

JULY 2025

HARDISTY HAPPENINGS

WWW.HARDISTY.CA | 780-888-3623 | OFFICE: 9 AM - 4:30 PM | 4807-49 ST

Would you like to see your event listed in our newsletter and our website or announced on our Facebook and Twitter accounts? Email upcoming events to payments@hardisty.ca no later than the 29th of the preceding month.



Attention Quad/Bike Owners:



Within the Town of Hardisty a quad/motorbike/sled may be ridden in a direct route out of the town limits. Riding around town or within town limits is strictly prohibited. The town land is not considered "crown land" and is therefore not public property, and accessing any of this land outside of the restrictions is considered trespassing. This area includes the walking trails, as well as park lands surrounding the lake, golf course, and soccer fields.

RCMP will be notified of disturbance or trespassing by both the town office, and residents who witness such riding.

Please enjoy responsibly.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the town office: 780-888-3623.



Bill Payments

Payments can be made via cheque, cash, Mastercard, Visa, Debit, Online banking or etransfer to payments@hardisty.ca. If you are paying Via etransfer, please include your account number in the comments.

St. Paul Church News

No church services in July and August.





HARDISTY RODEO

STREET FAIR

11AM- BATTLE RIVER DANCE

12PM LOUGHEED LINE DANCERS (STREET)

12:30PM KIDS SHOW (SURPRISE)

1:30PM PET CONTEST SPONSORED BY MJ VET

2PM LOUGHEED LINE DANCERS (STREET)



CAR SHOW



HOME BASED VENDORS

JAM SESSION AT THE ELKS HALL

MANY DIFFERENT INFLATABLES



**FRIDAY
18 JULY 2025**

MUSIC AND ANNOUNCING BY: DJ EILISH

START AT 10 AM UNTIL 3 PM

MAIN STREET HARDISTY



LIBRARY- TACO IN A BAG

HERO'S FOOD TRUCK

MAN VAN WILL BE ON SITE



FACE PAINTING



HARDISTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

Calling All Customers and Vendors! **Join My Monthly Markets in Killam & Hardisty**

At Each Market, You Can Enjoy:

- **New Variety of Vendors
- **Hot Food Concession and Coffee and Seating
- **Vendor Contributed Giveaway to Customers
- **Free Mary Kay Sample Stations and Prizes



Follow My Facebook Page for Giveaways and Event Info:
Tiffany Strayer - Markets, Mary Kay and More!
"SHORT" FB PAGE LINK: [BIT.LY/43JTYQE](https://bit.ly/43JTYQE)

Contact Tiffany To Ask Questions or Apply as a Vendor:

Facebook Message: Tiffany Darlene Strayer
Text or Call: 780-280-0690 - Email: TStrayer91@gmail.com

Killam Monthly Market

Located in Killam United Church
Killam Market Hours 10am-2pm
Free Mary Kay Samples 3pm-8pm

Hardisty Monthly Market

Located in Hardisty Elks Hall
Free Mary Kay Samples 8am-2pm
Hardisty Market Hours 3pm-8pm

Killam 2025 - First Tuesday's:

March 4
April 1
May 6
June 3
July 1
August 5
September 2
October 7
November 4

Hardisty 2025 - Last Saturday's:

March 29
April 26
May 31
June 28
July 26
August 30
September 27
October 25
November 29

Vendor Set Up is an Hour Before the Market Hours

JOIN THE FUN!

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**May 31 -
Aug 31
2025**

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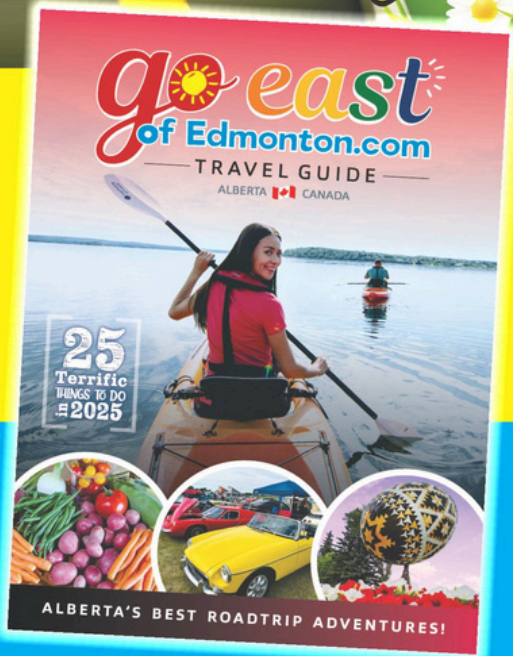
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Ways
to Play
& Win!**

