehicle with a blanket for when you are driving outside of town and on the highways. Please drive to the road conditions and visibility. Slow down in bad weather, snow covered or slippery roads, and near emergency vehicles.

Also, make sure that when all of this snow starts to melt that you are shoveling the snow away from your house to reduce water seeping in, and clearing the sidewalk from ice and snow. If you have a fire hydrant on or near your property, clear the snow from around it so that the Fire Department can have quick and easy access to it in case of an emergency.

When do you change the batteries in your smoke detectors? If you change them when we change the clocks, then now is the time. Batteries need to be changed every year and don’t forget to test your smoke detectors every month too.

Outstanding utilities transferred to taxes
Encouraging citizens to make utility payments by due date

On April 11, 2011 The Town of Crossfield passed By-law #2011-06 which states in section 17 (i):

**Arrears Transfer to Tax Roll**

In the event that payment for the arrears on a utility account is not received at the Town of Crossfield by the date and time specified in the written notice, the arrears and penalties, plus a $52.00 (fifty two dollar) administration fee, will be transferred to the tax roll of the property, without further notice.

The outstanding amount transferred to the tax account, will then be considered outstanding tax arrears and the applicable tax penalties may be applied if payment isn’t made by penalty dates.

Welcome bags for Crossfield’s new residents
An opportunity for local businesses to promote

Did you know? The Town of Crossfield distributes Welcome to Crossfield backpacks to all new community residents. The backpacks are filled with coupons, brochures, small gifts, business cards, etc from local area businesses who want to welcome new residents to Crossfield and inform the new residents about their businesses. (similar to Welcome Wagon!)

Free of charge, businesses in Crossfield and area are invited to put coupons or small gift items into the backpack. The backpacks are distributed at the Town Office when new residents come in to register for their water / garbage utility services.

If you have questions or would like further information about our Welcome to Crossfield program, call the Town Office at 403-946-5565.

NOTICE:
The Town of Crossfield Administrative Office will be closed:
Friday April 19 for Good Friday
Monday April 22 for Easter Monday
Monday May 20 for Victoria Day
We hope that you enjoy the long weekend with your loved ones.

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