

METIS SETTLEMENTS AND FIRST NATIONS IN ALBERTA: COMMUNITY PROFILES

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INTRODUCTORY NOTE

The Metis Settlements and First Nations in Alberta: Community Profiles provide a general overview of the eight Metis Settlements and 48 First Nations in Alberta. Included is information on population, land base, location and community contacts as well as Quick Facts on Metis Settlements and First Nations.

The Community Profiles are compiled and published by the Ministry of Aboriginal Relations to support an enhanced awareness of Aboriginal communities in Alberta and to strengthen relationships with Aboriginal people and their communities.

Readers who are interested in learning more about a specific community are encouraged to contact the community directly for more detailed information. Many communities have websites that provide interesting historical information and other background. Where available, these website addresses are included in the profiles.

PLEASE NOTE

The information contained in the *Profiles* is accurate at the time of publishing.

The print version of the *Community Profiles* will be updated annually. The PDF (online) version of the *Community Profiles* will be updated more frequently on an as-needed basis.

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Metis SettlementsQuick Facts

- Alberta is home to the largest Métis population in Canada.
 There are 85,495 Albertans who identified themselves as Métis in the 2006 Canada census.
- As of 2010, a total of 8,106 people are members of Alberta's Metis Settlements.
- There are 8 Metis Settlements in Alberta. The Metis Settlements cover 512,121 hectares (1.25 million acres) of land.
- Alberta is the only province in Canada with a recognized Métis land base and Métis governments: the 8 Metis Settlements were established by legislation.
- The 8 Metis Settlements are all located in the northern part of the province.
- Each Metis Settlement is governed by an elected fiveperson Council, which has statutory authority similar to local governments.
- The Metis Settlements Act stipulates that a Metis Settlement member must be of Aboriginal ancestry, identify with Métis history and culture, be at least 18 years of age who has lived in Alberta for the previous five years and has been approved for membership by the local Settlement council. A Settlement member must also live on the Settlement (or have an approved leave of absence), and must not be in debt to the Settlement without a repayment agreement.

Metis Settlements in Alberta

Metis Settlement	Population*	Area (hectares)
Buffalo Lake Metis Settlement	1,206	34,707
East Prairie Metis Settlement	906	32,635
Elizabeth Metis Settlement	820	25,641
Fishing Lake Metis Settlement	952	37,815
Gift Lake Metis Settlement	1,115	84,307
Kikino Metis Settlement	1,113	44,743
Paddle Prairie Metis Settlement	1,089	169,909
Peavine Metis Settlement	905	82,364
TOTAL	8,106	512,121

^{*}Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010

To view a map of Metis Settlements in Alberta, visit the Metis Settlements General Council (MSGC) website: www.msgc.ca

Profile: Metis Settlement

Buffalo Lake

Location 50 km southwest of Lac La Biche

Contact P O Box 16, Caslan, Alberta T0A 0R0

Phone: 780-689-2170 Fax: 780-689-2024

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 1206

Land Base 34,707 hectares

Chair Stan Delorme

Vice-Chair Marcel Shephard

Councillors Dean McDonald

Horace Patenaude

Lana Howse

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Honourable Ray Danyluk

Brian Storseth

East Prairie Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 45 km southeast of High Prairie

Contact P O Box 1289, High Prairie, Alberta T0G 1E0

Phone: 780-523-2594 Fax: 780-523-2777

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 906

Land Base 32,635 hectares

Chair Gerald Cunningham

Vice-Chair Brian Supernault

Councillors Jacob Howse

Wade L'Hirondelle Shelly Auger

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake) Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

^{*}Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010

Elizabeth Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 35 km south of Cold Lake

Contact P O Box 420, Stn. Main, Cold Lake, Alberta T9M 1P1

Phone: 780-594-5026 Fax: 780-594-5452

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 820

Land Base 25,641 hectares

Chair Allan Wells

Vice-Chair Christopher Desjarlais

Councillors Sylvia Desjarlais

Archie Collins Irene Zimmer

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)

Genia Leskiw

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Brian Storseth

Fishing Lake

Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 55 km south of Cold Lake

Contact General Delivery, Sputinow, Alberta T0A 3G0

Phone: 780-943-2202 Fax: 780-943-2575

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 952

Land Base 37,815 hectares

Chair Lorne Dustow

Vice-Chair Dusty Powder

Councillors Dalton Gladue

Dwayne Laboucan Ryck Chalifoux

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)

Genia Leskiw

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Brian Storseth

^{*}Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010

Gift Lake Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 85 km northeast of High Prairie

Contact Box 60, Gift Lake, Alberta T0G 1B0

Phone: 780-767-3794 Fax: 780-767-3888

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 1,115

Land Base 84,307 hectares

Chair Hector Lamouche

Vice-Chair Dave Lamouche

Councillors Kelly Cunningham

Ronnie Anderson Sherry Anderson

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Pearl Calahasen

Brian Jean

Kikino Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 40 km south of Lac La Biche

Contact General Delivery, Kikino, Alberta T0A 2B0

Phone: 780-623-7868 Fax: 780-623-7080

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 1,113

Land Base 44,743 hectares

Chair Floyd Thompson

Vice-Chair Lee Thom

Councillors Peter Cardinal

Greg Cardinal
Cory Cardinal

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul)

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Honourable Ray Danyluk

Brian Storseth

^{*}Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010

Profile: Metis Settlement

Paddle Prairie

Location 75 km south of High Level

Contact Box 58, Paddle Prairie, Alberta T0H 2W0

Phone: 780-981-2227 Fax: 780-981-3737

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 1,089

Land Base 169,909 hectares

Chair Alden Armstrong

Vice-Chair Bob Ghostkeeper

Councillors Joanne Ducharme

Carmen Laboucane
Norma Lizotte

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)

Member of Parliament (Peace River)

