



- Alberta Beach
- Birch Cove
- Nakamun Park
- Ross Haven
- Sandy Beach
- Silver Sands
- South View
- Sunrise Beach
- Val Quentin
- West Cove

**SVREMP ADVISORY COMMITTEE ANNUAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 2025 AT 6:30 PM
VIRTUAL**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82827432587?pwd=4LuhMnngtb39Zbadl0uo4s2vW0J7uT.1&jst=3>

1. Call to Order: Chair - Ren Giesbrecht

The Ste Anne Summer Villages Regional Emergency Management Partnership honors and thanks the many First Nations on whose historical and traditional lands we reside, including the Metis, Cree, Dene, Saulteaux (sow toe), Blackfoot and Nakota Sioux (soo).

As we gather here today, we acknowledge we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis. We respect the First Nations and Métis ancestors of this place and reaffirm our relationship with one another.

2. [Attendance, June 4 Meeting](#)

3. Amendments & Acceptance of Agenda

Moved by Liz Turnbull that the Agenda be accepted as presented.

4. Old Business

Status Update Ministerial Order

- Janice advised that although the Municipal Order Application has been denied, the SVREMP Partnership has approval to continue to operate during the revision process. SVREMP is working collaboratively with the AEMA Field Officers and the Emergency Management Strategic Planning & Legislation team to revise the Ministerial Order which will include recommended Bill 21 and Bill 49 Updates.
- **Update from Field Officer John Swist**
Bylaw and partnerships updates are required, including current changes to the SOLE and responsibilities delegated to communities.
- Each Summer Village will be required to address the gap to name and delegate duties to DEM/RDEM. RDEM and RDDEM will work with AEMA on the revisions and will then share with the Summer Village Councils for review and approval by Council

Full-Scale Regional Mock Emergency Exercise

- Janice and Marlene attended a meeting with Lac Ste Anne County and Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation with Randy Schroder DEM, Lac Ste Anne County, DDEM, Carole Peacock and Crystal Potts, DEM,
- The Regional Mock Emergency is tentatively being planned for October 6 - 9, 2025.
- This 4 day event will be a multi-agency collaboration that completes plan testing for multiple municipalities including LSAC, Mayerthorpe, Onoway, Alexis and SVREMP.

- Janice stressed the importance of SVREMP and all municipalities included in the grant application being participating partners during the planning stages. Lakeland College Firefighting Team has been awarded the contract to coordinate this exercise that will involve a simulation of a train derailment at GUNN.
- DEMs/DDEMs are asked to be available as much as possible throughout the duration of this 4 day event that will cover Organizational time periods and Transfer of Command.
- This will be a Compacting exercise where 4 hours time will be equal to 1 hour timeframes

5. **New Business**

- The 2024 AEMA Audit is complete. Upon receipt, the written review from AEMA will be shared with SVREMP municipalities.
- Janice Christiansen confirmed that she will not be proceeding with the renewal of her contract for the RDEM Position in 2026. The Regional Director of Emergency Management [job description](#) has been prepared, and recruitment to the RDEM Position will commence in August 2025.

SVREMP has been invited to the following community events in 2025

- Southview: July 19 - BBQ and Firesmart Educational Booths 4 PM
- Val Quentin: July 12 - Picnic in the Park - Education Booths Noon to 3 PM
- West Cove - July - date confirmation will be provided

6. **ROUND TABLE** - an opportunity for each Summer Village to share

Silver Sands

Liz Turnbull announced that she is not planning to run for Council in the upcoming Election
The Silver Sands Golf Course is under new ownership: New owner SZL Group Golf Resorts

Nakamun Park

Nakamun Park - Marge Hanssen is not running for re-election

SVREMP thanks Liz and Marge for their outstanding commitment and service to their communities and the region

7. **NEXT MEETING** - at the call of the Advisory Committee Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT