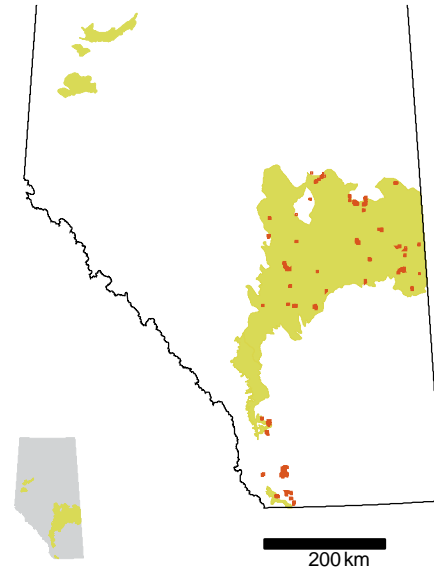


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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland
Boreal

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Foothills Fescue
Dry Mixedwood
Foothills Parkland
Mixedgrass

River Basin(s):

Oldman River
North Saskatchewan River
Red Deer River

Area:

41,588.9 hectares
415.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.79 heads/km²
Road 0.47 km/km²
Pipeline 0.12 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

MUNICIPALITIES

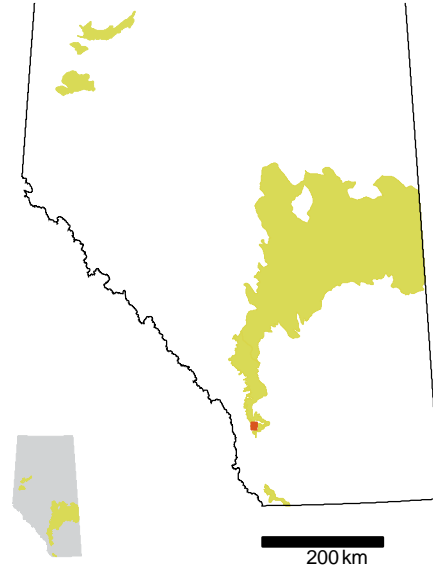
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County of Stettler No. 6

Lamont County
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Wainwright No. 61
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Lacombe County
County of Two Hills No. 21
Beaver County
County of Wetaskiwin No. 10

County of Vermilion River No. 24
County of Paintearth No. 18
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Leduc County
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Improvement District No. 13
(Elk Island)

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Oldman River
Rocky Mountain	Montane	

Area:
1,704.6 hectares
17.0 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.06 heads/km ²
Road 0.57 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.04 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Amphibians and Reptiles

Leopard frog

Insects

Woodland skipper

Vascular Plants

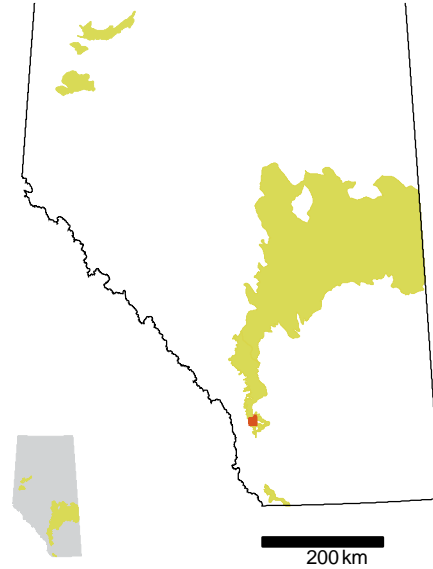
Longleaf pondweed

MUNICIPALITIES

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Ranchland No. 66

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Rocky Mountain

Natural Subregion(s):

Foothills Parkland
Montane

River Basin(s):

Oldman River
Bow River

Area:

989.3 hectares
9.9 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²
Road 0.39 km/km²
Pipeline 0.18 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mosses

Jaffueliobryum wrightii

Vascular Plants

Alpine foxtail

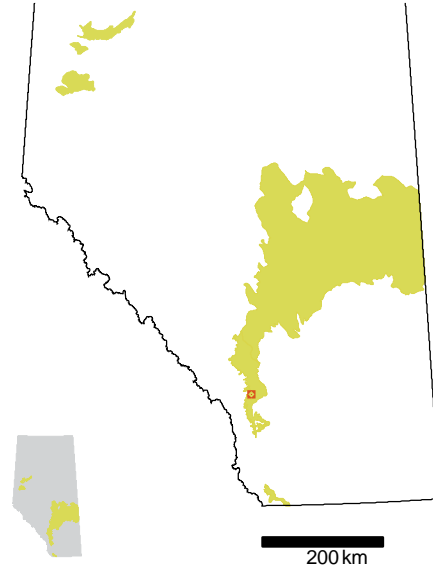
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Ranchland No. 66

Municipal District of
Foothills No. 31

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:

131.3 hectares

1.3 km²


Density of Human Features:

Well **3.05** heads/km²

Road **6.06** km/km²


Pipeline **3.15** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



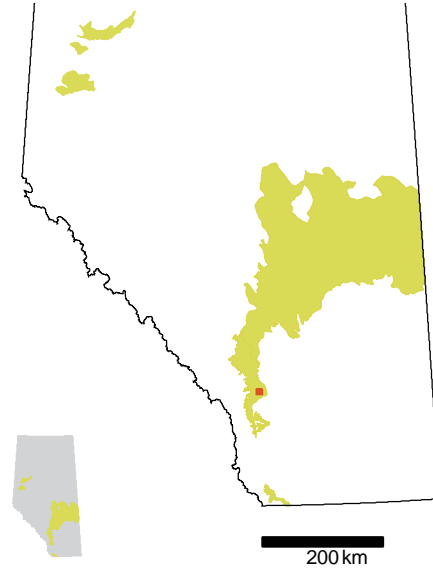
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Municipal District of
Foothills No. 31



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:
1,251.3 hectares
12.5 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0** heads/km²
 Road **1.43** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.33** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mosses

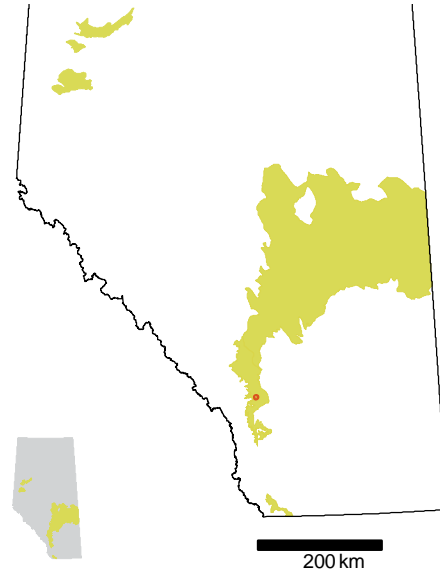
Sieve-toothed moss

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Foothills No. 31

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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:
261.3 hectares
2.6 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.77** heads/km²
 Road **0.45** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.25** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



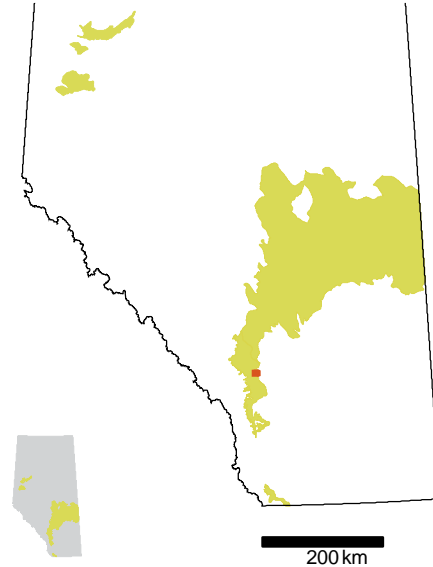
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Foothills No. 31



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Foothills Parkland
Foothills Fescue

River Basin(s):

Bow River

Area:

1,589.7 hectares
15.9 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²
Road 0.76 km/km²
Pipeline 0.25 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Amphibians and Reptiles

Leopard frog

Birds

Calliope hummingbird

Insects

Variegated meadowhawk

Mosses

Narrow-leaved Chinese phoenix
moss

Vascular Plants

Pale blue-eyed grass

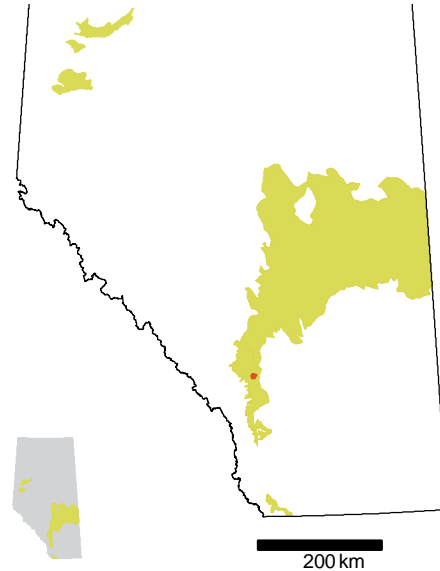
Western false gromwell

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Rocky View No. 44

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:

3,029.5 hectares

30.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0** heads/km²

Road **2.71** km/km²

Pipeline **0.33** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Insects

Arrowhead blue

Mosses

Mnium ambiguum

Vascular Plants

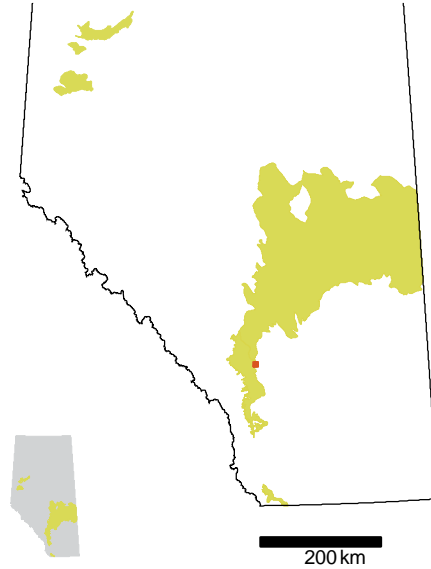
Pale blue-eyed grass

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Rocky View No. 44

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:
455.9 hectares
4.6 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0** heads/km²
 Road **0.77** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mosses

Bryum algovicum

Fallacious screw moss

Green-cushioned weissia

Vascular Plants

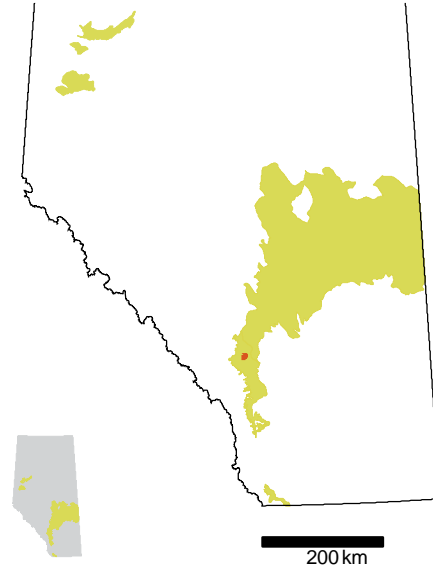
Pale blue-eyed grass

Waterpod

MUNICIPALITIES

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:

1,501.3 hectares

15.0 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.20** heads/km²

Road **1.33** km/km²

Pipeline **0.22** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Amphibians and Reptiles

Leopard frog

Mosses

Bryum algovicum

Encalypta spathulata

Fallacious screw moss

Jaffuelobryum raui

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Long-stalked beardless moss

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Schistidium pulvinatum

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Vascular Plants

Marsh gentian

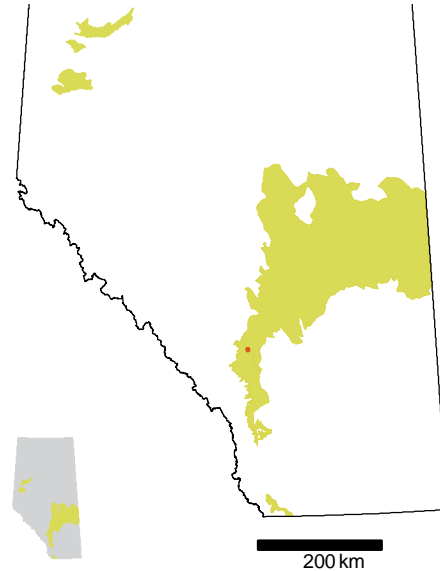
Pellaea glabella ssp simplex

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:

67.7 hectares

0.7 km²


Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

Road 1.29 km/km²


Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



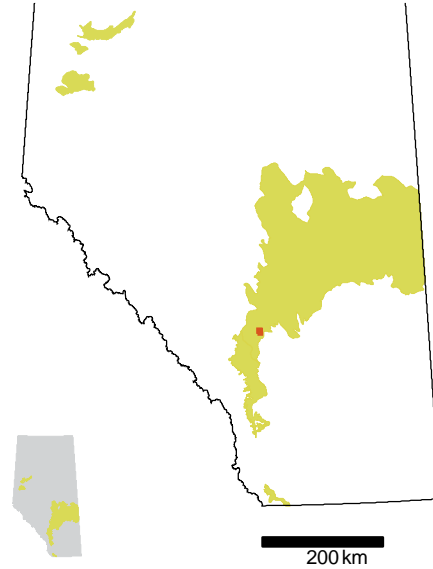
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:

860.6 hectares

8.6 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.93** heads/km²

Road **1.82** km/km²

Pipeline **0.81** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mosses

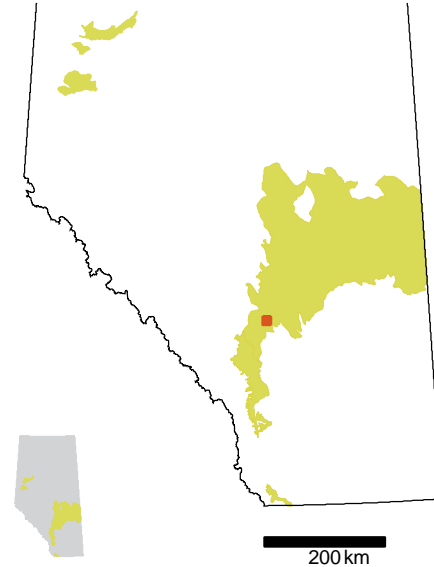
Long-stalked beardless moss

MUNICIPALITIES

Mountain View County

CRITERION

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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
1,642.7 hectares
16.4 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well **1.34** heads/km²
 Road **1.37** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.50** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



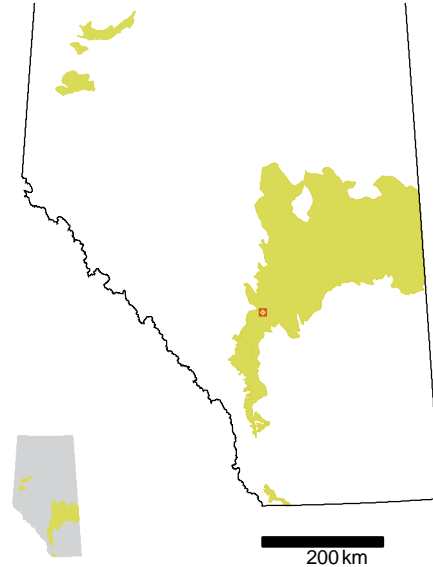
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Mountain View County



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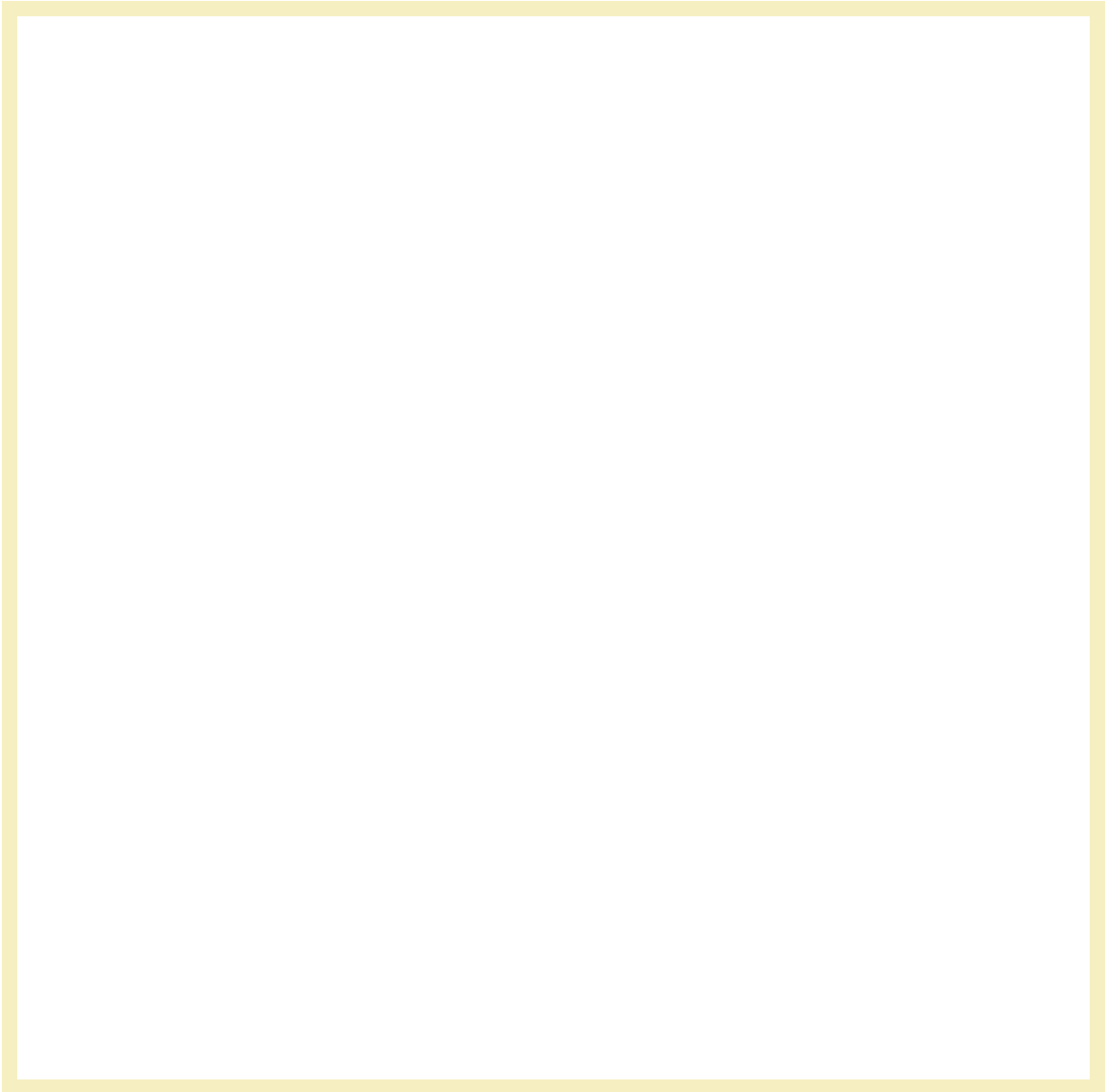
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Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

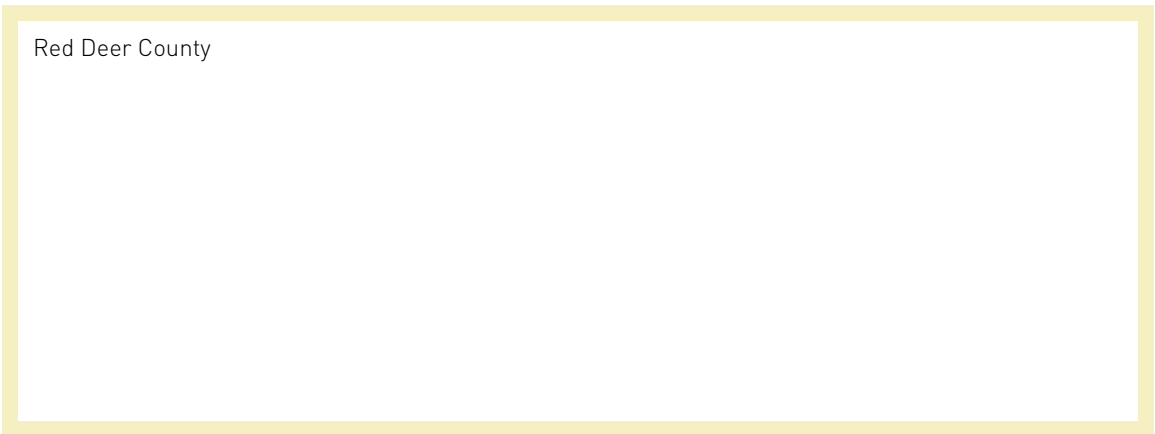
Area:
67.5 hectares
0.7 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **1.48** heads/km²
 Road **2.80** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

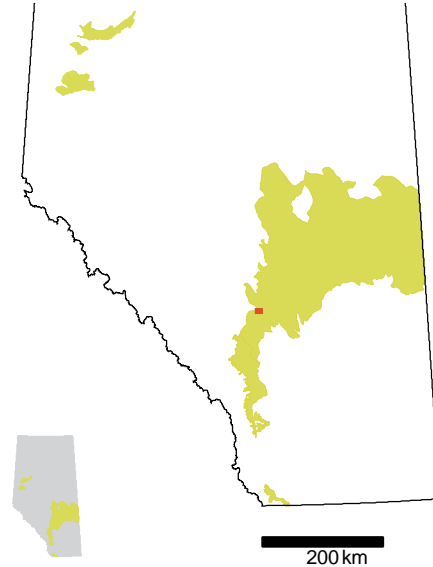


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Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

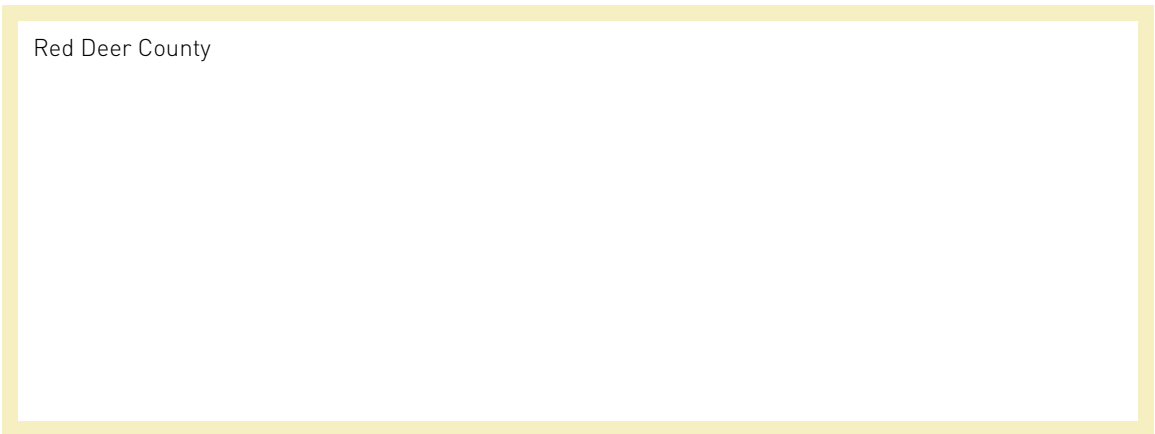
Area:
 200.1 hectares
 2.0 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well 1.50 heads/km²
 Road 2.65 km/km²
 Pipeline 2.69 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

