

## Ben Armstrong Division #7 February 2020 Report

Feb 4 - Council – see website

Feb 10 - Kneehill IDP meeting in Kneehill Chambers

Feb 14 - SAEWA Board Executive – Telephone conference

Feb 18 - Council – see website

Feb 18 - Hussar Annual Fire Association meeting and Board meeting

Feb 19 - SAEWA Board Meeting at Wheatland County office. Received HDR's report on site location of Waste to Energy Plant. Unanimous vote to accept location – West of Newell Solid Waste Landfill on property owned by Newell Solid Waste Association.

Executive: Project Lead, Chairman of SAEWA and myself to meet with short listed MD's week of the 24 – 28 (Wheatland, Vulcan and Newell). Next step is to begin public consultations.

Feb 21 – D&DSWA – Organizational and Board meeting. Executive to remain same:

Chairman – Ben Armstrong – Wheatland County

Secretary/Treasurer – Daryl Drohomerski – Drumheller CAO

Board members: Steve Wonstrum – Starland County, Debbie Penner – Kneehill County, Tim Frank – Village of Hussar

Feb 26 – SAEWA – meeting with Wheatland Council

Feb 27 – SAEWA – meeting with Vulcan Council

Feb 28 – SAEWA – meeting with Newell Council

Meetings to go in depth why engineers chose Newell County Landfill location for preferred site. If that site should fall through then the Vulcan site would become the next choice of location.

All four locations (2 in Vulcan) are more than capable of hosting an EFW plant. Next steps are public consultation, reviewing and moving business plan forward. Province working with SAEWA to move project forward.

***Everyone outgrows childhood however some never outgrow childish behavior.***