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# Wetaskiwin

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### **Have Your Say Wetaskiwin community engagement site has a new look**

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(Wetaskiwin, Alberta) – The City's [Have Your Say Wetaskiwin](#) community engagement platform got a facelift today. Originally launched in February 2020, the new homepage appearance of the engagement site aims to streamline featured projects and provide better functionality for site users.

The *Have Your Say Wetaskiwin* engagement platform gives community members varied opportunities to share ideas, join in fun contests, and participate in engagement opportunities that will shape City projects, policies, and initiatives. A mix of projects, surveys, and contests have been featured on *Have Your Say Wetaskiwin* over the past year. One of the most popular past projects was the 2020 [Canada Day Decorating Contest](#).

"Engaging with the community on City-related projects and initiatives remains a priority," said City Manager Sue Howard. "Your feedback and input help shape our community. I encourage everyone to check out this engagement site and share your thoughts on the various initiatives."

It has become increasingly difficult to engage in-person with community members due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and this online engagement platform is one tool offered by the City to ensure community members can continue to share their ideas and thoughts. The site has seen over 41,000 visits since its original launch in February 2020.

Visit [haveyoursay.wetaskiwin.ca](https://haveyoursay.wetaskiwin.ca) to check out the new look for the platform and see what engagement projects are open for participation.

#### **About the City of Wetaskiwin**

Wetaskiwin is a secure, connected, and inclusive community, home to a diverse population of 12,655 people. Located only 30 minutes south of the Edmonton International Airport, the City of Wetaskiwin provides a high quality of life through ample recreation opportunities, diverse cultural activities, and a modernized, business-friendly downtown.

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