

Market Watch

S&P/TSX 35,226.14 -279.70	S&P 500 7,489.72 +52.09	DOW 52,485.03 +276.97	NASDAQ 25,373.85 +251.68	DOLLAR 71.28¢US -0.08¢	OIL per barrel US\$84.67 \$1.08	GOLD US\$4,107 -53.60
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PUBLIC NOTICES



Medicine Hat

8AM - 4PM SPECIAL SERVICES

Electric Outages.....403.529.8260
Gas Emergency403.529.8191
Water & Sewer Emergency403.502.8042
After Hours Special Services.....403.526.2828

DEVELOPMENT PERMITS APPROVED JULY 23 TO JULY 29, 2026

RESIDENTIAL

42 1600 STRACHAN ROAD SE - Residential Accessory Building (Garage).
84 SIERRA ROAD SW - Detached House.
337 1 STREET NW - Detached House.

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL/ INSTITUTIONAL

1720 BELL STREET SW - Installation Of Facade Sign
674 17 STREET SW - Change Of Use To Contractor Service, Major.
10 677 B SOUTH RAILWAY STREET SE - Change Of Use To Personal Service (Tattoo Parlour).
8 3295 DUNMORE ROAD SE - Change Of Use To Health Care Office, Minor

HOME BUSINESS

36 8 STREET NE - Home Business Minor - Safety Services/Supplies.



What's Happening
IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD?



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(updated weekly)

A person claiming to be affected by a decision of the Development Authority may appeal to the Medicine Hat Subdivision and Development Appeal Board by completing and submitting to the City Clerk Department, the required Notice of Appeal form within twenty one (21) days of this publication. Forms available from: City Clerk Dept., 3rd Floor, City Hall or City website: www.medicinehat.ca.

All Development Permits listed are subject to conditions. For more information, contact Planning and Development Services, 2nd Floor, City Hall. Ph. (403) 529-8374.

FIRE HYDRANT INSPECTIONS & WATER MAIN FLUSHING

Environmental Utilities maintenance crews perform regular, routine maintenance to uphold the waterworks system infrastructure and water quality by annually inspecting fire hydrants and flushing water mains.

During these operations, there may be some discolouration in the water which is not harmful to consume and will dissipate when flushing is complete.

It is important to note that discoloured water should not be used for laundry, and that fluctuating water pressure may also be noticed.

Should discolouration persist over three hours, turn on a cold-water faucet or an outside sprinkler and let the water run for several minutes until the water runs clear.

For additional information or to confirm whether crews are working in your zone, refer to the Water Flushing information on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca/water or contact Environmental Utilities at 403-529-8176.

RESIDENTIAL WASTE COLLECTION CHANGES

There will be no residential waste collection on **Monday, August 3, 2026**, due to the **Heritage Day** statutory holiday.
Waste collection zones will advance as follows:

DATE	COLLECTION ZONE
Monday, August 3	NO COLLECTION
Tuesday, August 4	Zone 4
Wednesday, August 5	Zone 5
Thursday, August 6	Zone 1
Friday, August 7	Zone 2
Monday, August 10	Zone 3

Download the Recycle Coach App, refer to medicinehat.ca/collectionschedule or contact Environmental Utilities at 403-529-8176 for more information.

RESIDENTIAL WASTE CART TIPS

Load it: Dispose of acceptable items only. Contaminated carts or items left outside of the carts will not be collected. Please no batteries, pressurized tanks or other harmful or hazardous materials.

Time it: Set each cart out before 7:00 a.m. on collection day and bring back onto private property within 24 hours of collection.

Park it: Set cart(s) at the curb/lane with the arrows pointing to the driving lane.

Space it: If you can comfortably walk around each cart, then you have left enough room for the trucks to collect.

WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY HOURS OF OPERATION

The City of Medicine Hat Waste Management Facility will be closed on **Monday, August 3, 2026**, for the **Heritage Day** statutory holiday. The facility will re-open the following business day.

Hours of operation are as follows:

- Monday through Saturday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Closed on Sunday

Refer to medicinehat.ca/landfill or contact Environmental Utilities at 403-529-8176 for more information.

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Canada to impose temporary 25% tariff on some imports of wood cabinets, vanities

The Canadian Press

Canada is imposing a temporary tariff on imports of some wood products as Ottawa awaits the findings of a probe into possible harmful practices in the global market.

The federal government said in a news release that Canada will impose a 25 per cent surtax on certain wood cabinets and vanities starting Friday.

Those tariffs will be in place for a maximum of 200 days while the Canadian International Trade Tribunal investigates whether increased imports of those goods are threatening to harm Canada's domestic producers.

Wood cabinets and vanities manufactured in the United States, Mexico, Israel, Chile and developing nations will be exempt from the tariffs. The federal government said that's in keeping with Canada's international trade obligations.

Last October, the United States imposed a 25 per cent surtax on imports of certain upholstered wooden furniture, kitchen cabinets and vanities from Canada. The U.S. hit pause at the start of this year on plans to ramp those tariffs up to 30 per cent on furniture and 50 per cent on cabinets and vanities.



CP FILE PHOTO
A man works in an architectural woodworking plant in Saint-Georges, Que., on Feb. 6, 2025.

Finance Minister François-Philippe Champagne asked for the Canadian International Trade Tribunal inquiry back in April at the request of the Canadian Wood Products Alliance.

The tribunal is expected to report its findings by Jan. 15, 2027, and may recommend certain remedies if warranted.

If the inquiry finds no injury, the surtax will immediately drop.

The federal government said "safeguard measures" like the temporary tariffs are permitted under World Trade Organization governing principles

whenever there's evidence that products are being imported in quantities large enough to harm domestic producers.

Champagne said in a statement Friday that the federal government is imposing the temporary surtax to protect Canada's wood product manufacturers.

"This provisional safeguard measure will help ensure that Canada's wood cabinets and vanities industry can compete on a level playing field, maintain good jobs, and continue contributing to the strength of our economy," he said.

Ottawa approves northern Ontario nickel mine

The Canadian Press

The federal government says it has approved the Crawford Nickel Mine project in northern Ontario.

Announcing the approval in a news release Friday, Environment Minister Julie Dabrusin said "the potential

effects within federal jurisdiction are justified when taking into account the benefits this project will provide."

The government says the project could create \$5 billion in investment and 4,000 new jobs.

"Today's decision recognizes

the strategic importance of responsibly developing Canada's critical mineral resources in partnership with all levels of government and Indigenous Nations while maintaining rigorous environmental standards," Canada Nickel CEO Mark Selby said in a statement.

"I am very proud of our team, which completed this key federal permit in just four years."

Ottawa referred the mine to the major projects office in November.

The government's approval does come with conditions, including a requirement that fish be relocated and that Indigenous Peoples be consulted on the plan.

"As part of the protocol, the proponent shall identify opportunities for Indigenous groups to participate in the salvage and relocation of fish, including potential traditional use of salvaged fish," the decision reads.

The proposal is for an open-pit, nickel-cobalt mine 42 kilometres north of Timmins, Ont.

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Until Aug 15, Nature Shop proceeds will be matched up to 50% through Rogers Birdies for Kids presented by AltaLink.



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Saturday, August 22
Come And Go
From 1:00 - 4:00
Kin Social Room
2055 21 Ave Se,
Medicine Hat

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