

Hello Caucus members,

Please be advised the date of the **Cochrane Outhouse Races has changed since my previous email (below). The NEW date is the morning of Sunday September 19.** We have just been advised of the new date from the event organizers. Apologies for any inconvenience this change may cause.

**BRING YOUR TEAM:** Each Outhouse team must consist of 5 persons – four to push the Outhouse in the race while the fifth person is seated on the throne. Your Outhouse team might consist of fire fighters from your jurisdiction or a local foot ball team or similar group. Lastly, should the mayor NOT wish to be seated in the Outhouse, a member of your team could serve in that capacity. Mayors can then cheer for their Outhouse team from the sidelines.

Registration materials and event details will be available shortly and I will provide to you as soon as I am in receipt. In the meantime, expressions of interest sent to me would be greatly appreciated.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you,

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Good morning Caucus members,

On behalf of Mayor Jeff Genung it is my pleasure to invite you to participate in the Mayor's Challenge held in conjunction with the annual Cochrane Outhouse Races (Sunday August 29, 2021).

The Mayor's Challenge will see up to six communities vie for the top title and accompanying bragging rights. LINK to related news article: <https://www.cochranetoday.ca/local-news/2021-cochrane-outhouse-races-ready-to-roll-3952906>

The fun and kooky race of outhouses is based on the Chuckwagon races at the Calgary Stampede and takes place in Cochrane's Historic Downtown area. During the race, one person must be sitting in the outhouse while four people push the throne to the finish line as fast as they can. To complicate matters the outhouse is required to be in working order and must have toilet paper and a seat.

Outhouses are supplied by competitors and, as part of safety measures, outhouses must qualify through an inspection before they can enter the races.

More event details will be shared as soon as they are available from the event organizers.

At this time, an expression of interest would be appreciated.

Please let me know if you would like to take it to the streets to compete for the top title.

Kind regards,

Rebecka