**COLLECT STICKERS
+ SCAN TO WIN!
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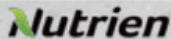
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JULY 18 - 20, 2025



DIAMOND SPONSORS



HARDISTY RODEO

ADMISSION

Weekend Pass - \$50

Friday - \$10

Saturday - \$20

Sunday - \$20

12 & Under - Free

Power Camping - \$60

No Power Camping - \$20

Gate Opens Thurs. at 12pm

No Dogs Allowed

WEEKEND LINEUP

Friday - Pancake Breakfast (7-10) StreetFair (10-3) Slack (5) Chariots & Chucks (7) Wheelbarrow Races (9) Dance (9-2)

Saturday - Parade (10:30) Rodeo (1) Chariots & Chucks (4) Dance (9-2)

Sunday - **NEW TIME Rodeo** (12) Chariots & Chucks (4)

Combine Crunch (7)

For More Weekend Info - Call or text Marge at 780-888-1424

For Combine Crunch Info - Call or text Alvin at 780-806-1258

Rain Out Number - 780-888-1441

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Guide for Participating in Public Hearings for Land Use Decisions

How is land use determined?

Municipalities are required to comply with their adopted statutory plans, and all further planning and development decisions of a municipality must be consistent with these plans.

Land Use Bylaws (also known as 'Zoning Bylaws') are not statutory plans, but they are important because they set the rules for where land uses can occur and the placement of new buildings on each parcel. Land Use Bylaws are the tool to implement the municipality's statutory plans and to guide growth in an orderly way to minimize conflicts between different land uses.

What happens to my personal information submitted at the public hearing?

Personal information provided in a public hearing submission is collected under the authority of Section 33(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act of Alberta and/or Section 636 the Municipal Government Act for the purpose of public participation in municipal decision-making. Your name, address, contact information and comments may be made publicly available in the Council Agenda and will be retained in the record of the Public Hearing.

A Public Hearing is an invitation to the public to speak their concerns, provide support, challenge proposals and provide input into land use decisions. Public hearings can be intimidating and seem complicated. This guide will help explain land use decisions, the public hearing process, and provide information on how to effectively participate in a public hearing

What is a public hearing, and why is it required?

The Municipal Government Act regulates how municipalities adopt statutory land use plans and Land Use Bylaws. This process includes three readings of a bylaw, with a public hearing held before second reading. The approval of a bylaw - including a public hearing - is required every time a statutory plan or Land Use Bylaw is created, changed/amended or repealed.

The public hearing process is designed to ensure a fair and transparent process for all persons who deem themselves to be affected by land use plans and bylaws.

What happens after the public hearing?

After the public hearing, the Administration will compile all written submissions to be kept for the public record and provide them to the Council. The Council will consider the bylaw for second and/or third meeting during a regular portion of the Council meeting. The Council can adopt the bylaw as it was presented at first reading, amend the bylaw, or defeat the bylaw.

Where do I get more information on the purpose and content of the Public Hearing?

A copy of the proposed bylaws and plans relating to the Public Hearing are available from each municipality. Check the municipal website or visit the municipal office.



www.palliserservices.ca

What is Land Use?

Land use describes the way that land in your town, village or county can be used and developed. Some examples of types of land use include parks and recreational spaces, agriculture, residential, schools and hospitals, shops and manufacturing.

What can I expect at the Public Hearing?

A public hearing will occur at a regular meeting of Council or at a special meeting and will be advertised weeks in advance of the public hearing.

