



Red Deer River Watershed Alliance's Spring Forum
March 5, 2025
Bentley Community Hall, 4821 50 Street
Box 768, Bentley, AB T0C0J0
1:00 pm - 4:15 pm

Time	DRAFT Agenda	
1:00	Welcome & Opening Remarks Forum Overview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome from Francine Forrest (RDRWA) and Assar Grinde (Friends of the Blindman River) • Elder
1:30	An Overview of Groundwater Quality in the Red Deer River Basin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Bernhard Mayer (University of Calgary, Department of Geoscience)
1:55	Building a model to study impacts of land use and climate change on groundwater quality and quantity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Jessica Liggett (Alberta Geological Survey; AGS)
2:20	Break	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 20 minutes
2:40	Medicine River Watershed Society (MRWS) update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dana Kreil (Medicine River Watershed Society; MRWS)
3:05	Initiatives To Save Gull Lake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lon Kasha (Gull Lake Watershed Society)
3:20	State of Watershed Report Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Francine Forrest & Darian Coulter (RDRWA)
3:50	Friends of the Blindman WSG- update answers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assar Grinde (Friends of the Blindman)
4:10	Closing & Acknowledgments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assar Grinde
	Sandwich supper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Networking Opportunity – 30 minutes
5:00 6:30	Friends of the Blindman Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friends of Blindman and others (all welcome)