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Mountain View County census numbers on the rise

August 30, 2007 - Didsbury, Alberta – Mountain View County's population count has surpassed Federal census numbers, according to Census 2007 figures released by the County on Thursday. A census recently completed by Mountain View County tallied a final number of 12,570 residents living full-time within County boundaries in 2007. This is an increase of 179 people over the Federal Census count of 12,391 released earlier this year.

The new numbers mean the County could receive up to \$170,000 per year in extra funding from the Provincial Government- reaching a grand total of around \$800,000 over the next five years.

The County's Director of Legislative Services Tony Martens said that enumerators were able to reach 98 per cent of the households in Mountain View County during the six week enumeration period.

"This is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our County staff and enumerators," said Martens. "Mountain View County thanks them, and all County residents for their cooperation during the enumeration and data collection period of Census 2007."

All numbers from the Mountain View County 2007 Census must now be submitted to the Alberta Minister of Municipal Affairs for final approval before becoming official.

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