Honourable Frank Oberle

Chris Warkentin

Peavine Profile: Metis Settlement

Location 60 km north of High Prairie

Contact P O Box 238, High Prairie, Alberta T0G 1E0

Phone: 780-523-2557 Fax: 780-523-2626

Website: www.msgc.ca

Population* 905

Land Base 82,364 hectares

Chair Ken Noskey

Vice-Chair Sherry Cunningham

Councillors Kenny Cunningham

Layne Gauchier Dennis Cunningham

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

^{*}Alberta Municipal Affairs, Official Population List, September 2010

First Nations and First Nations PeopleQuick Facts

- First Nations people are members of a First Nation living on- or off-reserve. Traditions, protocols, culture and history vary from community to community.
- In Alberta, there are 48* First Nations Chiefs and Councils.
- The new Peerless Trout First Nation was established on May 19, 2010.
- There are 134 reserves covering three Treaty areas in the province: Treaty 6 (central), Treaty 7 (south) and Treaty 8 (north).
- There are 108,318 First Nations people in Alberta. This population accounted for 13 per cent of Canada's total Indian Register population in 2010.
- First Nation population by place of residence: On-reserve and Crown Land (63.1 per cent); Off-Reserve (36.9 per cent).
- The Blood Tribe in southern Alberta has the largest population with 11,074 members while Duncan's First Nation (40 km southwest of Peace River) has the smallest population with 234 members.
- The most commonly spoken First Nation languages in Alberta are Cree, Blackfoot, Chipewyan, Dene and Stoney (Nakoda Sioux).

*Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) counts 45 First Nations rather than the 48 referred to here. INAC includes Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation under Saddle Lake First Nation; and Chiniki, Bearspaw and Wesley First Nations under Stoney Nakoda Nation.

Population of First Nations in Alberta¹

First Nation	TOTAL	Reserve & Crown Land (TOTAL)	Off Reserve
Total Alberta	108,318	68,394	39,924
Alexander First Nation	1,874	1,007	867
Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation	1,708	1,000	708
Athabasca Chipewyan First Nation	924	230	694
Beaver First Nation	877	429	448
Beaver Lake Cree Nation	959	376	583
Bigstone Cree Nation	6,785	2,980	3,805
Blood Tribe	11,074	7,900	3,174
Chipewyan Prairie First Nation	728	354	374
Cold Lake First Nations	2,465	1,284	1,181
Dene Tha' First Nation	2,715	1,953	762
Driftpile First Nation	2,410	895	1,515
Duncan's First Nation	234	135	99
Enoch Cree Nation #440	2,211	1,579	632
Ermineskin Tribe	4,011	3,148	863
Fort McKay First Nation	691	367	324
Fort McMurray #468 First Nation	628	266	362
Frog Lake First Nation	2,750	1,788	962
Heart Lake First Nation	307	197	110
Horse Lake First Nation	953	447	506
Kapawe'no First Nation	329	111	218
Kehewin Cree Nation	1,887	1,117	770
Little Red River Cree Nation	4,585	4,035	550
Loon River Cree First Nation	503	410	93
Louis Bull Tribe	1,989	1,635	354
Lubicon Lake Nation	453	267	186
Mikisew Cree First Nation	2,608	770	1,838
Montana First Nation	939	731	208
O'Chiese First Nation	1,104	761	343

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Population of First Nations in Alberta¹ (continued)

First Nation	TOTAL	Reserve & Crown Land (TOTAL)	Off Reserve
Paul First Nation	1,887	1,310	577
Peerless Trout #478 First Nation ²	723	0	723
Piikani Nation	3,554	2,392	1,162
Saddle Lake First Nation ³	9,300	6,097	3,203
Samson Cree Nation	7,343	5,838	1,505
Sawridge First Nation	389	46	343
Siksika Nation	6,641	3,860	2,781
Smith's Landing First Nation	322	157	165
Stoney Nakoda Nation ⁴	4,920	4,533	387
Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation	2,795	1,404	1,391
Sucker Creek First Nation	2,465	719	1,746
Sunchild First Nation	1,246	846	400
Swan River First Nation	1,136	378	758
Tallcree First Nation	1,108	525	583
Tsuu T'ina Nation	1,816	1,489	327
Whitefish Lake First Nation	2,236	1,416	820
Woodland Cree First Nation	990	743	247
TOTAL POPULATION⁵ (48 First Nations)	108,318	68,394	39,924

Footnotes

- ¹ Source: Indian and Northern Affairs Canada Indian Register, December 31, 2010
- The new Peerless Trout First Nation was established on May 19, 2010. Reserve land has yet to be set aside for the First Nation. This may take 3-5 years.
- ³ Includes Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation
- ⁴ Includes Bearspaw, Chiniki and Wesley First Nations
- ⁵ Does not include Alberta Population General List number

Profile: First Nation

Alexander First Nation

Location 40 km northwest of Edmonton

Contact P O Box 3419, Morinville, Alberta T8R 1S3

Phone: 780-939-5887 Fax: 780-939-6166

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,007 (54%)

Off-reserve 867 (46%)

Total 1,874

Land Base By Reserve Alexander 134 7,280.5

(hectares) Alexander 134A 2,083.8

Alexander 134B 3.4 **Total** 9,367.7

Chief Allan Paul

Councillors Martin Arcand Kurt Burnstick

Henry Arcand Norman Kootenay

Sheldon Arcand Bernard Paul

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert)

Doug Horner

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Brian Storseth

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Alexis Nakota

Sioux Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 70 km northwest of Edmonton

Contact P O Box 7, Glenevis, Alberta T0E 0X0

Phone: 780-967-2225 Fax: 780-967-5484

Website: www.alexisnakotasioux.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Stoney

Linguistic Group Siouan Dakota

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,000 (59%)

Off-reserve 708 (41%)

