

Public Presentation Committee

Subject:	Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary
Date:	January 15, 2025
Presenter:	Bri Sharpe, Community Services Coordinator

REPORT SUMMARY

Alison Bortolon and Georgina De Caigny from the Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary will provide a presentation on Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary.

ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Public Presentation Committee receive the Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary presentation for information.

BACKGROUND

The Public Presentation Committee provides a forum for members of the public and stakeholder groups to present information and updates to the County to ensure the County understands the needs and concerns of its communities. One of the Committee's functions is to hear presentations from organizations, groups, or individuals such as Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary.

DISCUSSION

The purpose of this presentation is to provide the Committee with information about our Sanctuary, from the past, present, and goals for the future. The mission of the sanctuary is to provide rescued wolfdogs with a meaningful and fulfilled life, while offering experiential education to promote the well-being and understanding of wolfdogs within our domestic world. By cultivating authentic connections between our wolfdogs and people, our goal is to inspire an appreciation for wolves in the wild and reconnection to our natural world. We are the sole wolfdog sanctuary in all of Canada and are located right here in Rocky View County. We are an anchor tourist destination for our area and see visitors both local, as well as international, all of which benefits our local economy.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary Request to Present Form

Attachment B: Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary Presentation