- After the Mayor calls the public hearing to order, the applicant and/or the municipal administrative staff will provide an overview of the proposed application or bylaw.
- The Mayor will then invite any person who wishes to address the Council in person on any matter that relates to the proposed bylaw to speak. Persons should clearly identify themselves (name and address) at the start of their presentation. Each speaker will be given an allotted time to speak.
- The Council may then ask the speaker questions, if they require clarification. The speaker will be invited to provide a written submission to the Clerk to accompany the presentation.
- Once all the speakers have concluded, the Mayor will ask the Administrative staff statements of clarification and concluding remarks.
- The public hearing will then be closed.

Tips for Speakers

Keep your presentation clear and concise – explain your reasons for support or opposition and how the proposal affects you.

Submit written comments too! It helps Council remember.

Focus your presentation on land use matters. For example, land use does not consider:

- regulating individuals or groups of people or behaviors, or the character of the applicant
- tax implications
- tenure (renters vs owners) or land ownership
- construction techniques
- Building Code issues

- Direct your statements to the Council
- When speaking about a specific statement in a bylaw, provide a reference to the numbering in the bylaw
- Be sure not to disclose any personal information that you wouldn't want the public to know
- Speak clearly and loudly when presenting
- Do not speak or make noise while others are speaking – be respectful of other's opinions

How is land use determined?


Land uses are determined by the Council of a municipality* and are communicated through various plans, policies and rules. These include the following statutory plans:

- Intermunicipal Development Plans (IDP) which consider the development of land on the boundaries between two or more neighbouring municipalities;
- Municipal Development Plans (MDP) which consider the long-term vision and plans for future growth within the municipality boundaries; and
- Area Structure Plans (ASP) and Area Redevelopment Plans (ARP), which consider more detailed plans for how a particular area within a municipality will grow and redevelop.

*Some land uses are approved by a Federal or Provincial agency, and municipalities may not have jurisdiction. This includes land uses such as railways, highways, cell towers, and confined feeding operations.

Can I provide a written submission?

Yes! Persons wishing to make written submission may do so by sending a letter that is typewritten or legibly written. Ensure to include your name and mailing address in the written submission. Any submissions with defamatory content and/or offensive language will be filed, but will not be printed for the public record or shared with members of Council



Media Release

Alberta RCMP adds new province-wide phone line for non-emergency police reporting

Killam, Alta. – Effective April 11, 2025, individuals in Alberta will be able make non-emergency police reports by calling 310-RCMP, or 310-7267. The new function is designed to streamline the crime reporting process, optimize early stages of investigations, and reduce unnecessary calls to 911.

“310-RCMP was created to help eliminate confusion about which detachment someone should call if they experience a non-emergency. Non-emergencies often require a police response, but not necessarily an immediate police attendance.” says Chris Spence, Director of the Alberta RCMP Operational Communication Centre. “We encourage people to report non-emergencies, as this helps us focus frontline efforts on high-priority calls and deploy resources in areas that need it most.”

310-RCMP calls are directed to the Alberta Operational Communication Centre who then dispatch non-emergency calls in the order of their priority. These calls will receive a police response.

Long-distance charges do not apply, and no area code prefix is required. The number is accessible to all Albertans within the province with a phone line or an active mobile phone with a cellular signal.

Non-emergencies:

- Do not pose an immediate or potential threat to life or public safety.
- Include crimes that have already taken place prior to being discovered.
- Often do not require police attendance, but do require police response.

Examples include but are not limited to:

- Minor motor vehicle collisions.
- Break and enters that already took place.
- Scams in which money or personal information was not transferred or provided.
- Lost property.
- Property damage under \$5,000.
- Theft under \$5,000.

While these types of reports *are* important, they are *not* an emergency.

Ways to report non-emergencies: 7

- Call 310-RCMP (7267)
- To report online, download the Alberta RCMP app through Apple or Google Play. Alternatively, visit www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/ab and select Online Crime Reporting under quick links.



TOWN OF HARDISTY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Proposed Land Use Bylaw 1284-25

Municipal Development Plan Amendment Bylaw 1283-25

Pursuant to the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26 of the Statutes of Alberta, notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Hardisty will hold a public hearing prior to the second reading of the proposed new **Land Use Bylaw 1284-25** and the **Municipal Development Plan Amendment Bylaw 1283-25**.

