

June 14, 2013

Environmental Appeals Board hearing schedule

The Environmental Appeals Board will conduct a hearing on July 16 and 17, 2013, commencing at 8:30 a.m. at the Best Western Village Park Inn in Calgary. The hearing was previously scheduled for November 15 and 16, 2012, however it was adjourned as a result of an interim agreement reached at mediation. The mediation has closed and since the appeal was not resolved, a hearing will now be held.

The Board will hear submissions with respect to an appeal filed by Regional Water Services Ltd. and Jeff Colvin in relation to Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development's decision to issue Water Management Order No. WMO-2012/02-SR under the Water Act to Regional Water Services and Mr. Colvin for failing to maintain the water level of Cochrane Lake, located in Rocky View County, in accordance with their Licence No. 00186639-00-00 thereby causing an adverse effect to adjacent residences.

The Environmental Appeals Board is a separate and independent body that reviews certain decisions made by Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development. The Board is composed of environmental experts from a variety of disciplines.

The application process to intervene in this hearing has closed. The Board has permitted Rocky View County and the Monterra on Cochrane Lakes Condominium Corporation to participate in the hearing. No further applications for intervention will be accepted. The hearing is open to the public for viewing only.

Copies of materials filed with the Board respecting this appeal are available for viewing at the Cochrane Nan Boothby Memorial Library during their normal operating hours, or by appointment at the Office of the Environmental Appeals Board in Edmonton.

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