Total 1,708

Land Base By Reserve Alexis 133 6,175.20

(hectares) Alexis Cardinal River 234 4,661.00

Alexis Elk River 233 98.00 Alexis Whitecourt 232 3,544.90

Total 14,479.10

Chief Cameron Alexis

Councillors

Darwin Alexis
Gloria Potts

Henry (Hank) Alexis
Jaclyn Mustus

Lonnie Letendre Erwin Letendre

Roderick Alexis

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Whitecourt-Ste. Anne) George VanderBurg

Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)

Honourable Rob Merrifield

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Athabasca Chipewyan

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 200 km north of Fort McMurray

Contact P O Box 366, Fort Chipewyan, Alberta T0P 1B0

Phone: 780-697-3730 Fax: 780-697-3500

Website: www.afcn.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Chipewyan

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 230 (25%)

Off-reserve 694 (75%)

Total 924

Total 924

Land Base By Reserve Chipewyan 201 20,072.4 (hectares) Chipewyan 201A 22.0

Chipewyan 201A 22.0 Chipewyan 201B 19.4

Chipewyan 201C 18.2 Chipewyan 201D 4.3

Chipewyan 201E 97.1 Chipewyan 201F 66.4

 Chipewyan 201G
 905.3

 Total
 21,205.1

Chief Allan Adam

Councillors Lorraine Hoffman Anthony Ladouceur

Gregory Marcel Monica Voyageur

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo) Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca) Brian Jean

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Beaver First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 50 km east of High Level

Contact P O Box 2700, High Level, Alberta T0H 1Z0

Phone: 780-927-3544 Fax: 780-927-4064

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Beaver

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Beaver

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 429 (49%)

> Off-reserve 448 (51%)

Total 877

Land Base By Reserve Boyer River 164 4,249.3 (hectares)

Child Lake 164A 2,826.0

Total 7,075.3

Chief Henry Kidney

Councillors Lorne Bulldog Barbara Wendt

> Clarence Fournier Trevor Mercredi

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River) Honourable Frank Oberle

Member of Parliament (Peace River) Chris Warkentin

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Beaver Lake

Cree Nation **Profile: First Nation**

Location 105 km northeast of Edmonton

Contact P O Box 960, Lac La Biche, Alberta T0A 2C0

> Phone: 780-623-4549 Fax: 780-623-4523 Website: www.beaverlakecreenation.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 376 (39%)

Off-reserve 583 (61%) Total 959

Land Base By Reserve Beaver Lake 131 6,145.3

(hectares) Total 6,145.3

Chief Alphonse Lameman

Councillors Germaine Anderson

Henry Gladue Jerry Gladue

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul) Honourable Ray Danyluk

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca) Brian Jean

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Bigstone Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 80 km northeast of Slave Lake

Contact P O Box 960, Wabasca, Alberta T0G 2K0

Phone: 780-891-3836 Fax: 780-891-3942

Website: www.bigstone.ca

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 2,980 (44%)

Off-reserve 3,805 (56%)

Total 6,785

198.7 Land Base By Reserve Jean Baptiste Gambler 183

(hectares) Wabasca 166 8,452.4

> Wabasca 166A 682.1 Wabasca 166B 2,413.4 Wabasca 166C 3.502.6 Wabasca 166D

5,817.4

Total 21,066.6

Chief Gordon Auger

Councillors Ida Alook Art Bigstone Clayton Auger Clara Moberly

Mike Beaver Silas Yellowknee

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Athabasca-Redwater Jeff Johnson for IR 183

Lesser Slave Lake Pearl Calahasen for IRs 166-166D

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca) Brian Jean

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Blood Tribe Profile: First Nation

Location 40 km southwest of Lethbridge

Contact P O Box 60, Stand Off, Alberta T0L 1Y0

Phone: 403-737-3753 Fax: 403-737-2336

Website: www.bloodtribe.org

Treaty Area 7

Tribal Affiliation Blackfoot

Linguistic Group Algonquian Blackfoot

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 7,900 (72%)

Off-reserve 3,174 (28%)

Total 11,074

 Land Base By Reserve
 Blood 148
 134,292.9

 (hectares)
 Blood 148A
 1,971.7

Total 136,264.6

Chief Charles Weaselhead

Councillors Dexter Bruised Head James Gladstone

Andrew Bull Calf
Joshua Curly Rider
Dolores Day Chief
Sheldon Day Chief
Kirby Many Fingers
Ira Tail Feathers
Ronnie Thunder Chief
Norbert Weaselhead

Rodney First Rider Franklyn White Quills

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Livingston-Macleod Evan Berger for IR 148

Cardston Taber-Warner Broyce Jacobs for IR 148A

Member of Parliament (Macleod) Honourable Ted Menzies

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Chipewyan Prairie

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 97 km southwest of Fort McMurray

Contact General Delivery, Chard, Alberta T0P 1G0

Phone: 780-559-2259 Fax: 780-559-2213

Website: www.chipewyan.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Chipewyan

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Chipewyan, Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 354 (49%)

Off-reserve 374 (51%)

Total 728

Land Base By Reserve Janvier 194 2,486.7

(hectares) Cowper Lake 194A 143.0

Winefred Lake 194B 450.0 Total 3,079.7

Chief Vern Janvier

Councillors Jules Nokohoo

Stuart Janvier

Sherry Black

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)

Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Cold Lake

First Nations Profile: First Nation

Location 26 km east of Bonnyville

Contact P O Box 1769, Cold Lake, Alberta T9M 1P4

Phone: 780-594-7183 Fax: 780-594-3577

Website: www.clfns.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Chipewyan

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,284 (52%)

Off-reserve 1,181 (48%)

Total 2,465

Land Base By Reserve Cold Lake 149 14,528.1

(hectares) Cold Lake 149A 71.6

 Cold Lake 149B
 4,134.0

 Cold Lake 149C
 2,023.5

Total 20,757.2

Chief Cecil Janvier

Councillors Cameron Janvier

Kyle Janvier
David Janvier
Bernice Marshall
Roger Marten
Judy Nest

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake) Genia Leskiw

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul) Brian Storseth

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Profile: First Nation

Dene Tha' First Nation

Location	100 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 209, 210, 211)
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140 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 213, 214)