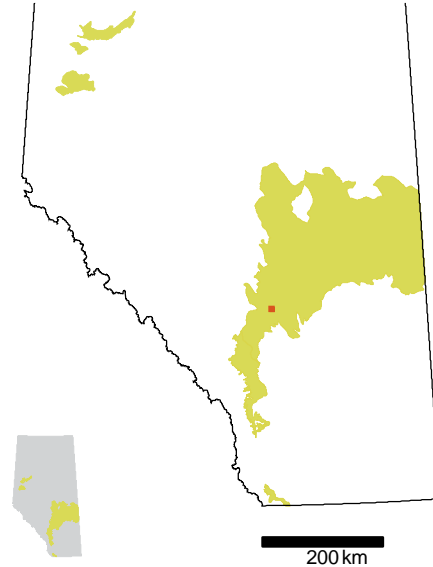


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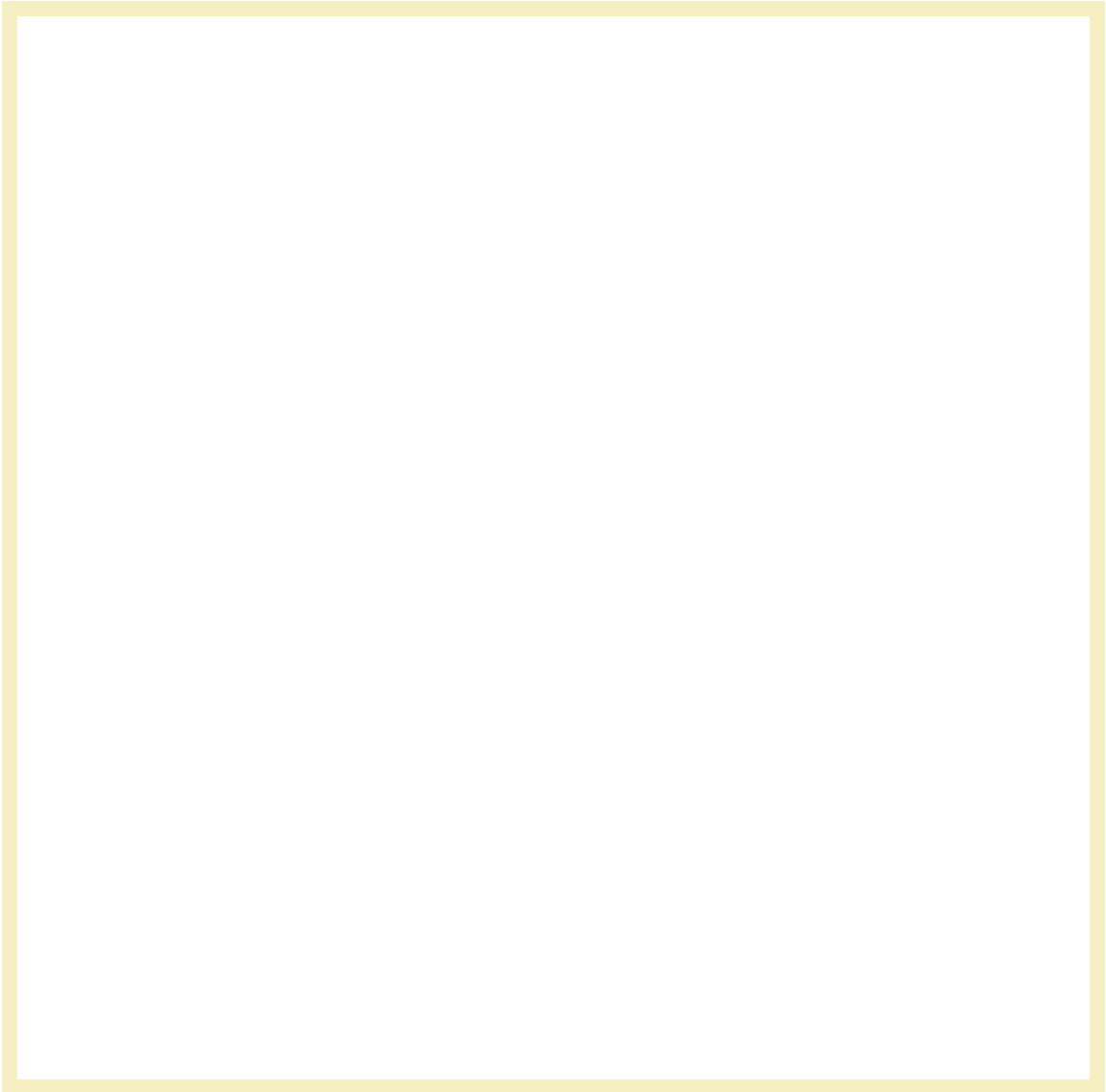
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Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

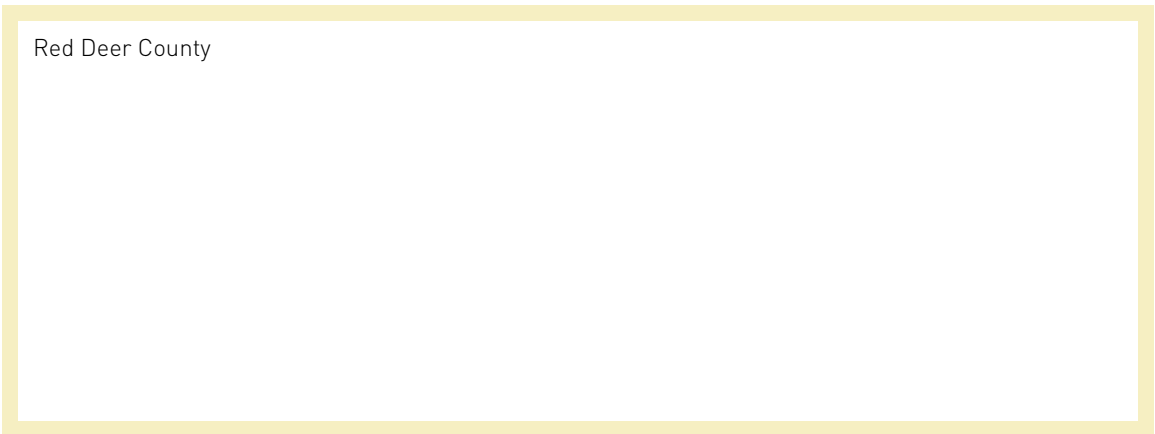
Area:
330.1 hectares
3.3 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.61** heads/km²
 Road **0.96** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.78** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

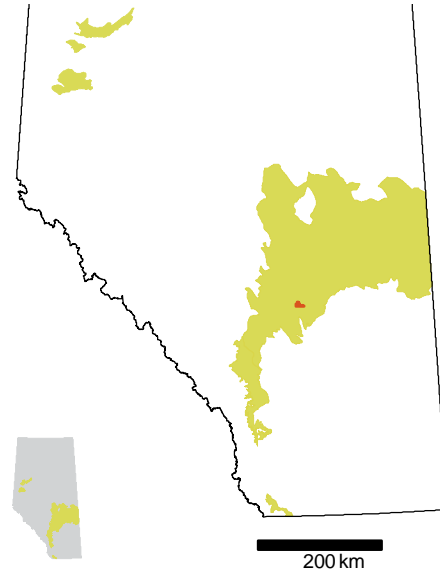


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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
4,946.4 hectares
49.5 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **1.31** heads/km²
 Road **0.54** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.03** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vegetation Communities

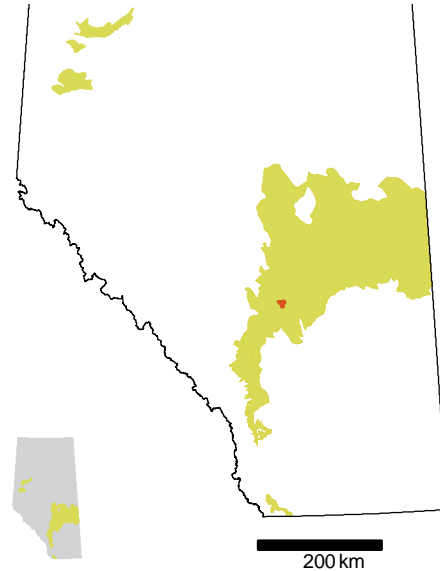
Plains rough fescue grassland

MUNICIPALITIES

Red Deer County

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
5,476.9 hectares
54.8 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **1.75** heads/km²
 Road **1.02** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

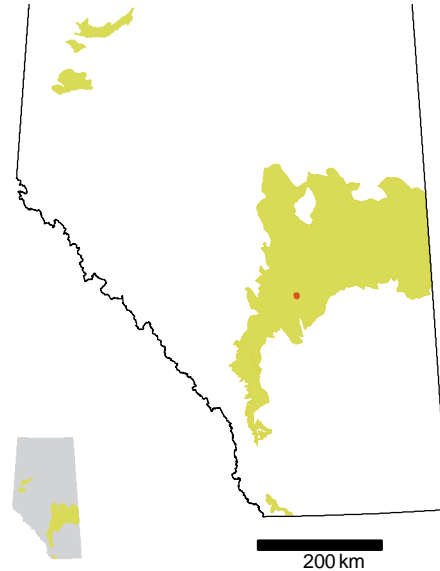
Marsh gentian

MUNICIPALITIES

Red Deer County

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

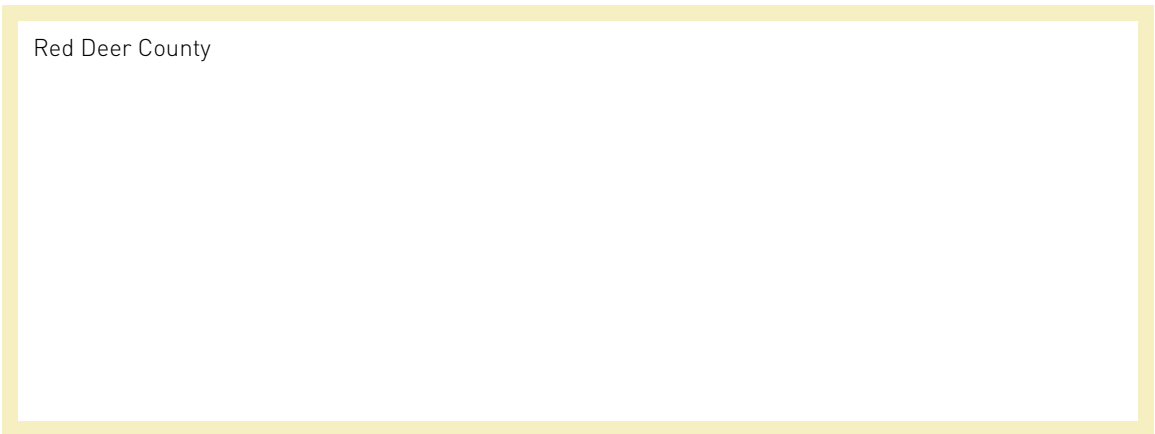
Area:
394.4 hectares
3.9 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.76** heads/km²
 Road **1.14** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.43** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

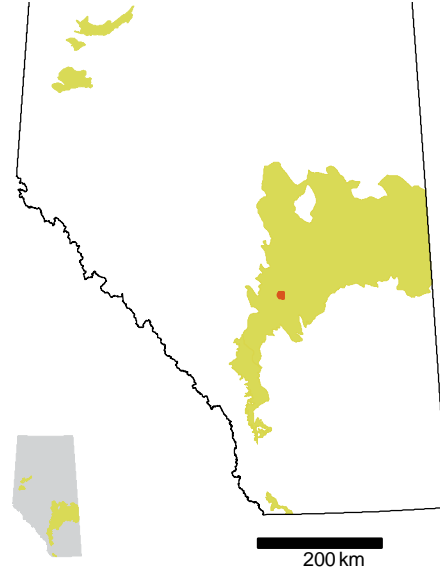


MUNICIPALITIES



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River

Area:

7,496.7 hectares

75.0 km²Density of
Human Features:Well 1.48 heads/km²Road 0.95 km/km²Pipeline 0.07 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

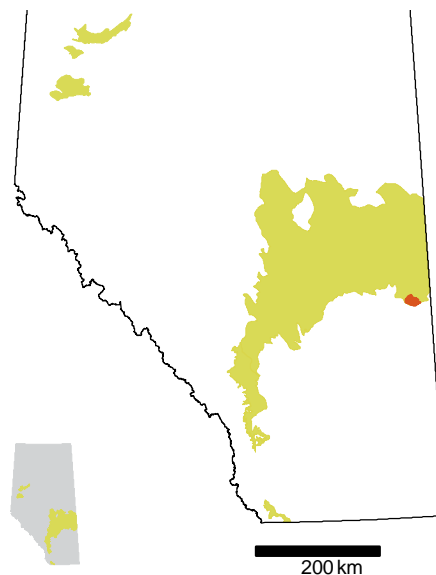
Marsh gentian

MUNICIPALITIES

Red Deer County

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 - Sounding Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Northern Fescue

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

17,556.4 hectares
175.6 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 2.65 heads/km²
Road 0.56 km/km²
Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Few-flowered aster

Smooth monkeyflower

Vegetation Communities

Nevada bulrush -
(seaside arrow-grass)

Samphire emergent marsh

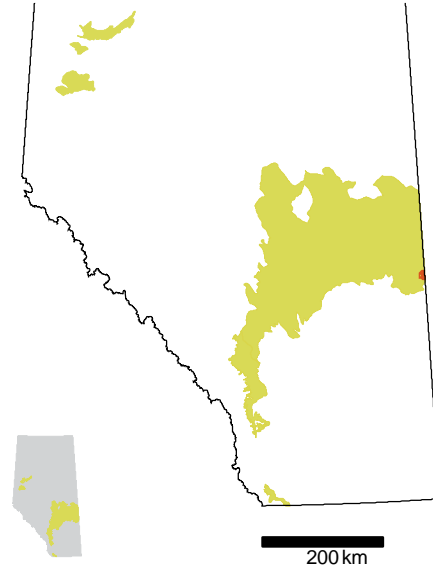
MUNICIPALITIES

Special Areas Board (Area No. 4)

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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 - St. Lawrence Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
1,786.6 hectares
17.9 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.34 heads/km ²
Road 0.72 km/km ²
Pipeline 0 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

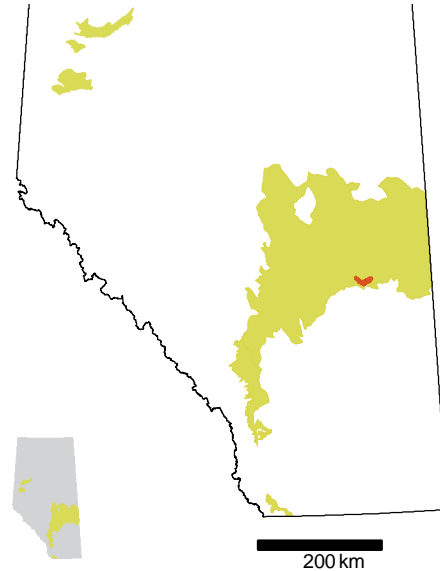
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
9,448.6 hectares
94.5 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.86** heads/km²
 Road **0.44** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.07** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Mammals

Northern grasshopper mouse

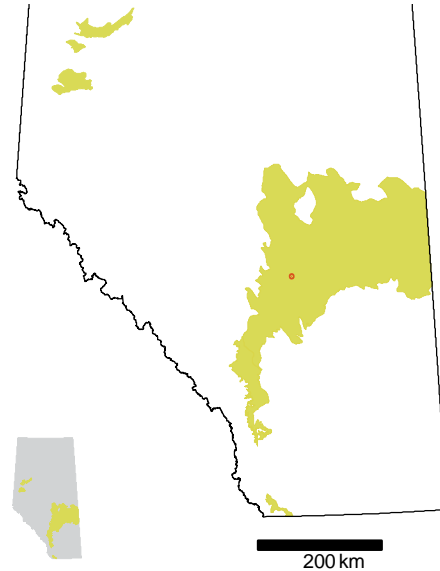
MUNICIPALITIES

Flagstaff County

County of Pinaltearh No. 18

CRITERION

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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
132.6 hectares
1.3 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.75** heads/km²
 Road **1.22** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



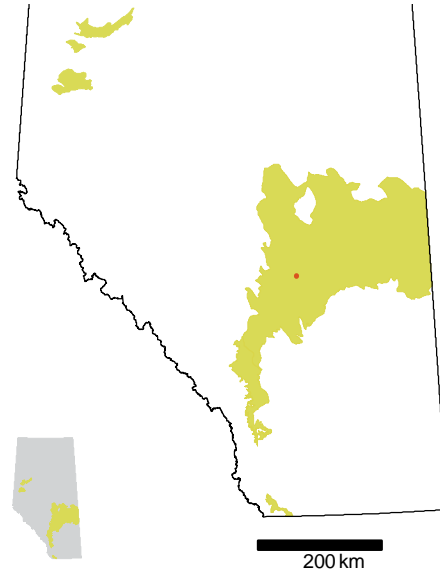
MUNICIPALITIES

Lacombe County



CRITERION

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Buffalo Lake Area moraine plateaux
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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
64.7 hectares
0.6 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well **3.09** heads/km²
 Road **1.03** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



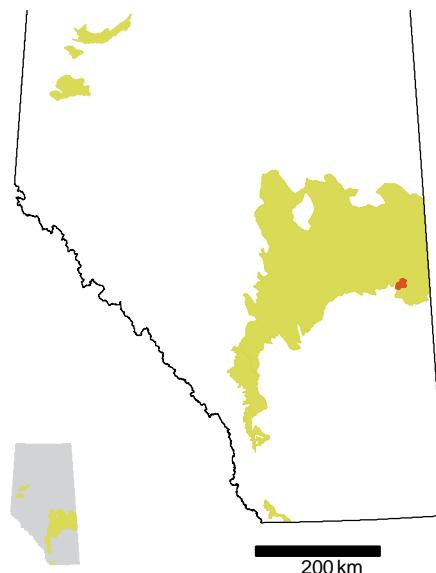
MUNICIPALITIES

Lacombe County



CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 4 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Horseshoe Lake drift basins, saline/alkaline lakes
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Metiskow and Sunken Lakes
Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Northern Fescue

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

10,266.6 hectares
102.7 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 0.86 heads/km²
Road 0.51 km/km²
Pipeline 0.13 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Few-flowered aster

Parry's sedge

Vegetation Communities

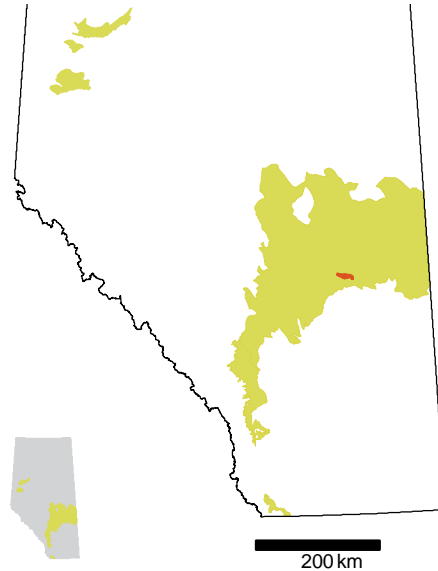
Nevada bulrush -
(seaside arrow-grass)

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

7,152.8 hectares

71.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.57 heads/km²

Road 0.87 km/km²

Pipeline 0.12 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Peregrine falcon

Western burrowing owl

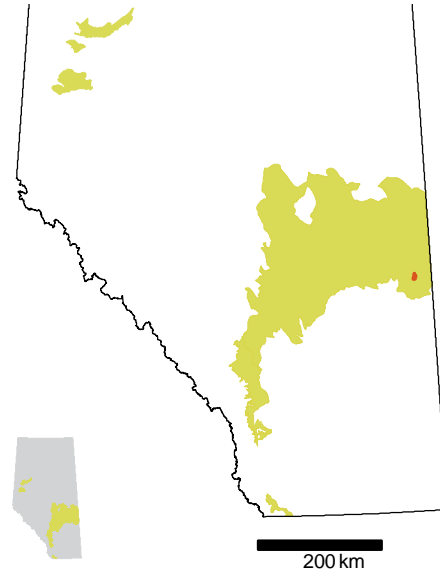
MUNICIPALITIES

Flagstaff County

County of Pinaltearh No. 18

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- ☒ 7 Contains sites of recognized significance
 - Hansman Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,171.9 hectares

31.7 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 8.13 heads/km²

Road 1.03 km/km²

Pipeline 0.10 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

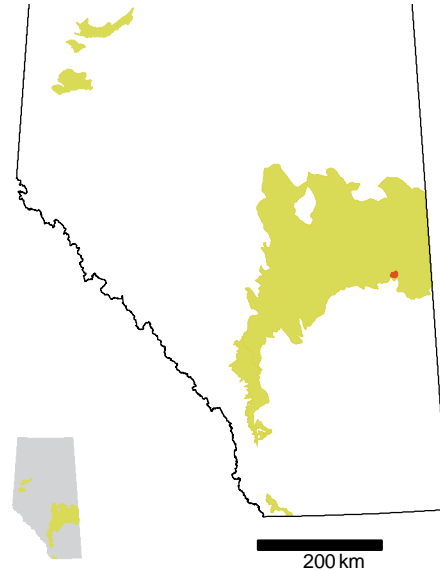
Piping plover

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,572.1 hectares

35.7 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 3.39 heads/km²

Road 0.87 km/km²

Pipeline 0.11 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

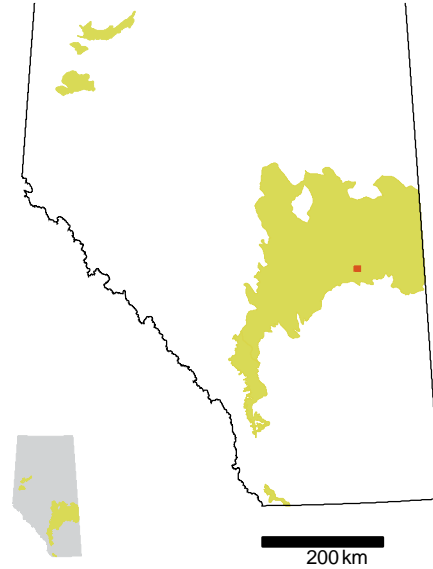
Low townsendia

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

CRITERION

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Shultz Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

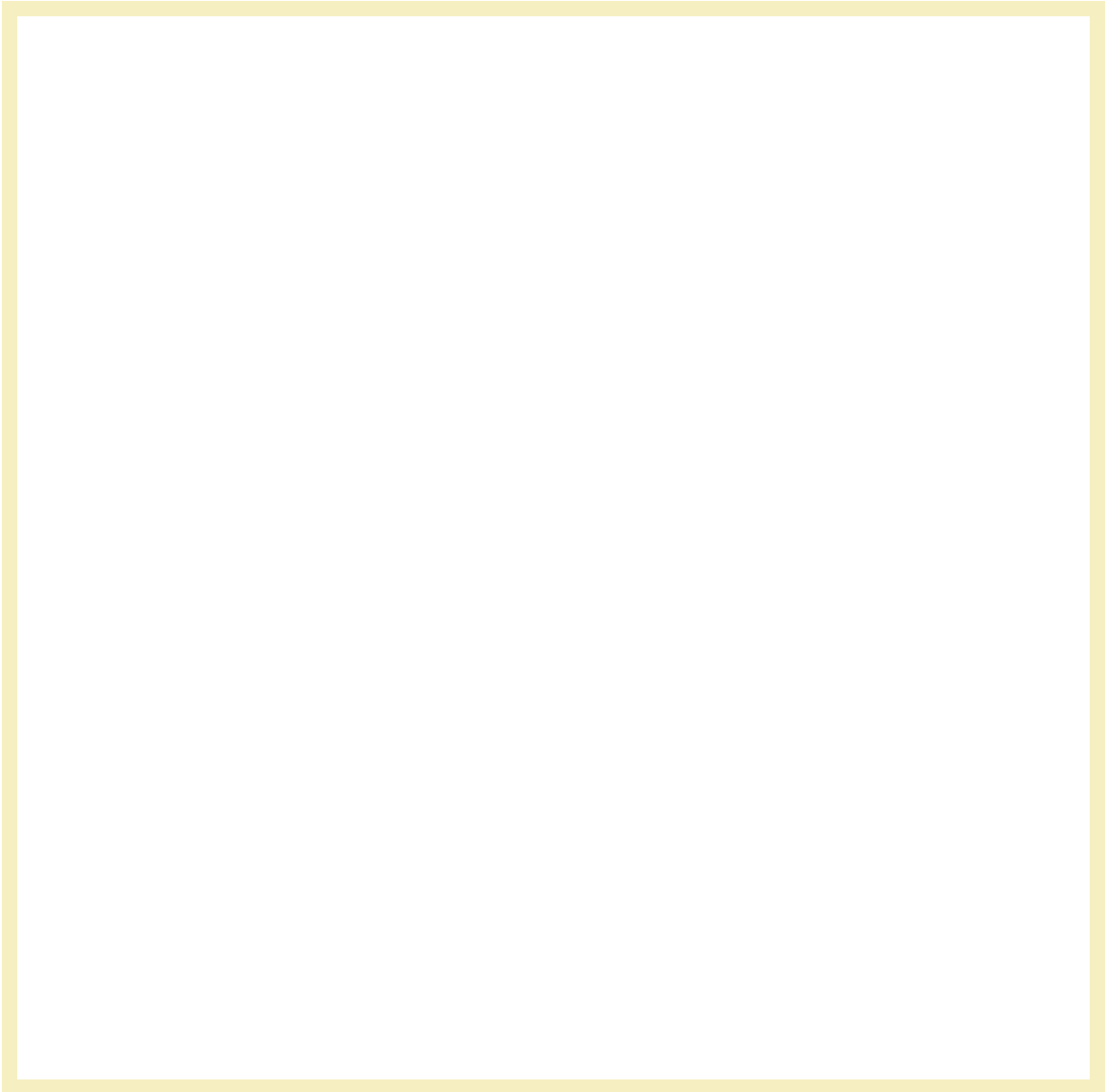
795.5 hectares

8.0 km²

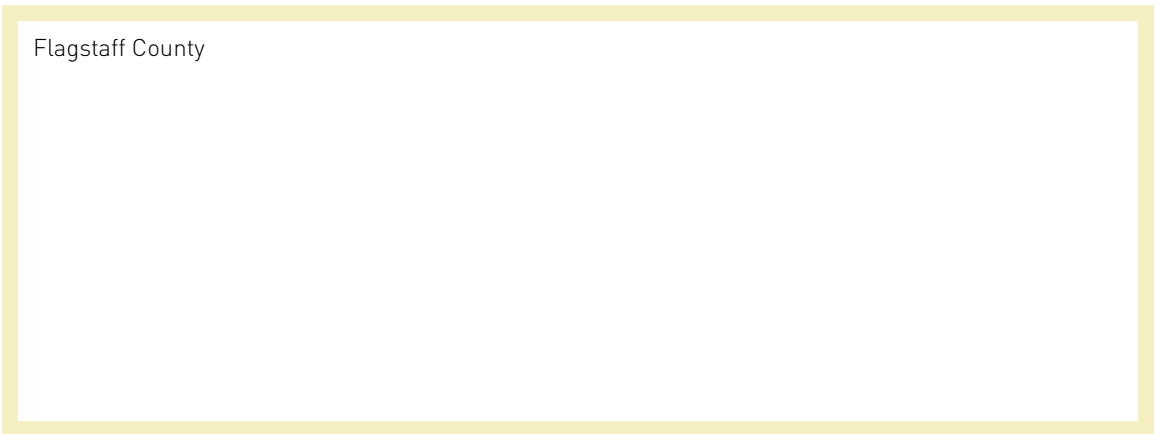
Density of Human Features:

Well 1.26 heads/km²Road 1.20 km/km²Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

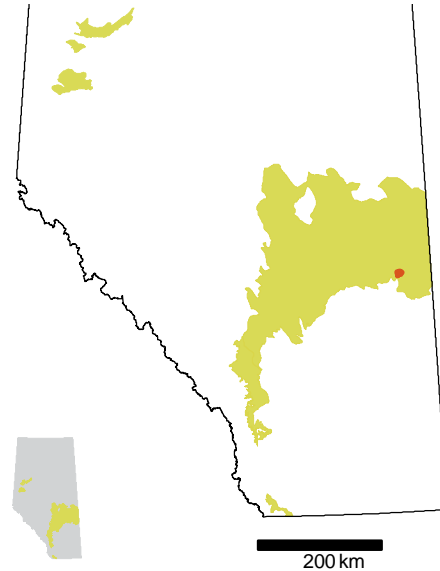


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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

2,641.5 hectares

26.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.57 heads/km²

Road 0.56 km/km²

Pipeline 0.24 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

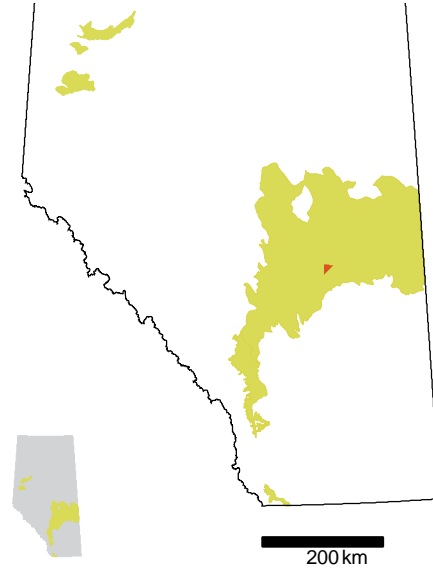
Low townsendia

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:

199.6 hectares

2.0 km²


Density of Human Features:

Well **0.50** heads/km²

Road **0.24** km/km²


Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



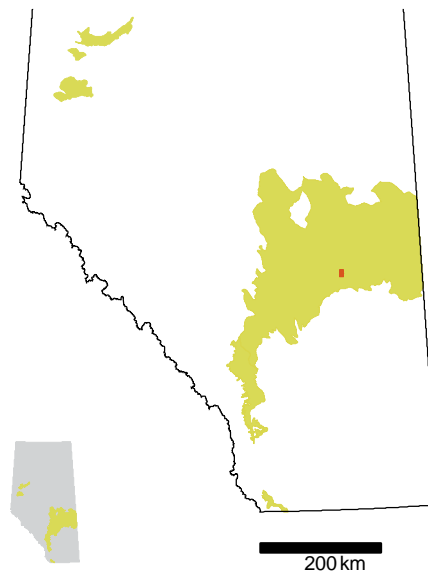
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Stettler No. 6



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

68.0 hectares

0.7 km²

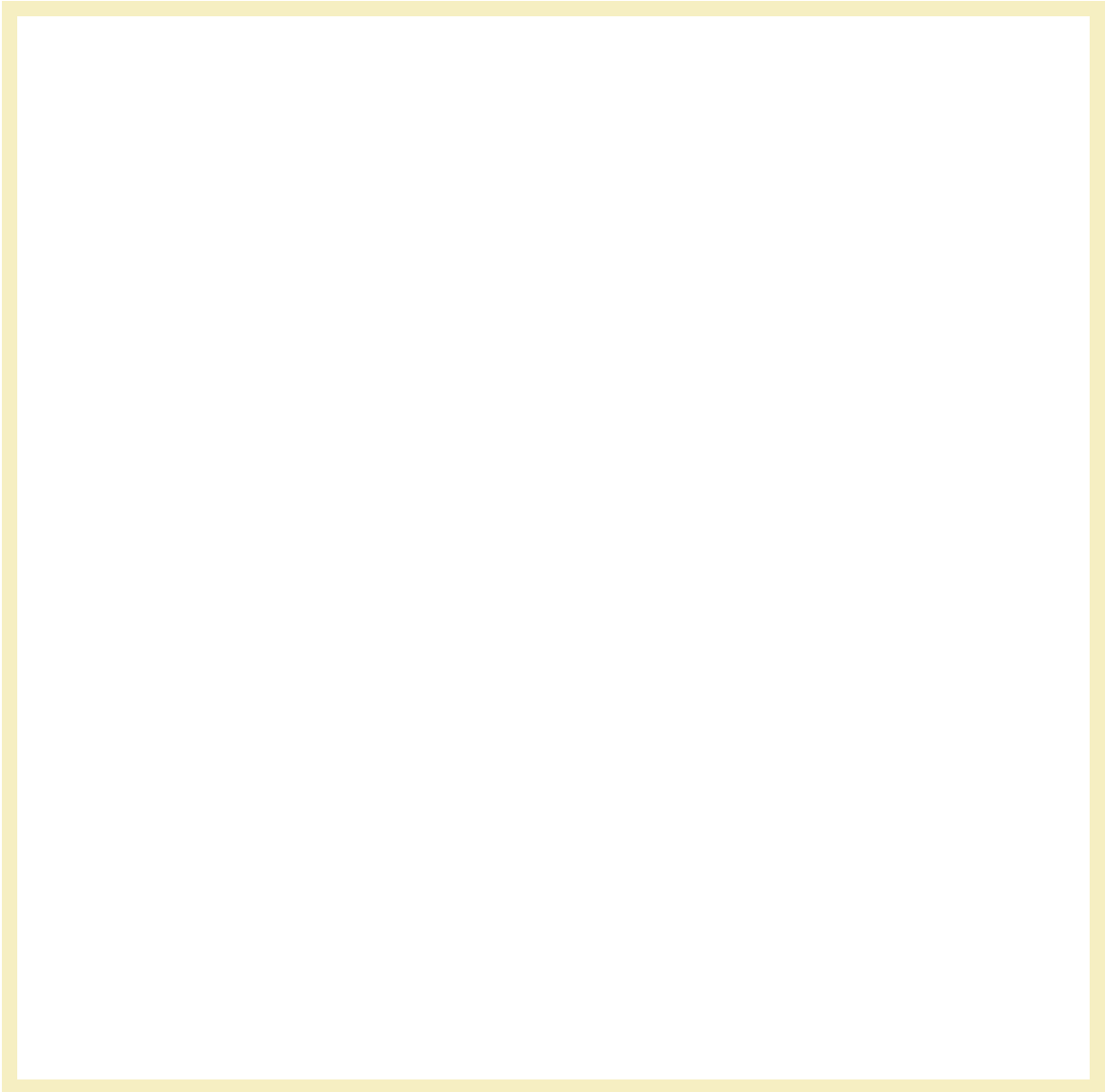
Density of Human Features:

Well 1.47 heads/km²

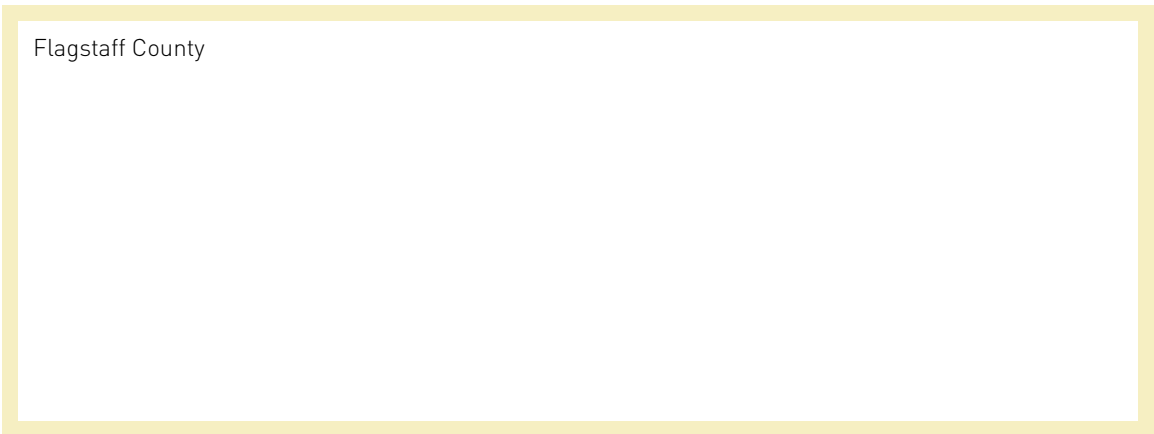
Road 1.43 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

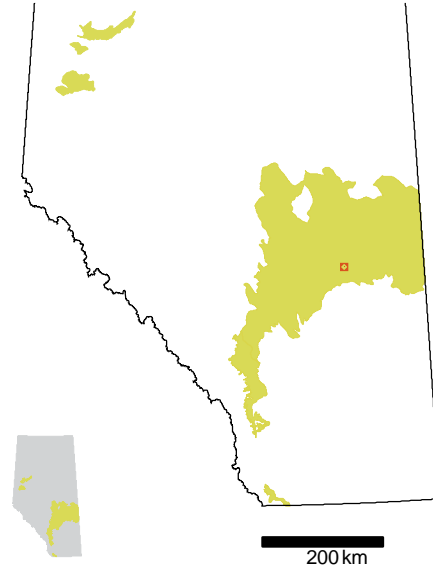


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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

66.2 hectares

0.7 km²

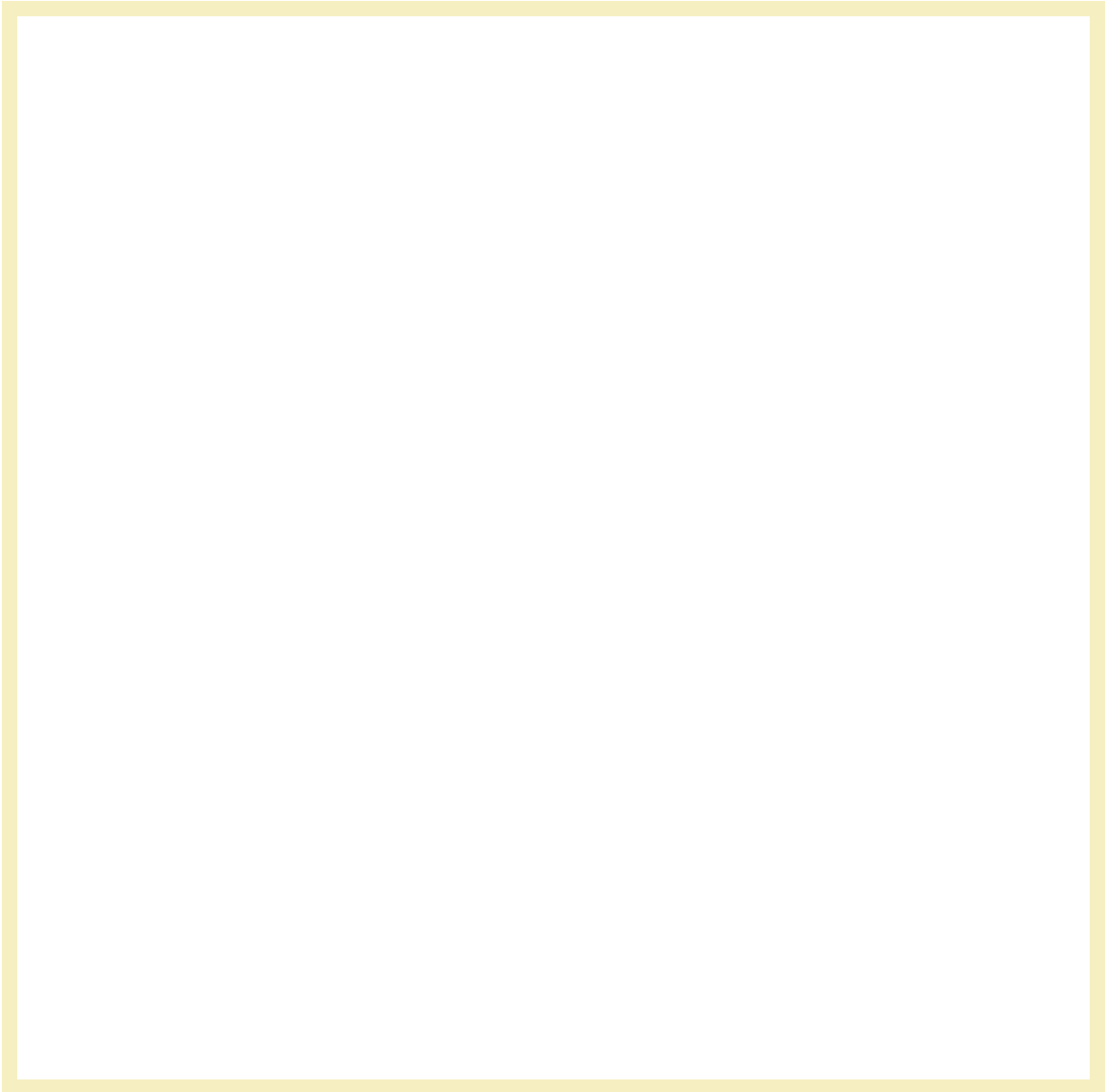
Density of Human Features:

Well 1.51 heads/km²

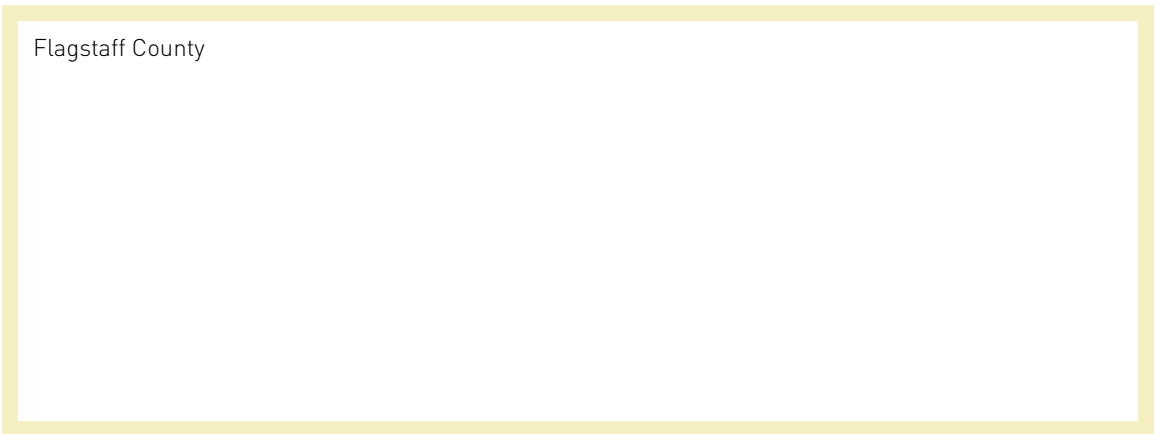
Road 1.22 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

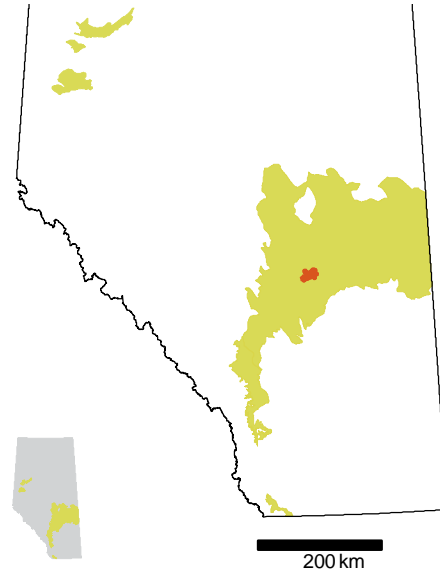


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 6 element(s) of conservation concern
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Buffalo Lake Area moraine plateaux
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River
North Saskatchewan River

Area:

26,923.5 hectares

269.2 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.04 heads/km²Road 0.63 km/km²Pipeline 0.02 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

American white pelican
Ferruginous hawk
Piping plover
Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

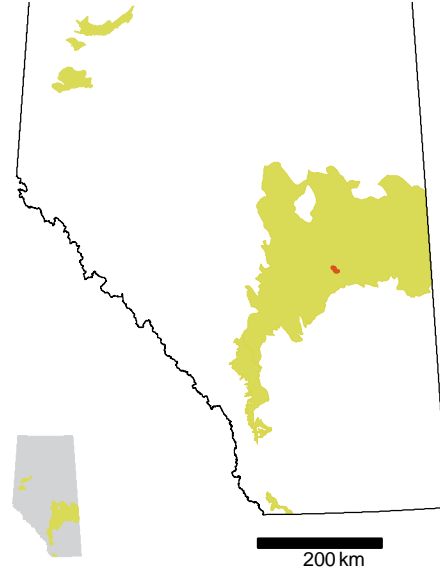
Crowfoot violet
Few-flowered aster
Parry's sedge
Smooth sweet cicely

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Stettler No. 6
County of Camrose No. 22
Lacombe County

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 2 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

3,962.6 hectares

39.6 km²Density of
Human Features:Well 0.30 heads/km²Road 0.35 km/km²Pipeline 0.17 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Insects

Dot-tailed whiteface

Vascular Plants

Marsh muhly

MUNICIPALITIES

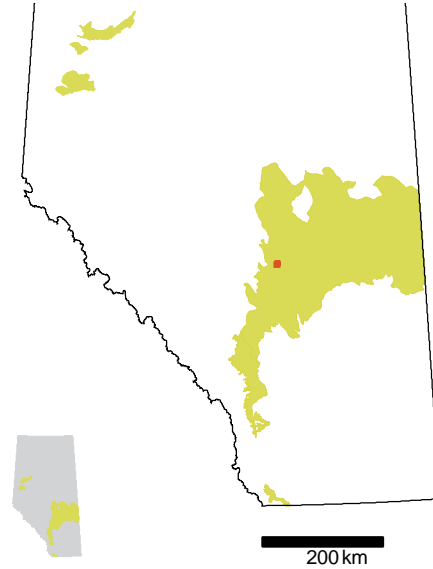
Flagstaff County

County of Stettler No. 6

County of Paintearth No. 18

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

588.8 hectares

5.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.85 heads/km²

Road 1.44 km/km²

Pipeline 0.91 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Mosses

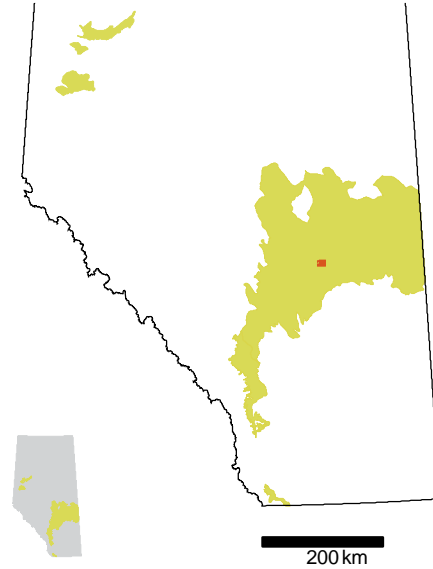
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MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,440.2 hectares

14.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.04 heads/km²Road 0.86 km/km²Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue -

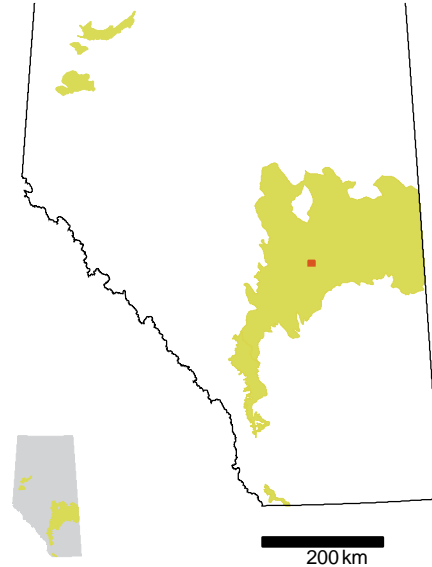
June grass / juniper / forbs

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Stettler No. 6

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River

Area:
1,438.3 hectares
14.4 km²

Density of Human Features:
 Well **0.90** heads/km²
 Road **0.63** km/km²
 Pipeline **0.24** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

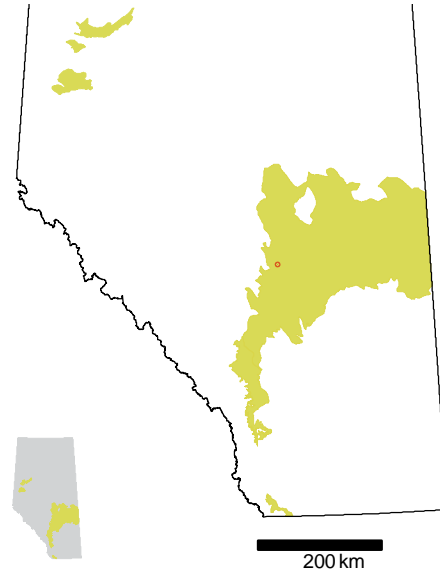
Crowfoot violet

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Camrose No. 22

CRITERION

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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
66.4 hectares
0.7 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well **1.51** heads/km²
 Road **2.01** km/km²
 Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



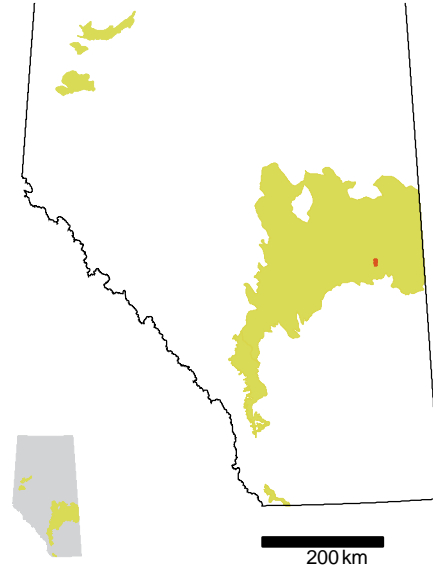
MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

2,041.7 hectares

20.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.49 heads/km²Road 0.44 km/km²Pipeline 0.22 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

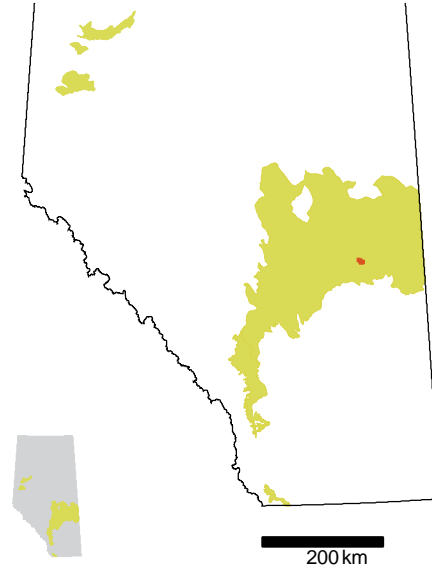
Lance-leaved loosestrife

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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 - Bellshill Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,965.2 hectares

