

FUNDING:

PRMS operates under a user pay principle. Sources of revenue include; shareholder requisitions, administration of safety codes, planning and consulting fees.

STAFF:

CEO, Office Manager, Senior Planner, Planner II, GIS Coordinator, Safety Codes Administrator, Office Clerk

STRUCTURE:

General membership meetings once per year.

Board of Directors: provide overall financial direction and operational guidance.

Board is comprised of :

- 2 nominees of urban authorities paying the highest requisition.
- 2 nominees of rural authorities paying the highest requisition
- 3 other nominees
- such additional members as voted upon
- elected Executive

OTHER COMMITTEES:

Meet as required with CAO participation

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

PRMS owns a modern 6,000sq.ft. building on 1.4 acres in Hanna

Annual audited statements are performed.

Current Board of Directors

Mr. Kyle Olsen, Chairman	Town of Hanna
Mr. Trevor Hittel, Vice Chairman	Town of Oyen
Mrs. Crystal Sereda	Town of Drumheller
Mr. John Kimber	Special Areas Board
Mr. Dale Norton	County of Paintearth
Mr. Chris Reeds	Town of Trochu
Mr. Mark Landry	Starland County
Mr. Dennis Kuiken	Village of Acme

Staff Members

Devin Diano	CEO
Kari Bott	Office Manager
Tracy Woitenko	Senior Planner
Garry Wilson	Planner II
Elliot Hall	GIS Coordinator
Linda Taylor	Safety Codes Administrator
Delayne Bankhead	Office Clerk

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FACT SHEET



Palliser Regional
Municipal
Services Co. Ltd.

2024

Providing effective and affordable local government services with expertise that supports regional cooperation and communication.

A Synopsis of Services,
Structure & Staffing

Palliser Regional

► Municipal Services

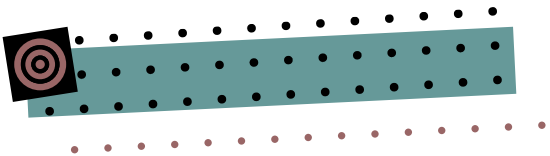
HISTORY:

Palliser Regional Municipal Services (PRMS) was formed in April of 1995 through a collection of enacting bylaws by member municipalities when the Province disbanded Regional Planning Commissions. Palliser was incorporated on July 10, 2007 as a non-profit corporation.

SHAREHOLDERS:

County of Paintearth	Village of Consort
Municipal District of Acadia	Village of Delia
Special Areas # 2, 3 & 4	Village of Empress
Starland County	Village of Halkirk
Town of Castor	Village of Hussar
Town of Coronation	Village of Linden
Town of Drumheller	Village of Morrin
Town of Hanna	Village of Munson
Town of Oyen	Village of Rockyford
Town of Trochu	Village of Standard
Village of Acme	Village of Veteran
Village of Carbon	Village of Youngstown

The M.D. of Provost No. 52 is a non-member receiving service on a fee-for-service basis.



SERVICES PROVIDED:

SUBDIVISION APPROVAL

- Processing of applications for subdivision approval and finalization in accordance with legislative requirements
- Advice to municipal residents making application for subdivision approval
- Review of subdivision designs proposed by the municipality
- Attendance at Appeal Hearings

STATUTORY PLANS AND BYLAWS

- Amendments to Land Use Bylaws as required
- Amendments to Municipal Development Plans, Area Structure Plans, Area Redevelopment Plans and Intermunicipal Development Plans as required.
- Preparation and full-scale review of Municipal Development Plans
- Preparation and full-scale review of Land Use Bylaws
- Area Structure Plans
- Area Redevelopment Plans
- Intermunicipal Development Plans
- Assistance with Road Closures/Municipal or Environmental Reserve Closures

PUBLIC HEARINGS

- Attendance and reports LUB/Statutory Plan amendment public hearings
- Assistance with submissions to Annexation Hearings
- SDAB training and assistance

GIS/MAPPING

- Full access to the Palliser Webmap—simplified online GIS access to M.D. spatial information for public and internal users
- Mapping for plans, reports, tourism brochures, etc.
- GIS development and advise
- Subdivision Design

- Municipal Base Map Maintenance
- Land Use Bylaw Map Maintenance, registered plans, index map preparation and specialized mapping functions.
- Data Base (land use, demographic, etc.) maintenance and update

ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE

- Day-to-day advice on implementation of local land use bylaws and other planning matters for local officials/administration
- Consultation/Advice to ratepayers for applications and planning processes
- Consultation with Provincial departments
- Municipal Government Act and Provincial regulation interpretation
- Attendance by professional planning staff at Municipal Planning Commission, Development Appeal Board and/or Council meetings to provide advice on planning matters.
- Access to professional staff trained in land use planning and such related fields as Computerized Mapping, Design and Geographic Information Systems
- Mentoring/assistance to Development Officers and Clerical staff

COMMUNICATIONS

- Participation in the intermunicipal forum established through General Meetings of the organization membership
- Information on the initiatives of other agencies affecting municipal interests
- Training initiatives

ADMINISTRATION OF SAFETY CODES

- PRMS is accredited in building, electrical, gas, and plumbing disciplines under an agency QMP. Inspections contracted to Superior Safety Codes.

ADDITIONAL PROJECTS

- Consideration for regional partnership opportunities
- Access to regional grant programs
- Representation with Provincial planning initiatives (Land Use Framework, Regional Plans, Watershed Planning, etc.)