70 km northwest of High Level (I.R. 212)

10 km east of High Level (I.R. 207)

Contact P O Box 120, Chateh, Alberta T0H 0S0

Phone: 780-321-3775 Fax: 780-321-3886

Website: www.denetha.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Slavey

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Slave

Population*	On-reserve and Crown Land	1,953 (72%)
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Off-reserve 762 (28%)

Total 2,715

Land Base By Reserve Amb

(hectares)

Total	30,038.0
Zama Lake 210	2,307.2
Upper Hay River 212	1,418.0
Jackfish Point 214	103.6
Hay Lake 209	12,355.3
Bushe River 207	11,167.5
Bistcho Lake 213	354.1
Amber River 211	2,332.3

Chief James Ahnassay

Councillors Bernard Beaulieu Andrea Denechoan

Kenneth Didzena Gerry Pastion
Delbert Salopree Avalon Seniantha
Gabriel Didzena Thomas Talley

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)

Honourable Frank Oberle

Member of Parliament (Peace River)

Chris Warkentin

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Profile: First Nation

Driftpile First Nation

Location 66 km west of Slave Lake

Contact Box 30, Driftpile, Alberta T0G 0V0

Phone: 780-355-3868 Fax: 780-355-3650 Website: www.driftpilecreenation.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 895 (37%)

Off-reserve 1,515 (63%)
Total 2,410

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Land Base By Reserve Driftpile River 150 6,354.8

(hectares) Total 6,354.8

Chief Rose Laboucan

Councillors Devon Bellerose James (Jimmy) Giroux

Tommy Bellerose Terry Giroux
Rodney Chalifoux Stanley Isadore

Dwayne Laboucan

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Duncan's First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 39 km southwest of Peace River (IR 151A)

40 km southeast of Peace River (IR 151K)

Contact P O Box 148, Brownvale, Alberta T0H 0L0

Phone: 780-597-3777 Fax: 780-597-3920

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 135 (58%)

Off-reserve 99 (42%)

Total 234

Land Base By Reserve Duncan's 151A 2,036.8

(hectares) William McKenzie 151K 389.3

Total 2,426.1

Chief Donald Testawich

Councillors

Gloria Donna Testawich

Virginia Martha Gladue

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Dunvegan-Central Peace Honourable Hector Goudreau for IR 151A

Peace River Honourable Frank Oberle for IR 151K

Member of Parliament (Peace River) Chris Warkentin

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Enoch Cree Nation

#440 Profile: First Nation

Location 13 km southwest of Edmonton

Contact P O Box 29, Enoch, Alberta T7X 3Y3

Phone: 780-470-4505 Fax: 780-470-3380

Website: www.enochecdev.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,579 (71%)

Off-reserve 632 (29%)

Total 2,211

Land Base By Reserve Stony Plain 135 5,306.2

(hectares) Stony Plain 135A 2.0

Total 5308.2

Chief Harry Sharphead

Councillors

Pearl Cardinal
Cody Hodgson

Wayne Morin
Clark Peacock

Kelly Morin Diane Stamp Lorne Morin Nola Wanuch

Shane Morin

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Stony Plain) Fred Lindsay

Member of Parliament (Edmonton-Spruce Grove)

Honourable Rona Ambrose

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Profile: First Nation

Ermineskin Tribe

Location 13 km south of Wetaskiwin

Contact P O Box 219, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0

Phone: 780-585-3741 Fax: 780-585-2550

Website: www.creegallery.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 3,148 (78%)

Off-reserve 836 (22%)

Total 4,011

Land Base By Reserve Ermineskin 138 10,295.8 (hectares) Pigeon Lake 138A 1,921.1

(Common reserve shared by Hobbema bands)

Chief Gerald (Gerry) Ermineskin

Councillors

Richard Coyote

Ken Cutarm

Daniel Makinaw

Ken Cutarm Daniel Makinaw
Brian Lee Gordon Minde
Richard Lightning Bruce Lee

Other Elected Representatives:

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose) Honourable Verlyn Olson

Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)

Blaine Calkins

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Fort McKay

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 50 km northwest of Fort McMurray (IR 174)

105 km northwest of Fort McMurray (IR 174A, 174B)

Contact P O Box 5360, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9H 3G4

Phone: 780-828-4220 Fax: 780-828-4680

Website: www.fortmckay.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Chipewyan

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 367 (53%)

Off-reserve 324 (47%)

Total 691

Land Base By Reserve Fort McKay 174 3,001.3

(hectares) Namur River 174A 4,614.9 Namur Lake 174B 3,122.2

 Namur Lake 174B
 3,122.2

 Fort McKay 174C
 3,381.4

 Fort McKay 174D
 660.8

Total 14,780.6

Chief Jim Boucher

Councillors David Boucher Cecilia Fitzpatrick

Michael Orr Raymond Powder

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)

Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Fort McMurray #468

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 35 km southeast of Fort McMurray

Contact P O Box 6130, Fort McMurray, Alberta T9H 4W1

Phone: 780-334-2293 Fax: 780-334-2457

Website: www.atc97.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree and Athapaskan Chipewyan

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 266 (42%)

Off-reserve 362 (58%)

Total 628

Land Base By Reserve Clearwater 175 915.4

(hectares) Gregoire Lake 176 2,231.9

Gregoire Lake 176A 67.4 Gregoire Lake 176B 17.0

Total 3,231.7

Chief Albert Cree

Councillors

Nancy Ann Cree

Bernadette Dumais

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)

Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Frog Lake

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 32 km southeast of Bonnyville

Contact General Delivery, Frog Lake, Alberta T0A 1M0

Phone: 780-943-3737 Fax: 780-943-3966

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,788 (65%)

Off-reserve 962 (35%)

