



PIGEON LAKE

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AGENCY LAUNCH FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MA-ME-O BEACH, July 17, 2014.

Pigeon Lake Summer Villages establish the Pigeon Lake Regional Emergency Management Agency (REMA)

The Summer Villages of Pigeon Lake Joint Committee is Alberta's first Regional Emergency Organization to have the Minister of Municipal Affairs approval (A:005/13) to authorize the Summer Villages of Argentia Beach, Crystal Springs, Golden Days, Grandview, Itaska Beach, Ma-Me-O Beach, Norris Beach, Poplar Bay, Silver Beach and Sundance Beach to form a joint committee under the *Emergency Management Act 11.3(1)b*. This service is delivered by the Regional Emergency Management Agency (REMA) on behalf of all 10 of the Summer Villages at Pigeon Lake, Alberta.

Regional Emergency Management Agency (REMA) is also pleased to announce the launch of its fully featured website www.pigeonlakeemergencyagency.ca. This new site has extensive information for visitors and ratepayers including steps to prepare and respond to disasters at Pigeon Lake.

The ultimate purpose of emergency management is to save lives, preserve the environment, protect property and the economy. The protection of life is of paramount importance. In the broadest sense, emergency management raises the understanding of risks and contributes to a safer, prosperous, sustainable, and disaster-resilient society using the Incident Command System (ICS).

For more information please visit www.pigeonlakeemergencyagency.ca

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"Helping Build a Disaster Resilient Community in the Pigeon Lake Region."

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