

Public Health Recommendations for Re-entry Planning in the Urban and Rural Areas of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo (November 21, 2016)

The Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo has submitted the *Phase 1 Re-entry Plan for Abasand and Beacon Hill* (Phase 1 Plan), *Phase 2B Re-entry to Abasand and Beacon Hill* (Phase 2B Plan) and *Phase 2A Re-entry to Waterways* (Phase 2A Plan) to the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Alberta Health dated November 1, 2016 and October 20, 2016 respectively. The Phase 1 Plan and Phase 2B Plan provide detailed actions to be overseen and implemented by the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo to mitigate the health risks to residents who re-enter and re-occupy portions of Abasand and Beacon Hill neighbourhoods. The Phase 2A Plan provides detailed actions to be overseen and implemented by the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo to mitigate the health risks to residents who re-enter and re-occupy portions of Waterways neighbourhood.

Based on the contents of the Phase 1 Plan, Phase 2B Plan, Phase 2A Plan and assessment of the situation in Fort McMurray, Alberta's Chief Medical Officer of Health (CMOH) wishes to repeal all recommendations for re-entry and re-occupation. There will be no further restrictions on re-entry and re-occupation in relation to the areas identified in the above noted Plans.

Note: The Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo constitutes the legal Authority but may delegate responsibilities or actions as it sees fit.