## Kenneth King Division 7



Town of Drumheller, Special Areas, Starland, Wheatland and Kneehill Counties – Mayor/Reeves/Chair, Special Areas Board Meeting April 04, 2024

Continuing discussion with the mayor of the Town of Drumheller, Heather Colberg regarding funding for the Town of Drumheller through the ICF process.

The most recent meeting was a discussion about the Town of Drumheller's parking program that has been designed to bring additional revenue to the Town to help with recreational facility maintenance. This program is to bridge the gap until ICF agreements can be developed. Parking fees will be levied on all nonresident traffic during the tourist season, May 01 – October 31, 2024, will be collected at the normal tourist parking locations throughout the Town of Drumheller, but not at the downtown business or other shopping and business areas.

The Town of Drumheller would like to engage in ICF negotiations as soon as is reasonably possible, at the latest by the fall 2024. Amber Link, Reeve, Wheatland County questioned with the recent Municipal Affairs Engagement on ICFs announcement, whether we can negotiate at this time. May need to notify Municipal Affairs that we are entering into a voluntary, collaborative negotiations to work through the outstanding issues.

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