RIVERCOURSE COMMUNITY PROFILE

The Hamlet of Rivercourse is located in Division 1 in the South East area of the County of Vermilion River. It is a close-knit community of 16 residents (according to the 2015 County census).

Rivercourse is 21 km east of Paradise Valley and 32 km southwest of Lloydminster.

COMMUNITY

- Education: students are bussed to the Paradise Valley (K-12) school where there are approximately 180 students. The school is part of the Buffalo Trails School Division and will be re-built in time for the 2016-2017 school year.
- Transportation: Rivercourse is accessed from either Highway 17 from the east or south of Blackfoot on Range Road 20 to township road 470.
- Services: residents are serviced with municipal water, sewer, and natural gas infrastructure; and have road maintenance monitored and managed by the County. Fire and emergency services located nearby in Paradise Valley respond to 911 calls.
- Recreation: The closest recreation facilities can be found in Paradise Valley which is home to a community hall, playground, arena, and Ag Society and regional park. In Lloydminster there is access to further recreation facilities such as swimming pools, ball diamonds, soccer fields, fitness centers, library, multi-plex and more.

BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT

- Primary industry is agriculture, with a growth in oil and gas. The majority of residents will commute to work in Lloydminster.
- Larger urban centers nearby include the City of Lloydminster and the Town of Vermilion. These centers are home to many more key service providers and potential employers/employees
- There is opportunity for development in the Hamlet and region for light commercial/industrial and residential



QUICK FACTS:

POPULATION 16 (2015 census)

COUNTY LOTS for SALE are done through the County Administration office

RELATED LINKS:

WEBSITE www.vermilion-river.com

Buffalo Trail School Division <u>www.btps.ca</u>