Total 2,750

Land Base By ReserveUnipouheos 1218,506.3(hectares)Puskiakiwenin 12210,339.1

Total 18,845.4

Chief Clifford Stanley

Councillors Clifford Cross Terry Moyah

Keith Faithful Collin Quinney

Wayne Faithful

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)

Genia Leskiw

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Brian Storseth

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Heart Lake

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 45 km northeast of Lac La Biche

Contact P O Box 447, Lac La Biche, Alberta T0A 2C0

Phone: 780-623-2130 Fax: 780-623-3505

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Chipewyan and Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 197 (64%)

Off-reserve 110 (36%)

4.496.2

Total 307

Land Base By Reserve Heart Lake 167

(hectares) Heart Lake 167A 8.3

Total 4,504.5

Chief Morris Monias

Caddie Blood

Sheila Monias

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul) Honourable Ray Danyluk

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca) Brian Jean

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Horse Lake

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 60 km northwest of Grande Prairie (IR 152B)

150 km north of Grande Prairie (IR 152C)

Contact P O Box 303, Hythe, Alberta T0H 2C0

Phone: 780-356-2248 Fax: 780-356-3666 Website: www.horselakefirstnation.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Beaver

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Beaver

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 447 (47%)

Off-reserve 506 (53%)

Total 953

Land Base By Reserve Clear Hills 152C 1,547.1 (hectares) Horse Lakes 152B 1,552.0

Tieres Lartes 1928

Total 3,099.1

Chief Rick Horseman

Councillors Brian Horseman Michael Horseman

Eugene Horseman Todd (Allan) Horseman

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Grande Prairie-Wapiti Wayne Drysdale for IR 152B

Dunvegan-Central Peace Honourable Hector Goudreau for IR 152C

Member of Parliament (Peace River) Chris Warkentin

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Kapawe'no

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 30 km northeast of High Prairie

Contact Box 10, Grouard, Alberta T0G 1C0

Phone: 780-751-3800 Fax: 780-751-3864 Website: www.kapaweno.homestead.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 111 (34%)

Off-reserve 218 (66%)

Total 329

Land Base By Reserve Kapawe'no 150B 29.6

(hectares) Kapawe'no 150C 21.0

Kapawe'no 150D390.1Kapawe'no 229129.0Kapawe'no 230846.0Kapawe'no 231147.0

Total 1,562.7

Chief Frank Thomas Halcrow

Councillors Peter Chalifoux

Sydney Halcrow

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Kehewin

Cree Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 20 km south of Bonnyville

Contact Box 220, Kehewin, Alberta T0A 1C0

Phone: 780-826-3333 Fax: 780-826-2355

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,117 (59%)

Off-reserve 770 (41%)

Total 1,887

Land Base By Reserve Kehewin 123 8,225

(hectares) Total 8,225

Chief Ernest Gadwa

Councillors Eugene Cardinal William John

Éric Gadwa Lelian John
Gordon Gadwa Rodney John

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Bonnyville-Cold Lake)

Genia Leskiw

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St. Paul)

Brian Storseth

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Little Red River

Cree Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 48 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 215)

90 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 162)

Contact P O Box 30, John D'Or Prairie, Alberta T0H 3X0

Phone: 780-759-3912 Fax: 780-759-3780

Website: www.lrrcn.ab.ca

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 4,035 (88%)

Off-reserve 550 (12%)

Total 4,585

Land Base By Reserve Fox Lake 162 10,438.3

(hectares) John D'Or Prairie 215 14,034.0

Total 24,472.3

Chief Gus Loonskin

Councillors

Floyd Auger
Delmer D'Or
Delmer Daniel Nanooch
Lester Nanooch

Henry Grandejambe Michael Nanooch Arthur Laboucan Alfred Seeseequon

John M. Laboucan Lorne Tallcree

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Peace River)

Honourable Frank Oberle

Member of Parliament (Peace River)

Chris Warkentin

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Loon River

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Loon Lake

Contact P O Box 189, Red Earth Creek, Alberta T0G 1X0

Phone: 780-649-3883 Fax: 780-649-3873

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 410 (82%)

Off-reserve 93 (18%)

Total 503

Land Base By Reserve Loon Lake 235 6,902.3

(hectares) Loon Prairie 237 259.6

Swampy Lake 236 14,744.4 **Total 21,906.3**

Chief Arthur Noskey

Councillors Bernadette Nicholson Andrew Noskey

Mable Noskiye Ivan Sawan

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake) Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Louis Bull Tribe

Profile: First Nation

Location 16 km southwest of Wetaskiwin

Contact P O Box 130, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0

Phone: 780-585-3978 Fax: 780-585-3799

Website: www.louisbulltribe.ca

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,635 (82%)

Off-reserve 354 (18%)

Total 1,989

Land Base By Reserve Louis Bull 138B 3,388.1

(hectares) Total 3,388.1

Chief Rusty Threefingers

Councillors Bert Bull Trevor Larocque

Irvin Bull Henry Raine
Larry Bull Cyrus Threefingers

Kelsey Crane Barb Larocque

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Drayton Valley-Calmar)

Diana McQueen

Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)

Blaine Calkins

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Lubicon Lake

Nation Profile: First Nation

Contact P O Box 6731, Peace River, Alberta T8S 1S5

Phone: 780-629-3945 Fax: 780-629-3939

Website: lubiconlakenation.com

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 267 (59%)

Off-reserve 186 (41%)

Total 453

Land Base By Reserve

(hectares)

Not Applicable

Chief Unconfirmed**

Councillors Unconfirmed**

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)

Pearl Calahasen

Chris Warkentin

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^{**}Currently, there are no Chief and Council recognized by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Mikisew Cree

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location Reserves are located adjacent to and north of

Fort Chipewyan

Contact Allison Bay Indian Reserve #219

P O Box 90, Fort Chipewyan, Alberta T0P 1B0

Phone: 780-697-3740 Fax: 780-697-3826

Website: www.mikisew.org

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 770 (30%)

