Sarah Fotty

Councillor candidate

Background

I have been a proud resident of this community for almost 15 years. My family and I chose to make Rocky Mountain House our home because we knew it was the kind of place where we wanted to live, work, and raise our family. Over the years, I have been actively involved as a volunteer in local sports, recreation, and community initiatives. Giving my time and energy to support individuals, programs, and events has deepened my connection to the people who live here and strengthened my commitment to our community.

Why I Want to Serve on Council

I am running for town council because I care deeply about the future of our community. I believe that by working together, we can make thoughtful decisions that support growth, create opportunities, and ensure Rocky Mountain House remains welcoming and vibrant for families, individuals, seniors, and businesses alike.

Experience and Community Involvement

I have had the privilege of working collaboratively with businesses, organizations, and colleges to bring new programs and opportunities to our community. I have also worked with various levels of government and successfully managed grants that support local initiatives.

My background is diverse, with experience in the oil field in Northern Alberta as well as in the health care and education sectors. These experiences have given me a well-rounded perspective and a deep appreciation for the many different lifestyles and needs that exist in our community. Through my volunteer work in sports, recreation, and community programs, I've learned the importance of listening, building relationships, and working collaboratively. Combined with strong organizational skills and a team-focused approach, I believe these experiences will serve me well as a councillor.

Top Priorities if Elected

If elected, some of my key priorities will include:

- Listening to and engaging with residents to ensure decisions reflect the voices of the people who live here.
- Supporting programs and recreation opportunities so all residents have access to activities that build connection, well-being, and community spirit.
- Exploring ways to increase affordable housing and multi-family options so individuals and families can find suitable homes.
- Promoting responsible growth and development that balances economic opportunity with preserving the unique character of Rocky Mountain House.
- Practicing strong financial responsibility by making informed decisions that keep the needs of today's residents in mind while planning wisely for the needs of future generations.

Final Thoughts

It has been a privilege to give back to this community through years of volunteering. I am passionate about listening, collaborating, and building a future that reflects the values and priorities of the people who call Rocky Mountain House home.

Sincerely, Sarah Fotty