

WEEK OF  
**December 12, 2024**

## We're hiring

Roads Services Operator (Limited Term)

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## Bid opportunities

Construction Manager at Risk –  
Cochrane RancheHouse Renovations

Closing date: December 13

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## Council adopts 2025 budget

On December 9, 2024, Council approved the 2025 budget, outlining Cochrane's goals and key projects for the coming year. The budget includes \$96 million for municipal operations and \$85.5 million for capital projects in 2025, with a focus on sustainable growth and maintaining high-quality services for residents. The full budget document will be available for public review in early 2025.

For more information, visit [cochrane.ca/budget](https://cochrane.ca/budget).



## Holiday collection schedule changes

For residents with Wednesday waste, recycling and organics collection:

- Pickups scheduled for December 25 will take place on Saturday, December 28.
- Pickups scheduled for January 1 will occur on Saturday, January 4.



## Are you passionate about Cochrane's natural areas?

The Town of Cochrane is seeking volunteers to form a Natural Environment Protection Task Force.

Apply by December 15 and be a part of ensuring Cochrane's vital landscapes are safeguarded for generations to come.

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## 2025 Business licences are now available

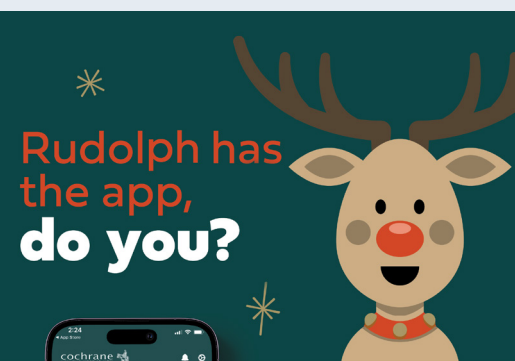
A Canada Post service disruption is currently in effect. Due to the strike, 2025 business licence invoices and 2025 business licence certificates may be delayed. Annual business licence fees are due by January 31, 2025.

To request an email copy, invoice number, or customer ID, please contact Business Licensing at 403-851-2573 or email [business.licences@cochrane.ca](mailto:business.licences@cochrane.ca)

## River Heights Water Storage Expansion Bylaw 27/2024

Cochrane Council proposes to pass a borrowing bylaw to finance construction of the River Heights Water Storage Expansion project in the amount of \$6,938,000. The borrowing is expected to be repaid over a 30-year time frame, from off-site levies and municipal taxes.

The public may inspect the proposed bylaw at Legislative Services, Cochrane RancheHouse, Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Electors may submit a separate petition with respect to the advertised bylaw calling for a vote of the electors to determine whether the proposed bylaw should be passed. The petition must meet the formal requirements of Sections 221-226 of the Municipal Government Act and be filed with the Director, Legislative Services within 15 days of the last date the proposed bylaw is advertised: December 19, 2024. Any petition is public information. This bylaw will be considered by Cochrane Council at the Monday, January 13, 2025 Regular Council Meeting. If you have any questions regarding the petition process or the use of the petition please contact the Director, Legislative Services at 403-851-2295.



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