Off-reserve 1,838 (70%)

Total 2,608

Land Base By Reserve

(hectares)

Old Fort 217 1.509.0 Dog Head 218 29.7 Allison Bay 219 1.861.0 Devil's Gate 220 819.1 Sandy Point 221 204.0 518.0 Peace Point 222 Colin Lake 223 36.4 Cornwall Lake 224 69.3 Charles Lake 225 64.5

Total 5,111.0

Chief Roxanne Marcel

Councillors Steve Courtoreille Terry Marten

Willie Courtoreille Philip Tourangeau
Russell Kaskamin Juanita Whitehead

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)

Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Profile: First Nation

Montana First Nation

Location 24 km south of Wetaskiwin

Contact P O Box 70, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0

Phone: 780-585-3744 Fax: 780-585-3264 Website: www.montanafirstnation.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 731 (78%)

Off-reserve 208 (22%)

Total 939

Land Base By Reserve Montana 139 2,824.8

(hectares) Total 2,824.8

Chief Carolyn Buffalo

Councillors Garry Louis Bradley Rabbit

Rema Rabbit Leonard Standingontheroad

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose)

Honourable Verlyn Olson

Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)

Blaine Calkins

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O'Chiese First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 50 km northwest of Rocky Mountain House (IR 203)

20 km southwest of Rocky Mountain House (IR 203A)

Contact P O Box 1570

Rocky Mountain House, Alberta T4T 1B2

Phone: 403-989-3943 Fax: 403-989-3795

Website: www.ochiese.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Ojibwa

Linguistic Group Algonquian Ojibwa

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 761 (69%)

Off-reserve 343 (31%)

Total 1,104

Land Base By Reserve O'Chiese 203 14,131.9

(hectares) O'Chiese Cemetery 203A 0.1

Total 14,132.0

Chief Darren Whitford

Councillors

Douglas Beaverbones Cleon Strawberry

Martin Ironbow Robert Strawberry

Barry Saulteaux Cedric Whitford

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Rocky Mountain House)

Ty Lund

Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)

Honourable Rob Merrifield

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Paul First Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 87 km west of Edmonton (IR 133A, 133B)

100 km southwest of Edmonton (IR 133C)

Contact P O Box 89, Duffield, Alberta T0E 0N0

Phone: 780-892-2691 Fax: 780-892-3402

Website: www.paulfirstnation.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Stoney

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree and Siouan Dakota

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,310 (69%)

Off-reserve 577 (31%)

Total 1,887

Land Base By Reserve Wabamun 133A 6,116.9

(hectares) Wabamun 133B 178.5 Buck Lake 133C 1,035.2

Total 7,330.6

Chief Casey Bird

Councillors Dennis Bird Darren Rain

Dwayne House Jason Rain

Myrna Rabbit-Bearhead

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Stony Plain Fred Lindsay for IRs133A-B
Drayton Valley-Calmar Diana McQueen for IR 133C

Members of Parliament

Yellowhead Honourable Rob Merrifield for IRs 133A-B

Wetaskiwin Blaine Calkins for IR 133C

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Peerless Trout #478

First Nation¹ Profile: First Nation

Location Peerless Lake is located 240 km north of the Town of

Slave Lake. Trout Lake is located about 250 km north

of Lesser Slave Lake.

Contact P O Box 1128, Slave Lake, Alberta TOG 2A0

Phone: 780-869-2331 Fax: 780-869-2849

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Ojibwa

Population² 723

Land Base By Reserve³ Peerless Lake has a land area of approximately

11.1 square kilometres. Trout Lake has a land area of

approximately 5.3 square kilometres.

Chief James Alook

Councillors Sharon Laboucan Emile Houle

William Houle Gary Nosklyed

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Athabasca-Redwater)

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Jeff Johnson

Pearl Calahasen

¹ The new Peerless Trout First Nation was created on May 19, 2010.

² Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC). Please see Footnote 3.

³ Reserve lands have yet to be set aside for the First Nation. This process may take 3-5 years.

Piikani Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 60 km west of Lethbridge

Contact P O Box 70, Brocket, Alberta T0K 0H0

Phone: 403-965-3940 Fax: 403-965-2214

Treaty Area 7

Tribal Affiliation Blackfoot

Linguistic Group Algonquian Blackfoot

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 2,392 (67%)

Off-reserve 1,162 (33%)

Total 3,554

Land Base By Reserve Peigan 147 42,699.2 (hectares) Peigan 147B 2,978.6

Total 45,677.8

Chief Gayle Strikes With A Gun

Councillors Erwin Bastien Alvin Prairie Chicken

Doane Crowshoe Kevin Provost

Patricia English Charels Red Young Man
Herman Many Guns Lance Yellow Face

Jordon No Chief Charles Yellow Face Adam North Peigan

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Livingston-Macleod) Evan Berger

Member of Parliament (Macleod) Honourable Ted Menzies

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Saddle Lake

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Saddle Lake Indian Reserve 125

Contact P O Box 100, Saddle Lake, Alberta T0A 3T0

Phone: 780-726-3829 Fax: 780-726-3788

Toll Free: 1-800-396-2167 Website: www.saddlelake.ca

Chief Eddy Makokis

Councillors Carl Quinn Donald Crane

Jason Whiskeyjack
Leo McGilvery
Patrick Shirt

John Shirt
Leonard Jackson
Sam Cardinal

Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve 128 (Whitefish (Goodfish) Lake First Nation)

Location 70 km southwest of Bonnyville

Contact P O Box 271, Goodfish Lake, Alberta T0A 1R0

Phone: 780-636-7000 Fax: 780-636-3534

Website: www.saddlelake.ca

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 6,097 (66%)

Off-reserve 3,203 (34%)