39.7 km²

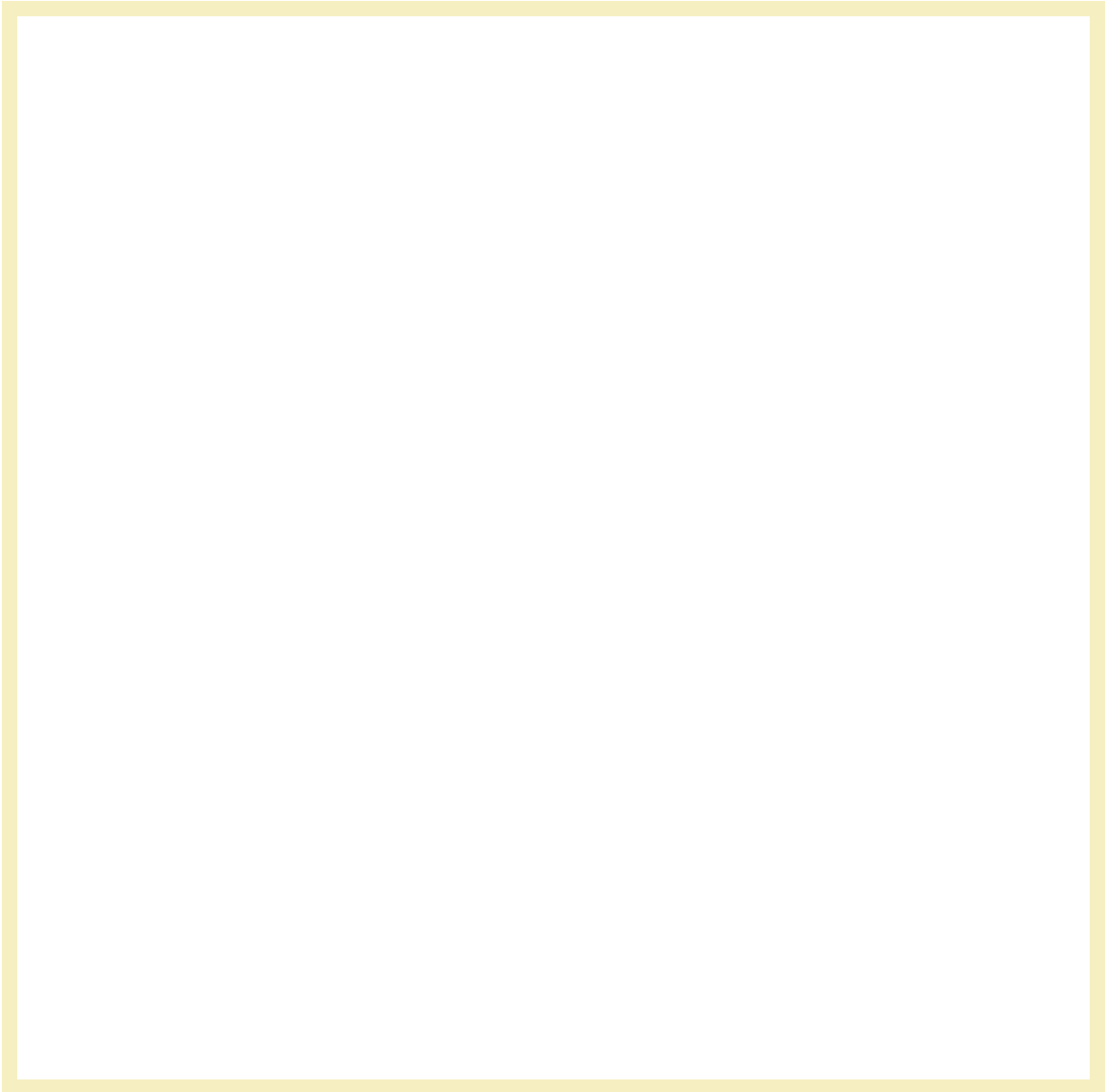
Density of Human Features:

Well **0.58** heads/km²

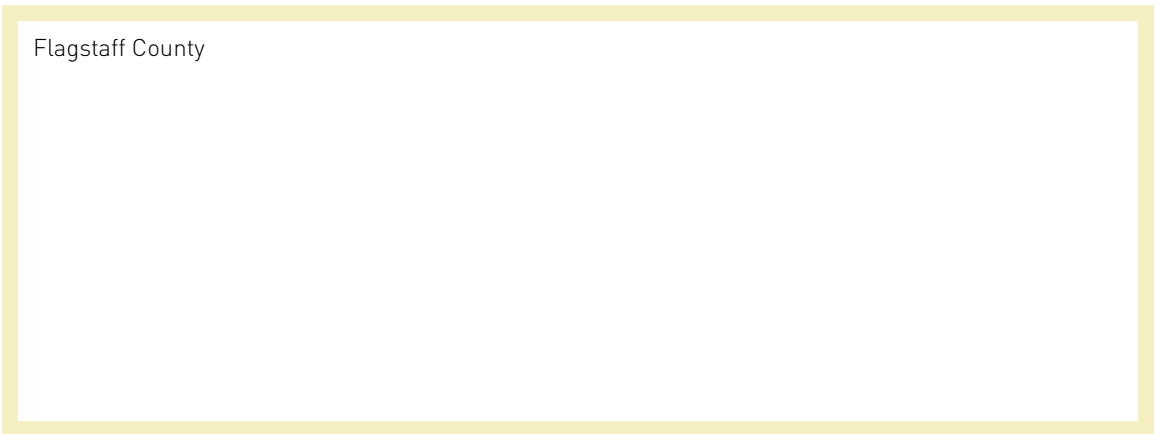
Road **0.65** km/km²

Pipeline **0.12** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

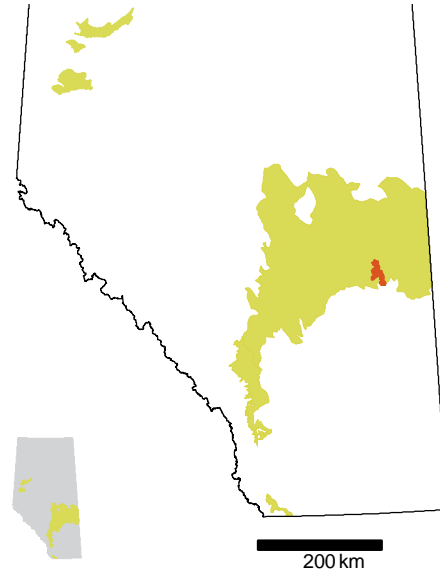


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Northern Fescue

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

24,468.0 hectares
244.7 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well **1.02** heads/km²
Road **0.66** km/km²
Pipeline **0.37** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Mammals

Northern grasshopper mouse

Vascular Plants

Annual skeletonweed

Shrubby evening-primrose

MUNICIPALITIES

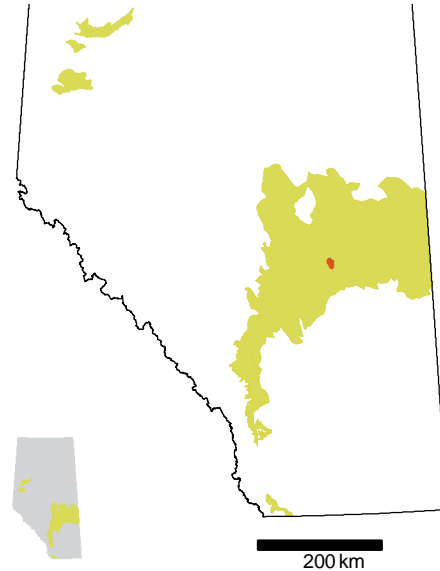
Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

Flagstaff County

County of Paintearth No. 18

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
7,005.7 hectares
70.1 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.36 heads/km ²
Road 0.60 km/km ²
Pipeline 0 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Insects

Dod's old world swallowtail

MUNICIPALITIES

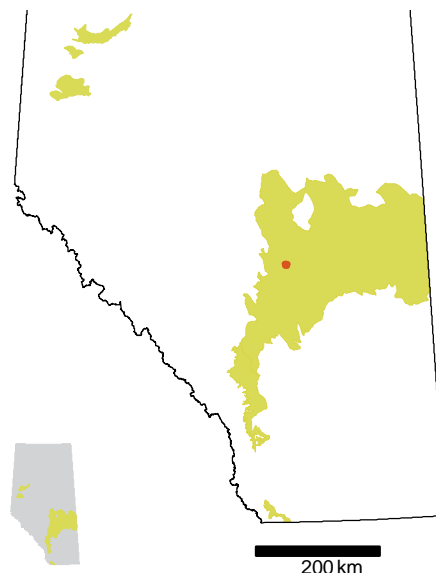
Flagstaff County

County of Camrose No. 22

County of Stettler No. 6

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,788.7 hectares

17.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.50 heads/km²

Road 1.09 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

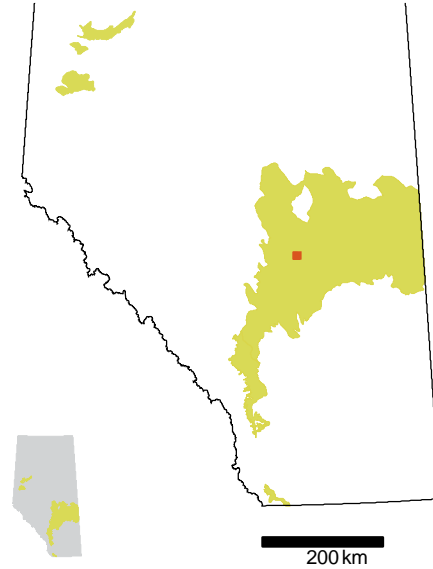
Ferruginous hawk

MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

132.6 hectares

1.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 3.02 heads/km²

Road 1.06 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Piping plover

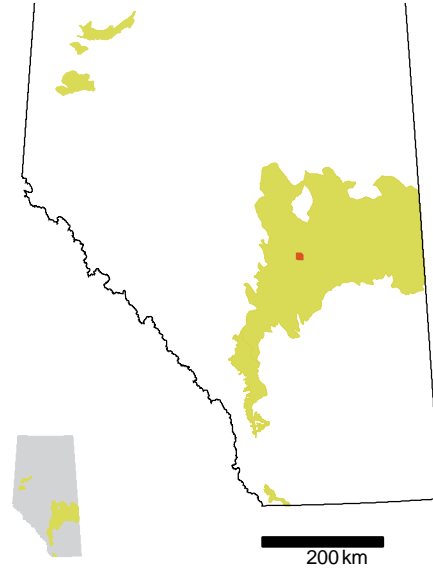
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

793.7 hectares

7.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.01 heads/km²

Road 0.95 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

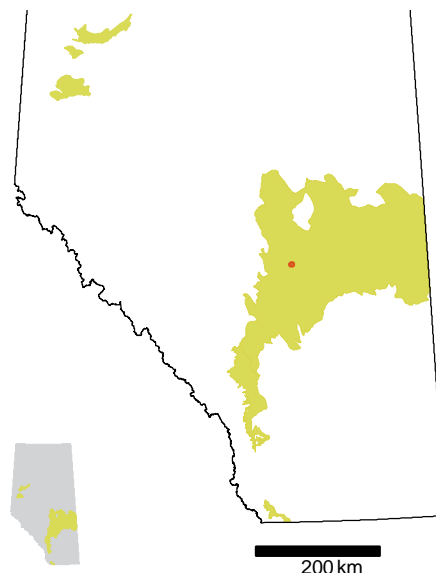
MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County

