

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY

No. AP-EPEA-40480

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**TO: Village of Rycroft
4703 – 51 Street
Box 360
Rycroft, Alberta T0H 3A0**

(the “Party”)

After reviewing the information available to me, I have concluded that the **Village of Rycroft** has contravened section 227(e) of the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* in respect of which an administrative penalty may be imposed. Particulars of the contravention are as follows:

DATE(S) OF CONTRAVENTION(S):

October 18, 2022 – July 24, 2023

LEGAL DESCRIPTION/LOCATION:

*NE-16-78-5-W5M
Rycroft, Alberta*

DETAILS: The Party holds Approval no. 1135-03-00, as amended, for the construction, operation, and reclamation of a waterworks system. On or between October 18, 2022, and July 24, 2023, they contravened sections 6.1.1 and 6.1.3 of the approval by failing to immediately report to the Director any contravention of the approval, and, in addition to immediate reporting, failed to provide written reports within 7 calendar days of the contravention.

I am assessing an administrative penalty of **\$1,000.00** pursuant to section 237 of the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* and the Administrative Penalty Regulation, AR 23/2003, and as noted in the attached decision document.

You are required to submit payment for the administrative penalty within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Notice. If payment has not been received in the thirty (30) day period, the amount payable is recoverable in an action in debt.

Dated this 19 day of July 2024.

Simon Tatlow
Environmental Investigations Manager
Regulatory Assurance Division

RIGHT OF APPEAL

Section 91 of the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act*, may provide a right of appeal against this decision to the Alberta Environmental Appeals Board. There may be a strict time limit for filing such an appeal. A copy of section 91 is enclosed. For further information, please contact the Board Secretary at 306, Peace Hills Trust Tower, 10011 - 109 Street, Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 3S8; telephone (780) 427-6207; fax (780) 427-4693.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

This Notice is for your records. Please email rac.environment@gov.ab.ca and a link will be sent to you for payment to be made by VISA or MasterCard. Alternatively, a copy of this Notice along with a cheque or money order, payable to the Government of Alberta, can be mailed in an envelope marked personal and confidential to Regulatory Approvals Centre, Fifth Floor, South Petroleum Plaza, 9915 - 108th Street, Edmonton, AB, T5K 2G8. **Payment is due within 30 days of the date of service of this Notice.** Failure to pay the administrative penalty may result in a copy of the notice of administrative penalty being filed with the court and interest applied in accordance with the Judgement Interest Regulation.

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Regulatory Approvals Centre: After completing the information at the right, please return a copy of this form to, Tricia.Kirkpatrick@gov.ab.ca.

DATE RECEIVED: _____

AMOUNT PAYABLE: **\$1,000.00**

AMOUNT PAID:

BALANCE DUE: _____