



2006 CORPORATE UPDATE

Restructuring, Evaluation, and Performance Measurement

Current and projected supply of child care spaces in Alberta

Evaluation of a client services pilot project at two regional locations for Alberta Human Resources and Employment

Development of methodology and recommendations for measuring the performance of programs serving Albertans with brain injuries and Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders

Consulting support related to the Provincial Nominee Program for Alberta Economic Development

Dissemination plans for Primary Health Care Transition Fund

Development of provincial labour force industry and sector sub-strategies and action plans

Development of a strategic vision for ALIS website redesign

Development of a framework for assessing the social impacts of growth in Alberta

Research support to the province's capital planning activities

Evaluation of a multi-jurisdictional steering committee's work on telephone triage services

Surveys, Consultation, and Focus Groups

Consultation regarding certification in the Natural Gas Compression Technician Industry

Design of a survey of individuals who left provincial apprenticeship programs prior to completion

Surveys of tourism providers to measure awareness and satisfaction with services provided by Travel Alberta

Satisfaction survey of people who have accessed the Alberta Adult Health Benefit

Development of a policy framework for the Regional Water and Wastewater Partnership Initiative

Service Provider Satisfaction Survey for the Alberta Office of the Public Guardian

Transactional and satisfaction surveys, and training and test calls related to a natural gas distribution company's EUB compliance plan

Focus groups with new home buyers to help to assess the price elasticity of optional housing features

Socio-Economic and Economic Analysis

Ongoing consulting support to the Regional Issues Working Group, a collaboration of oil sands companies in the Wood Buffalo region

Periodic updates of the Oil Sands Information Publication

Development of a population impact model for a resource company to assist in planning a major extraction processing facility

Socio-economic impact analyses of PetroCanada's Fort Hills Upgrader, Synenco Northern Lights Upgrader, ConocoPhillips Surmont Phase 2, and Suncor's Firebag phases 4-6 Project

Economic/socio-economic assessments of Canadian Hydro Developers' Melancton Wind Project, coalbed methane development in the Fort Assiniboine area, and the Agrium Redwater plant

Provision of expert testimony on behalf of resource companies at joint review panels of the Suncor Voyager, the Shell Scotford Upgrader Expansion, the Shell Muskeg River Mine Expansion, and the Imperial Oil Kearl Project regulatory applications

Development of student population projections for a number of school divisions in Alberta

Consulting and research support for the Oil Sands Ministerial Strategy Committee

Economic evaluation of proposed all weather roads in the Tli Cho Region, NWT

A review of cost escalation factors in provincial road-building

Aboriginal Studies

Benefit Analysis of Increased Aboriginal Labour Force Participation

General consulting support related to municipal expenditures benchmarks in Métis Settlements

Support for negotiation processes with First Nations groups

Stakeholder consultations and development of labour force strategies for Aboriginals

Economic opportunity profile for the CNRL Bigstone Cree Resource Partnership Project

Municipal

Development of benchmarks for community facilities in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo

Inventory and analysis of provincial-municipal programs and services

Development of a pilot municipal internship program for land use planners

Advisory services to Edmonton's Office of Infrastructure and Capital Infrastructure Committee

Business planning support for Edmonton's Transportation Planning Branch

Assessment of Edmonton's Sustainable Neighborhood Rehabilitation Program

Annexation financial analyses for City of Calgary/M.D. of Rocky View

Ongoing support to the Regional Issues Working Group (RIWG), a collaboration of oil sands companies, in respect of royalty and tax issues, housing, and infrastructure needs

Demographic analysis in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo. Recent assignments have included the impact of workers living in camps, and research to determine the number of mobile workers living in the region.

Research and presentations to the Minister's Council on Municipal Sustainability

Development of a multiyear capital budget planning process for the City of Edmonton

Review of the City of Edmonton's Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

Facilitation of a municipal council's strategic planning retreat



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