



# John S. Batiuk

Regional Water Commission

## Commission Members:

Town of Bruderheim  
Town of Lamont  
Town of Mundare  
Town of Vegreville  
Village of Chipman\*  
Lamont County  
Strathcona County

September 18, 2018

To: John S. Batiuk Commission Member Municipalities  
and ACE Water Corp.

Re: **Water Transmission Line Shutdown September 30 – October 2<sup>nd</sup> EPCOR Work**

This is to advise that EPCOR will require a shutdown of the North Side Transmission Line in order to relocate and install a new water metering station. The waterline is to be shut down on the evening of September 30<sup>th</sup> and brought back into service October 3<sup>rd</sup>. During this time municipalities are requested reduce consumption by not undertaking work such as street sweeping, sewer cleaning and fire hydrant flushing. As we will be in Water Demand Condition 'B' during this time member municipalities are asked to appeal to their public/customers to reduce their water consumption.

Prior to the shutdown, the Commission Operators will ensure that all member municipality reservoirs are full and we would ask that your public water/works personnel are made aware of the shutdown to ensure that all go into this shutdown with full reservoirs.

Throughout this period the On-Line Pumping Station will be provided with a limited supply via the second feed line from Strathcona County on an as needed basis through Operator communication. The 2<sup>nd</sup> feed from Strathcona County does not have the capacity to supply this entire customer base with water for an extended period. The Northeast Commission have indicated that water demand management by our customer base along with Operational coordination of reservoir fill requirements should get us through this period.

EPCOR Water will be advising Alberta Health Services and Alberta Environment of this scheduled shut down. The Northeast Commission has retained personnel with a historical background in working with Alberta Health Services through this type of outage to assist any Member Municipality and/or Commission Customer with questions or concerns that may come forward. This person is Karen Emde who can be reached at 780-920-1329 if the need arises.

Also, feel free to contact me at (780) 363-3982 if you have any questions or concerns regarding this shutdown.

Pat Tomkow  
Commission Manager