The Land Use Bylaw (LUB) serves as the "rule book" for the development within the Town of Hardisty. The LUB regulates the development of land and buildings on a site-specific basis, based on the policy directions set by the Municipal Development Plan (MDP). The LUB regulates how land can be used, including what uses are appropriate and where they can be located. The LUB aims to balance landowner's rights with the interests of the community.

Some of the key provisions in the proposed **Land Use Bylaw 1284-25** include:

- extensive revisions to the definitions, including deleting terms that are not used in the bylaw and ensuring every use in the bylaw is defined;
- clarification of the roles and responsibilities and powers of the development authority;
- clarification of what development does not require a development permit;
- updating the development permit processing requirement to meet the Municipal Government Act, such as the types of notices issued and gaining consent for email communications;
- revisions to the general and specific regulations;
- updating the permitted and discretionary uses in each land use district, such as increasing the uses that are in the permitted uses category;
- updating the regulations in each district;
- ensuring the bylaw is clear and well-organized.

The purpose of the **Municipal Development Plan Amendment Bylaw 1283-25** is to ensure consistency between the Town's MDP and LUB, including removing barriers for home occupations, removing parking and landscaping regulations.

Should you wish to address council in person, a public hearing for **Bylaws 1284-25** and **1283-25** will be held in the Town of Hardisty office at 4807 49 Street, Hardisty, on July 8, 2025 commencing at 7:00 p.m. Council will hear from any person claiming to be affected by the proposed bylaws.

Additionally, written comments may be delivered to 4807 49 Street, Hardisty, Alberta, T0B 1V0 or emailed to bobbi@hardisty.ca; submissions will be received up to July 7, 2025 at 4:30 p.m.

The proposed **Bylaws 1284-25** and **1283-25** can be reviewed online at hardisty.ca, or copies may be picked up Monday through Friday at 4807 49 Street, Hardisty from 9:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.

We are making a splash this summer!!!!

HARDISTY LAKE SWIMMING LESSONS

Two sets of lessons

JUL 28th- AUG 1ST
AUG 4th- AUG 8th
2025



Preschool
Level 1-5
Age 3-5
\$45/Child

Swimmer
Level 1-4
Age 6+
\$55/Child



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[HTTPS://WWW.TICKETLEAP.COM/EVENTS/HARDISTYLAKESWIMMINGLESSONS](https://www.ticketleap.com/events/hardistylakeswimminglessons)

Let's ENJOY
The SUMMER

Notice of Nomination Day

*Local Authorities Election Act
(Section 26)*

LOCAL JURISDICTION: TOWN OF HARDISTY, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is September 22, 2025 and that nominations for the
Date

election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction

office set out below within the period beginning on June 17, 2025
Date

and ending at 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number (If Applicable)
COUNCILLOR	5	

Location (Address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:

TOWN OF HARDISTY OFFICE
4807-49 STREET
HARDISTY, AB
T0B1V0

DATED at the TOWN of HARDISTY, in the
Province of Alberta, this 17 day of JUNE, 2025.


