

- 1. **Spring Waste Management Day**. There has been an inquiry, do we want to try to line something up with the Regional Landfill for disposal of items such as paint, oil, batteries, yard cleanup and large items such as mattresses and furniture. Do we also do the same thing in the fall to get rid of the above items and for garden cleanup? Will this help to reduce the number of items disposed of in our garbage bins incorrectly.
- 2. **MSI Funding**. Moving forward MSI Operating is projected to stay the same at \$161,494. MSI Capital this year is projected to be \$403,073 but is supposed to be cut in half for 2022 & 2023 due to provincial budget constraints.
- 3. Federal Gas Tax Fund (GTF) allocation this year will be \$86,401.
- 4. **FCSS Christmas Hampers**. Request to split the cost with the County. We can use some of the MOST money to cover the amount of \$2,872.99. This is one of the listed expenses for the use of the money.
- 5. Broadband. This week I had a conference call with the Universal Broadband Fund federal representative for western Canada. The fund is oversubscribed and they are working on going through the applications. Meeting with Jerico from MCSNet on March 8th to discuss the application to the federal Universal Broadband Fund (UBF) and discuss other options if the application is not successful. Call with Brian from Telus on March 10th to discuss internet service in Two Hills and the National Broadband Service Availability Map for Two Hills. We believe that the majority of the speeds that are colour coded for 50/10 & 25/5 are not possible in Two Hills.

Please see attached CAO Action Tracker for council requests and for capital projects.

