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RMA Receives Responses to Several Fall 2019 Resolutions

RMA has received responses from the Government of Alberta on 14 fall 2019 resolutions, as well as additional information on four fall 2019 resolutions for which the original Government of Alberta responses were received in February 2020. In previous years, the Government of Alberta has provided RMA with all resolution responses in a single package. However, the Government of Alberta has changed its resolution response process to have individual ministries directly provide RMA with responses to resolutions. As a result, RMA will receive responses to different resolutions at different times.

To ensure members are informed of resolution responses in a timely manner, RMA will share responses and initial statuses through a bulletin as they are received, in addition to continuing to publish [Advocacy Report Card](#) twice each year.

The following are the fall 2019 resolutions received to this point (click on each resolution number to view full response in the [RMA Resolution Database](#)):

#	RESOLUTION NAME	STATUS
1-19F	Priority of Unpaid Property Taxes on Linear Property	Intent Not Met
2-19F	Government of Alberta's Police Costing Test Model	Intent Not Met
3-19F	Development of a Rural and Remote Lens for Government Services	Intent Not Met
4-19F	Alberta Environment and Parks Water and Wastewater Facility and Landfill Approvals	Intent Not Met
5-19F	Landowners' Rights	Intent Not Met

6-19F	Municipal Recourse for Solvent Companies Choosing Not to Pay Taxes	Intent Not Met
7-19F	Utility Distribution Rates in Rural Communities and Public Facilities	Intent Not Met
9-19F	Setback Referrals for Development Near Sour Gas Facilities in Crown Land Areas	Intent Not Met
10-19F	Community Peace Officer Access to RCMP Radio Channels	Accepted in Principle
11-19F	Requirement for Municipal Authority Input on Energy Resource Development Projects	Intent Not Met
12-19F	<i>Libraries Act</i> Review and Rural Library Services	Intent Not Met
13-19F	Provincial Extended Producer Responsibility Regulations	Accepted
14-19F	Provincial Funding for Regional Air Ambulance	Intent Not Met
15-19F	Provincial Highway Access and Setback Authority	Intent Not Met
16-19F	GST for Grants and Subsidies Interpretation	Accepted in Part
17-19F	Airports Capital Assistance Program Funding for Regional Airports in Canada	Incomplete Information
19-19F	Water Security in Southern Alberta	Intent Not Met
20-19F	Policies for Supporting Community Hospice Associations	Accepted in Principle
21-19F	Cellular 911 Call Answer Fees Increase	Intent Not Met
23-19F	Mandatory Agriculture Education in the Classroom	Intent Not Met
ER1-19F	Dissolution of Mandatory Growth Management Boards	Intent Not Met

RMA will continue to update members through [Contact](#) as additional fall 2019 resolution responses are received.

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