Returning Officer

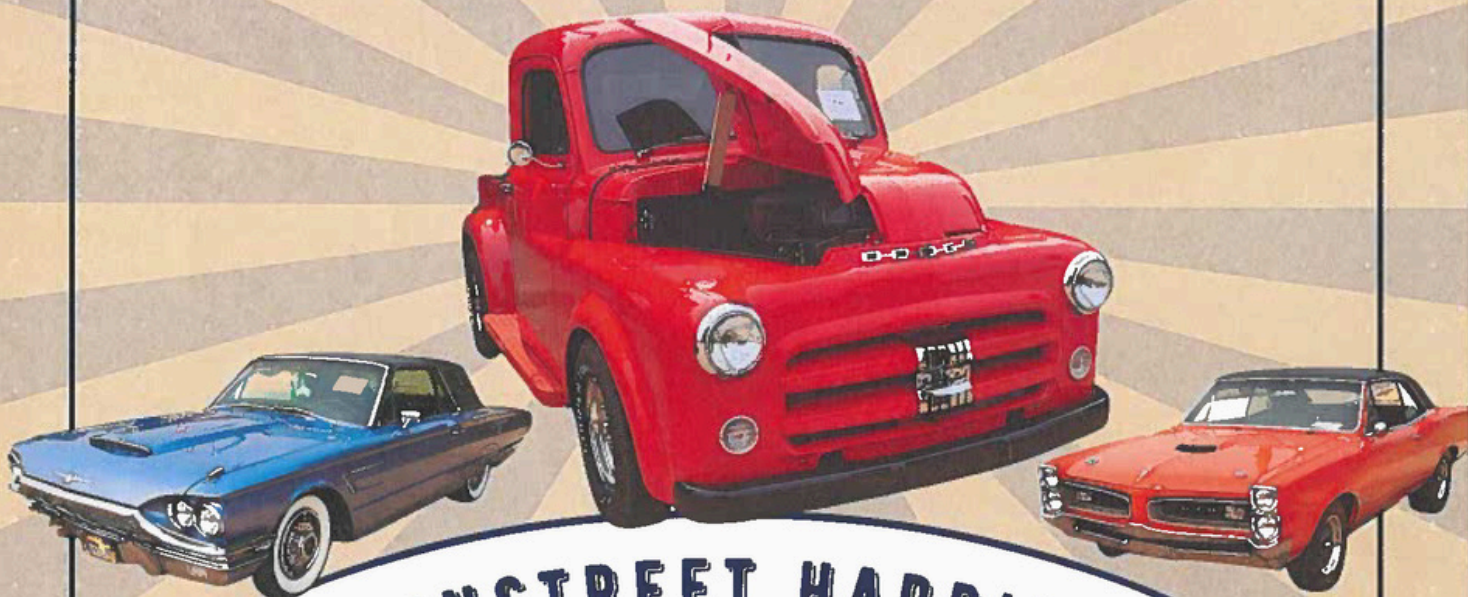


CLASSIC CAR SHOW

JULY 18, 2025

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

GORDON AT 780-721-5181 OR DALE AT 780-888-1032



MAINSTREET HARDISTY

✂ 10AM - 3PM ✂

IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE
HARDISTY RODEO STREET FAIR

CLASSIC CARS, TRUCKS, MOTORCYCLES,

SEMS, WORKS-IN-PROGRESS ARE WELCOME!

REGISTRATION BY DONATION





JULY EVENTS CALENDAR

www.hardisty.ca/town/calendar



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Canada Day - Office Closed All Day Hardisty Ag Society Canada Day Golf Cart Parade 1:30 pm Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	2 Mens Night - Golf 5:00 pm	3 Ladies Night - Golf 5:00 pm	4 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	5
6	7	8 Council Mtg 7:00 pm Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	9 Mens Night - Golf 5:00 pm	10 Ladies Night - Golf 5:00 pm	11 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	12 Hardisty/Hughenden Ryder Cup Golf Tour All Day
13 Ladies Scramble - Golf Tourn All Day	14	15 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	16 Mens Night - Golf 5:00 pm	17 Ladies Night - Golf 5:00 pm	18 Hardisty Rodeo All Day Classic Car Show 10:00 am Street Fair 11:00 am Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	19 Hardisty Rodeo All Day Parade 10:00 am
20 Hardisty Rodeo All Day	21	22 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	23 Mens Night - Golf 5:00 pm	24 Ladies Night - Golf 5:00 pm	25 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	26 Hardisty Market - Elks Hall 3:00 pm
27	28	29 Pickleball at the Curling Rink 7:00 pm	30 Mens Night - Golf 5:00 pm	31 Ladies Night - Golf 5:00 pm		

COFFEE TIME

Monday to Friday
9 – 10 am

THRIFT SHOP

The Hardisty Thrift Shop is open
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
1:30 - 4:30 p.m. & Saturday 11:00
a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

LIBRARY

Tuesday: 11 AM – 5 PM
Wednesday: 1 PM – 8 PM
Thursday: 11 AM – 5 PM
Friday: 1 PM – 5 PM
Saturday: 1 PM - 5 PM

ELKS BINGO

SUNDAYS at the Elk's Hall
Doors Open 6:00 PM
Bingo Starts 7:00 PM

GARBAGE PICK-UP

Garbage pick-up is on Monday.
Where Monday is a holiday,
garbage pickup will be Tuesday.

FIRE PRACTICE

Every first and third Tuesday of
the month at 7:00 p.m.