Total 9,300

Land Base By Reserve Saddle Lake 125 25,780.6

(hectares) Whitefish Lake 128 4,542.7

Total 30,323.3

Chief Eddy Makokis

Councillors Benjamin Houle Sandy Jackson

Tom Houle

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lac La Biche-St. Paul) Honourable Ray Danyluk

Member of Parliament (Westlock-St.Paul) Brian Storseth

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Samson Cree Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 20 km south of Wetaskiwin

Contact P O Box 159, Hobbema, Alberta T0C 1N0

Phone: 780-421-4926 Fax: 780-585-2700

Toll Free: 1-800-661-2579 Website: www.samsoncree.com

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 5,838 (80%)

Off-reserve 1,505 (20%)

Total 7,343

Land Base By Reserve Samson 137 13,552.0

Samson 137A 134.4

Total 13,686.4

Chief Marvin Yellowbird

Councillors Florence Buffalo Larron Northwest

Kurt Buffalo Claude Saddleback Sr.
Cecil Crier Lawrence Saddleback
Leiha Crier Rose Saddleback
Emil Cutknife Darwin Soosay

Lena Cutknife Shawn Yellowbird

Other Elected Representatives

(hectares)

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Wetaskiwin-Camrose) Honourable Verlyn Olson

Member of Parliament (Wetaskiwin)

Blaine Calkins

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Profile: First Nation

Sawridge First Nation

Location 250 km north of Edmonton

Contact P O Box 326, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A0

Phone: 780-849-4311 Fax: 780-849-3446

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 46 (12%)

Off-reserve 343 (88%)

Total 389

Land Base By Reserve Sawridge 150G 906.5

(hectares) Sawridge 150H 1,236.6

Total 2,143.3

Chief Roland Twinn

Councillors Justin Twin

Winona Twin

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Siksika Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 110 km east of Calgary

Contact P O Box 1100, Siksika, Alberta T0J 3W0

Phone: 403-264-7250 Fax: 403-734-5110

Website: www.siksikanation.com

Treaty Area 7

Tribal Affiliation Blackfoot

Linguistic Group Algonquian Blackfoot

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 3,860 (58%)

Off-reserve 2,781 (42%)

Total 6,641

Land Base By Reserve Siksika 146 71,087.5

(hectares) Total 71,087.5

Chief Fred Rabbit Carrier

Councillors

Adrian Stimson Sr.,

Carlon Big Snake

Clarence Wolf Leg

Eldon Weasel Child

Guy Medicine Shield Hector Winnipeg
Janice Doore Jason Charles Doore
Kendall Panther Bone Laverna McMaster

Reynold Medicine Traveller Herman Yellow Old Woman

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Little Bow)

Barry McFarland

Member of Parliament (Macleod)

Honourable Ted Menzies

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Smith's Landing

First Nation Profile: First Nation

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Contact P O Box 1470, Fort Smith, NT X0E 0P0

Phone: 867-872-4950 Fax: 867-872-5154

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Chipewyan

Linguistic Group Chipewyan

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 157 (49%)

Off-reserve 165 (51%)

322

Total

Land Base By Reserve Tthe Jere Ghaili 196B 401.1 (hectares) Li Deze 196C 729.4

K'i Tue 196D 484.3 Hokedhe Tue 196E 440.4

Tsu K'adhe Tue 196F 231.6
Tsu Tue 196G 42.7

Thebathi 196 6,310.5 Thabacha Nare 196A 397.2

Total 9,037.2

Chief Cheyeanne Paulette

Councillors Peter Paulette Fred Daniels

Gabe Sepp John Tourangeau

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo)

Guy Boutilier

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Stoney Nakoda

Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 80 km west of Calgary;

IR 216 is 50 km south of Calgary

Contact P O Box 40, Morley, Alberta T0L 1N0

Phone: 403-881-3770 Fax: 403-881-2676

Website: www.stoneynation.ca

Treaty Area 7

Tribal Affiliation Stoney

Linguistic Group Siouan Dakota, Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 4,533 (92%)

> Off-reserve 387 (8%)

Total 4,920

Land Base By Reserve Big Horn 144A 2,127.4

(hectares) Eden Valley 216 1,690.8

Stoney 142-143-144 39,264.5 Stoney 142B 5,692.4 Total 48,775.1

Bearspaw First Nation

Chief David Bearspaw

Councillors Roderick Lefthand Trevor Wesley

Patrick Twoyoungman Gordon Wildman

Chiniki First Nation

Chief Bruce Labelle

Councillors Frank Chiniki Charles Mark

Homer Holloway Clarence Wesley

^{*}Source: Indian Register, December 31, 2010. The Indian Register is the official record identifying all Status Indians in Canada and is maintained by Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC).

Stony Nakoda

Nation (continued) Profile: First Nation

Wesley First Nation

Chief Ernest Wesley

CouncillorsCharlie AbrahamWatson KaquittsTater HouseHank Snow

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Rocky Mountain House Ty Lund for IR 144A

Highwood George Groeneveld for IR 216

Banff-Cochrane Janis Tarchuk for IRs 142-144 &142B

Members of Parliament

Wild Rose Blake Richards for IRs 142-144 & 144A

Macleod Honourable Ted Menzies for IR 216

Sturgeon Lake

Cree Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 20 km west of Valleyview

Contact P O Box 757, Valleyview, Alberta T0H 3N0

Phone: 780-524-3307 Fax: 780-524-2711

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,404 (50%)

Off-reserve 1,391 (50%)

Total 2,795

Land Base By Reserve Sturgeon Lake 154 14,814.3

(hectares) Sturgeon Lake 154A 753.1

 Sturgeon Lake 154B
 97.1

 Total
 15,664.5

Chief Richard Kappo

Councillors Viola Goodswimmer Curtis Mitchell
Walter Goodswimmer Tammy Settee

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Darwin Hamelin Louis Napio

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Grande Prairie-Smoky) Honourable Mel Knight

Member of Parliament (Peace River)

