



**VILLAGE RECEIVES GRANT FUNDING FOR UNDERGROUND INFRASTRUCTURE**

Alberta Municipal Water/Wastewater Partnership Funding For a New Lagoon

**June 6th – THE VILLAGE OF CONSORT GETS FUNDING FOR THE NEW LAGOON**

Project approved under Alberta’s Municipal Water/Wastewater Partnership Funding

Residents of the Village of Consort will benefit from the planned \$8 million dollar cost shared funding towards the construction of a new lagoon. This is possible through the Alberta Municipal Water/Wastewater Partnership grant that was applied for in the fall of 2012.



Based on the Ministry’s review of the information provided, the Village of Consort will received a grant of 75% of the estimated eligible project cost, or up to \$6,000,000.00. The remaining 25% will be paid by the Village and cost shared through the Small Communities grant that was received in 2015. So the 25% share of \$2,000,000.00 has already been approved in the amount of \$1,360,000.00 of which \$680,000.00 will come from the Federal government and \$680,000.00 will come from the Province of Alberta and the community of Consort will

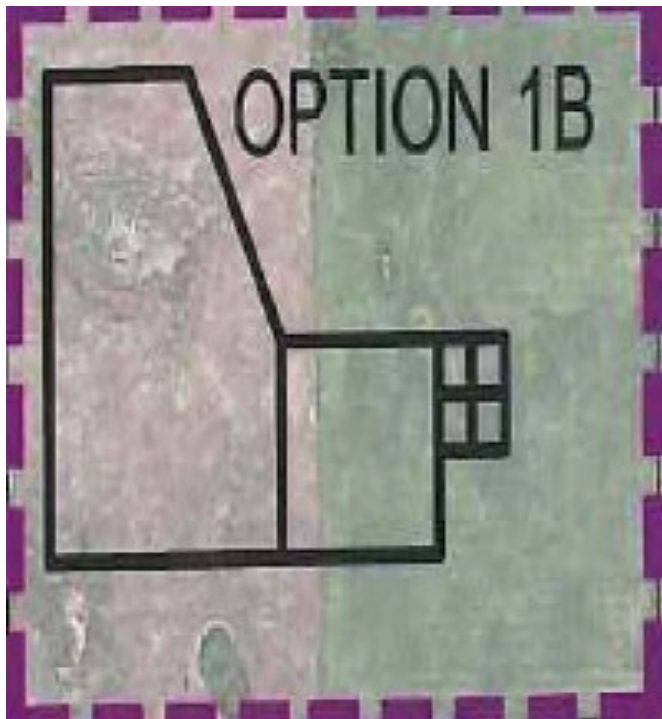
have to pay \$680,000.00.

This project includes the construction of a lift station, a force main plus 4 anaerobic cells, 1 facultative cell, and 1 holding cell to hold 12 months of effluent that will situated outside of the Village boundaries as this facility will need approximately 40 acres of area.

The Village is working with their engineers in finding a suitable site for the placement of the new lagoon and the design for the facility is being worked on as we speak.

We hope to find a suitable location for the lagoon and secure the land before the end of this calendar year so that this project can go to tender in early 2017 and for construction to start in the spring of 2017.

The configuration will be similar to the attached photo.



**Special Points Of Interest**

- ◆ Village received grant funding
- ◆ Municipal Compost Facility
- ◆ Waste Management information
- ◆ 2016 Construction Schedule update



**SCHOOL IS OUT FOR THE SUMMER !!! PLEASE HAVE A SAFE AND FUN FILLED SUMMER. SEE YOU ALL IN THE FALL.**

# MUNICIPAL COMPOST FACILITY

Please be advised that the Village in collaboration with Big Country Waste Management has constructed a compost area within the confines of the Consort transfer station. For everyone that has yard waste you may now take it to the Consort transfer station (dump) to dispose of rather than bagging it all and putting it in the garbage collection bins. This will help to reduce the amount of garbage that we create on a weekly basis. Please help us all out by putting your yard waste in the recycling/composting area that has been create for this use.



## NEW HOURS FOR SOLID WASTE TRANSFER STATION (DUMP)

Tuesday and Thursday

1PM—7PM

Saturday 9AM—3PM

for the months of May to October only

Winter Hours November to April

Tuesday and Thursday

Noon—7PM

Saturday 8AM—Noon

## WASTE MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

Please be advised that all garbage needs to be bagged in order for public works to collect it for disposal and the maximum weight of the bags is 40 lbs. If your garbage bags weigh more than the maximum weight, your bags will be left behind and you will be responsible for the disposal. Please ensure that your refuse is put out before **7AM** on the morning of garbage pick-up so that our crew can collect it on their regular run.



### 2016 Construction Schedule

The underground facilities upgrades on 49th Street are nearing completion. We would like to thank everyone for their patience and consideration these past six weeks with road closures and detours in order to facilitate this work. Please be advised that starting next week the project will be moving north to 52nd Street. There again you will see road closures and detours, but rest assured that everyone will have a way of getting out. For the residents that border the alley between 48th and 47th Street (the alley running behind the United Church) please ensure that your vehicles that will be needed are moved to the front street so that you may have a way out because that alley will be under construction as the underground facilities in that area are being replaced as well. Many of our residents in that area use the back alley for access to their properties, so we ask that you move your vehicles on to the front street while construction is going on. Once again we thank you in advance for everyone's cooperation.

