



Cypress County
A MESSAGE FROM YOUR REEVE

March 20, 2020

Dear Neighbors, Family and Friends,

The world around us has certainly changed quickly; we are facing unprecedented times. A few weeks ago, the term “social distancing” was not in my normal vocabulary. I would have never imagined that over the course of the last week, that schools would close to students, flights cancelled, borders closing and major league sports teams would suspend their season.

The COVID-19 pandemic is affecting all of us and has changed our community, Province, and world. We are fortunate to live in a strong vibrant country; where we always look after neighbors, family, and friends.



Residents have expressed they are struggling with fear and anxiety. Some are uncertain about their jobs and future income as the COVID-19 pandemic impacts their industry or place of work. Our businesses are being impacted harshly. Please support local businesses however you can.

The COVID-19 pandemic situation is changing daily. Health Officials have recommended that measures be taken aimed at stopping or slowing the spread of the virus. For important updates from Alberta Health Services, please visit <https://www.alberta.ca/coronavirus-info-for-albertans.aspx>

Cypress County has enacted the Emergency Coordination Center (ECC). At this time, Cypress County has not declared a Local State of Emergency. The ECC was activated to be proactive, and we are prepared to assist.

Please reach out to your neighbours and friends. Talk to them. Offer to help. Ask them for help. Thankfully we live in a world with technology that allows us to stay connected even while “social distancing”. Lets all take care of each other during these extraordinary times.

Please stay safe. Be well.

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