Chris Warkentin

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Sucker Creek

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 22 km east of High Prairie

Contact P O Box 65, Enilda, Alberta T0G 0W0

Phone: 780-523-4426 Fax: 780-523-3111

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Creew

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 719 (29%)

Off-reserve 1,746 (71%)

Total 2,465

Land Base By Reserve Sucker Creek 150A 5,987.0

(hectares) Total 5,987.0

Chief Jim Badger

Councillors Lavern Willier George Prince

Thomas Willier Matthew Willier

David Prince Terry Calliou

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake) Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Profile: First Nation

Sunchild First Nation

Location 40 km northwest of Rocky Mountain House

Contact P O Box 747

Rocky Mountain House, Alberta T4T 1A5

Phone: 403-989-3740 Fax: 403-989-2533

Treaty Area 6

Tribal Affiliation Plains Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 846 (68%)

Off-reserve 400 (32%)

Total 1,246

Land Base By Reserve Sunchild 202 5,218.1

(hectares) Total 5,218.1

Chief James Frencheater

Councillors

Lisa Day Chief

Jonathan Frencheater

Richard Day Chief Melvin Goodrunning

Edwin Frencheater

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Rocky Mountain House) Ty Lund

Member of Parliament (Yellowhead)

Honourable Rob Merrifield

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Swan River

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 50 km west of Slave Lake

Contact P O Box 270, Kinuso, Alberta T0G 1K0

Phone: 780-775-3536 Fax: 780-775-3796

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 378 (33%)

Off-reserve 758 (67%)

Total 1,136

Land Base By ReserveSwan River 150E4,271.1(hectares)Assineau River 150F71.6

Assineau River 150F 71.6

Total 4,342.7

Chief Leon Chalifoux

Councillors Buddy Giroux

Preston Sound
Darryl Sound

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Profile: First Nation

Tallcree First Nation

Location 50 km southeast of Fort Vermilion (IR 173, 173A)

20 km east of Fort Vermilion (IR 163)

Contact P O Box 100, Fort Vermilion, Alberta T0H 1N0

Phone: 780-927-3727 Fax: 780-927-4375

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 525 (47%)
Off-reserve 583 (53%)

Total 1,108

Land Base By Reserve Beaver Ranch 163 841.7

(hectares) Beaver Ranch 163A 240.0

 Beaver Ranch 163B
 226.0

 Fort Vermilion 173B
 49.7

 Tallcree 173
 4,031.5

 Tallcree 173A
 2,723.4

 Wadlin Lake 173C
 48.0

 Total
 8,160.3

Chief Rupert Meneen

Councillors Ronnie Loonskin Terence Meneen
George Meneen Donna Mercredi

Other Elected Representatives

Members of the Legislative Assembly

Lesser Slave Lake Pearl Calahasen for IRs 173, 173A & 173C

Peace River Honourable Frank Oberle for IRs 163, 163A-B & 173B

Member of Parliament (Peace River) Chris Warkentin

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Tsuu T'ina Nation

Profile: First Nation

Location 13 km southwest of Calgary

Contact Ste 200, 9911 Chiila Boulevard

Tsuu T'ina, Alberta T2W 6H6

Phone: 403-281-4455 Fax: 403-251-6061

Website: www.tsuutina.ca

Treaty Area 7

Tribal Affiliation Sarcee

Linguistic Group Athapaskan Sarcee

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,489 (82%)

Off-reserve 327 (18%)

Total 1,816

Land Base By Reserve Tsuu T'ina 145 27,685.3

(hectares) Total 27,685.3

Chief Sandford C. Big Plume

Councillors Andy Onespot Brent Dodginghorse

Dean Manywounds Ellery Starlight
Gilbert Crowchild Ivan Eagletail
Jerry Simon Leon Littlelight
Vincent Crowchild Sr. Darryl Whitney

Lyle Dodginghorse Paul Whitney

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Foothills-Rocky View)

Ted Morton

Member of Parliament (Macleod) Honourable Ted Menzies

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Whitefish Lake

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location 80 km northeast of High Prairie

Contact General Delivery, Atikameg, Alberta T0G 0C0

Phone: 780-767-3914 Fax: 780-767-3922

Website: www.wfl128.com

Treaty Area

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 1,416 (63%)

Off-reserve 820 (37%)

Total 2,236

Land Base By Reserve Utikoomak Lake 155 6,693.2

(hectares) Utikoomak Lake 155A 1,041.0
Utikoomak Lake 155B 502.6

Total 8,236.8

Chief Eddie Tallman

Councillors Eddie Laboucan James Nahachick

Richard Laboucan Ivan Auger

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake) Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Fort McMurray-Athabasca)

Brian Jean

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Woodland Cree

First Nation Profile: First Nation

Location Cadotte Lake (79 km east of Peace River)

Contact General Delivery, Cadotte Lake, Alberta T0H 0N0

Phone: 780-629-3803 Fax: 780-629-3898

Toll-free: 1-800-465-8029

Treaty Area 8

Tribal Affiliation Woodland Cree

Linguistic Group Algonquian Cree

Population* On-reserve and Crown Land 743 (75%)

Off-reserve 247 (25%)

Total 990

Land Base By Reserve Woodland Cree 226 11,660.0

(hectares) Woodland Cree 227 660.0

Woodland Cree 228 3,786.0

Total 16,106.0

Chief William Whitehead

Councillors Kenny Auger Edna Auger-Boucher

Kathleen Laboucan Frank Whitehead

Other Elected Representatives

Member of the Legislative Assembly (Lesser Slave Lake)

Pearl Calahasen

Member of Parliament (Peace River)

Chris Warkentin

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MISSION

Aboriginal Relations' mission is to lead the development of government-wide policies, strategies and partnerships with Aboriginal organizations, governments and industry in support of healthy, vibrant Aboriginal communities and people, fully participating in a prosperous, competitive and diverse Alberta. The Ministry's core business is Aboriginal relationships, policies and initiatives.



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