



The Insider, Sept. 22

Find out what's new at the RMWB on Sept. 22, 2025.

New rmwb.ca launching Sept. 30

On Monday, September 30, rmwb.ca will look a little different!

The new website will provide a more reliable, accessible, and user-friendly way to stay informed and connected.

Key changes include improved access to information, mobile-friendly design, and enhanced accessibility.

We've also streamlined the subscription process. If you have subscribed on our website before Sept. 11, 2025, you will need to resubscribe for municipal updates.

Stay ahead of what's happening around your neighbourhood: get timely news straight to your email inbox by subscribing to municipal updates.

Sign up now at rmwb.ca/subscribe.

Week 4 of your Truth and Reconciliation Challenge begins

Welcome to Week 4 of your Truth and Reconciliation Challenge!

This week, the Challenge will cover the following themes and subjects:

- Heart Gardens
- Honouring Residential School Survivors

Watch your RMWB email inboxes this week for the final TRC Challenge email newsletter – it will arrive in your inbox on Tuesday morning.

This week, staff are encouraged take home materials to create memorial hearts with family or friends in preparation for the Heart Garden ceremony next Monday (Sept. 29), 10 a.m., in front of Jubilee Centre.

Pre-cut hearts and materials should be available in lunchrooms this week and through your TRC champion or supervisor. Please have completed hearts brought to your TRC champion or supervisor, or to collection bins in lunchrooms.

We also hope you can attend the Community Gathering and Walk on Sept. 30 in honour of National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The event will begin at 10 a.m. in Jubilee Plaza, with the walk proceeding to SMS Equipment Place (on MacDonald Island).

The TRC Challenge handouts and additional resources will be available on the Intranet home page under “announcements.”

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Coming together at Welcome Week

Legislative Services, Community Services, and Strategic Communications teamed up at YMCA Welcome Week to connect with newcomers and celebrate our growing community. Together, team members made government more approachable sharing how to vote in the upcoming municipal election, how Council and Administration work, and how to stay involved through public engagement.

Staff also introduced residents to Transit On Demand and recent service changes, while highlighting ways to shape key initiatives like the 10-year Safety & Social Well-Being Strategy and the Housing Needs Assessment Strategy.

Welcome Week celebrates cross-cultural understanding and the benefits of creating inclusive communities. Congratulations to all the teams who worked together to break down barriers, build relationships, and ensure new residents know their voices matter.

Learn more:

- Election: rmwb.ca/election
- Wood Buffalo Safety & Social Well-Being: rmwb.ca/socialwellbeing
- Housing Needs Assessment: rmwb.ca/housingneeds
- Transit: rmwb.ca/transit

From boxes to bytes: Why SharePoint Online matters

Ever wondered what thousands of files look like? Our municipal records warehouse could give you the answer, it's like a maze made of cardboard! While it might make for an epic game of hide-and-seek, it's not the most efficient way to find the one document you might need.

That's where the **SharePoint Online implementation** comes in.

Instead of hunting through box after box (and maybe discovering files from the last century), SharePoint will let us store, dispose of, search and share documents instantly. No heavy lifting, dust clouds, or paper cuts required.

So, as impressive as our mountain of file boxes may be, we're excited to trade the maze for a smarter, cleaner and much faster way of working.

Even if your implementation date isn't soon, you can start cleaning up your files now. Just make sure you touch base with the Corporate Records team, before you hit delete or visit the Shred-it bin.

Congratulations to the Customer Experience and Analytics team!

We're excited to announce that **SharePoint Online is now live** for the Customer Experience & Analytics Department!

Thank you for your hard work, patience and support throughout this project. This launch is a major step forward in improving how we manage, collaborate on, and access our documents and content.

Have questions? Contact recordmanagementservices@rmwb.ca.

Got a hoodie, sweater or light winter jacket that doesn't fit anymore?

The annual Homeless Connect event planning committee and Diversified Transportation are hosting a hoodie drive throughout September!

Volunteers are seeking all size hoodies, sweaters and light winter jackets that will be washed and distributed to homeless and housing clients at the upcoming Homeless Connect event in October.

Please drop off your donations at the designated box in the Jubilee Centre lobby until Sept. 30.

September food guide: healthy harvests

Make the most of the harvest season

Harvest season is a great time to take advantage of foods that are at the peak of freshness. If you can, stock up while they're in season and on sale. You can freeze them or use them in batch recipes to enjoy later!

Try:

- Roasting a tray of veggies, like carrots, peppers, and onions to add to wraps, whole grain bowls, or omelettes.
- Freezing chopped herbs in ice cube trays to use in soups, sauces, or stir-fries later.
- Using overripe vegetables and fruits in smoothies, muffins, or homemade sauces.

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