County of Camrose No. 22

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

468.7 hectares

4.7 km²

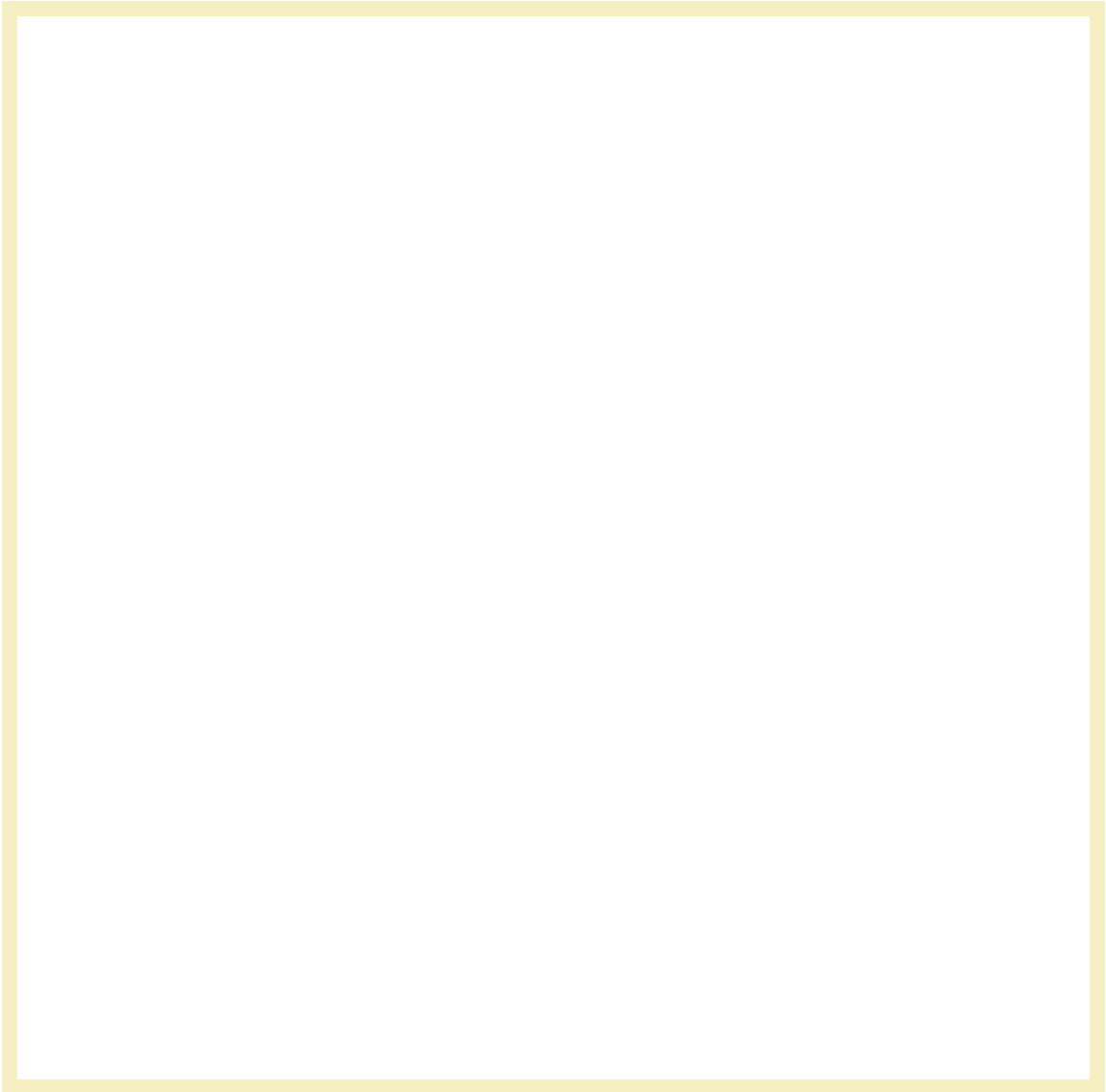
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Well 0.85 heads/km²

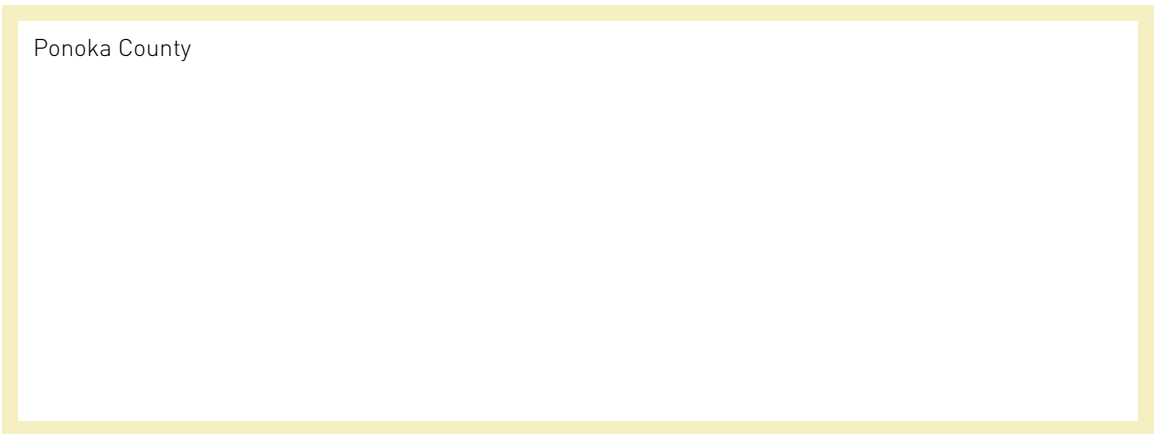
Road 0.73 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

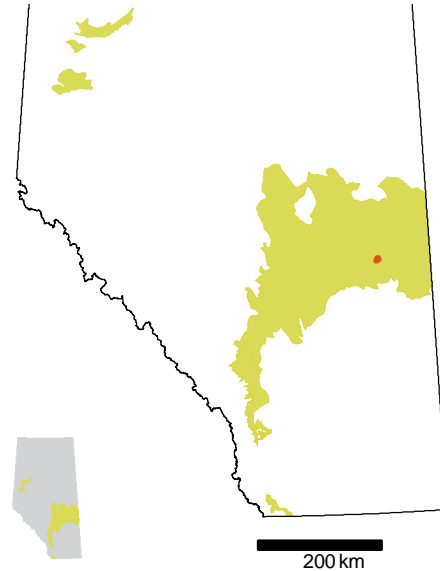


MUNICIPALITIES



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,229.5 hectares

12.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.73 heads/km²

Road 0.88 km/km²

Pipeline 0.75 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Vascular Plants

Sandhills cinquefoil

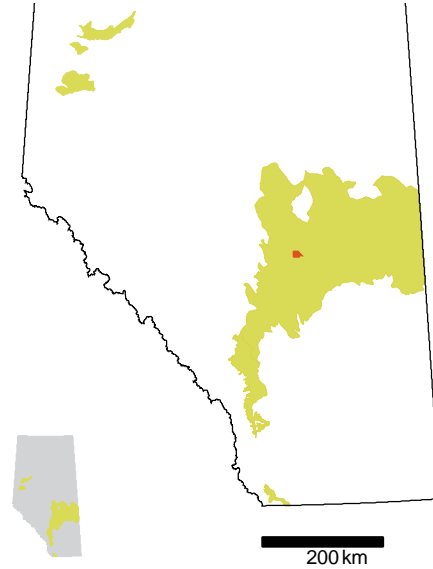
MUNICIPALITIES

Flagstaff County

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

525.2 hectares

5.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 3.62 heads/km²

Road 0.18 km/km²

Pipeline 0.52 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

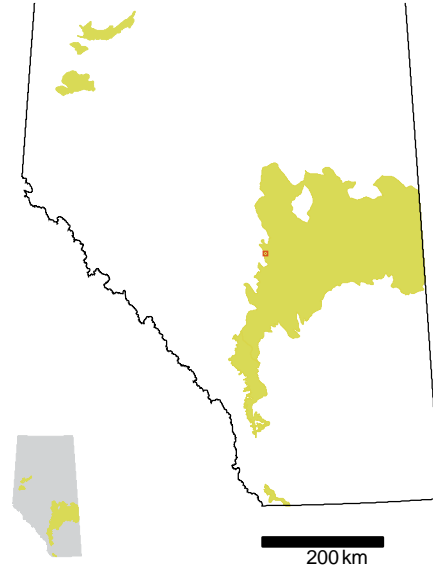
MUNICIPALITIES

Ponoka County

County of Wetaskiwin No. 10

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

65.1 hectares

0.7 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

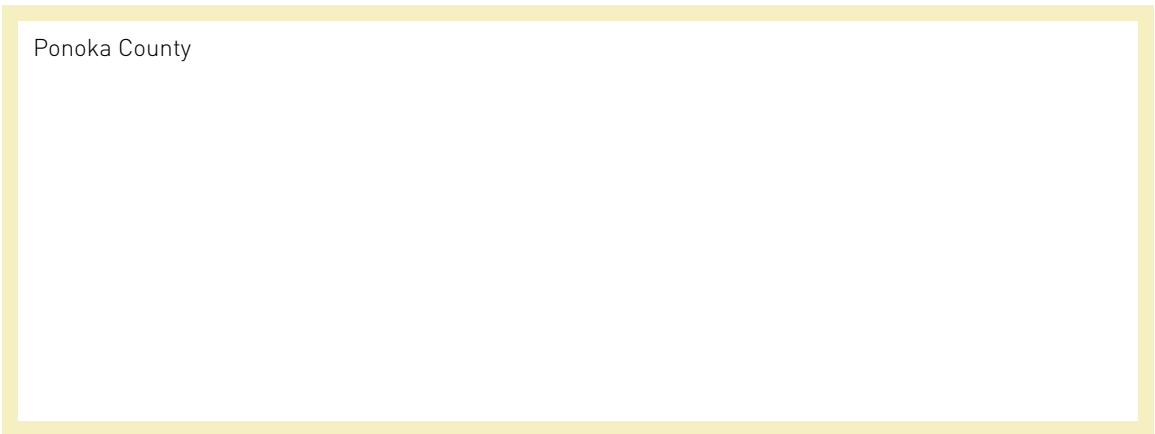
Road 2.17 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

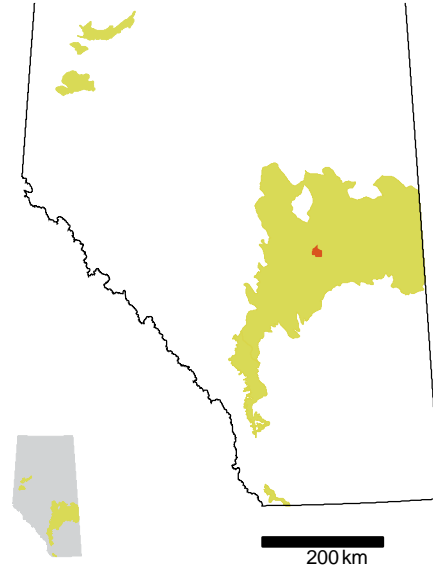


MUNICIPALITIES



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,775.7 hectares**17.8** km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.56** heads/km²Road **0.74** km/km²Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

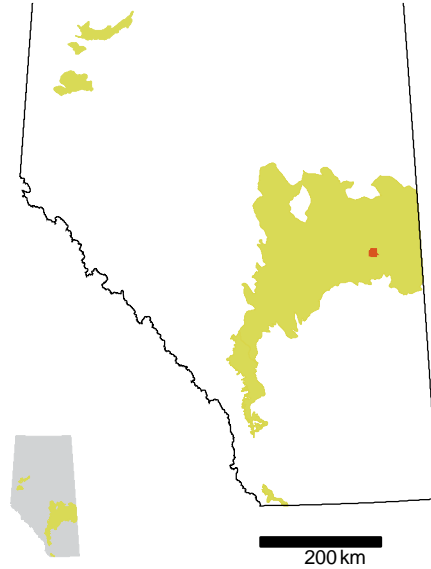
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Camrose No. 22

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,650.3 hectares

16.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.24 heads/km²Road 0.54 km/km²Pipeline 0.27 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

MUNICIPALITIES

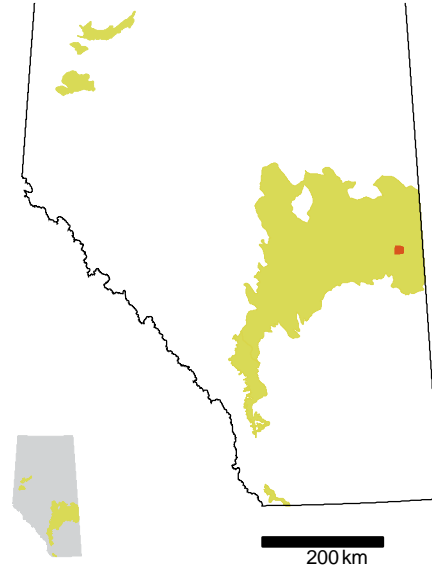
Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

Flagstaff County

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,254.5 hectares

32.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.80 heads/km²

Road 0.91 km/km²

Pipeline 0.32 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Vascular Plants

Long-leaved bluets

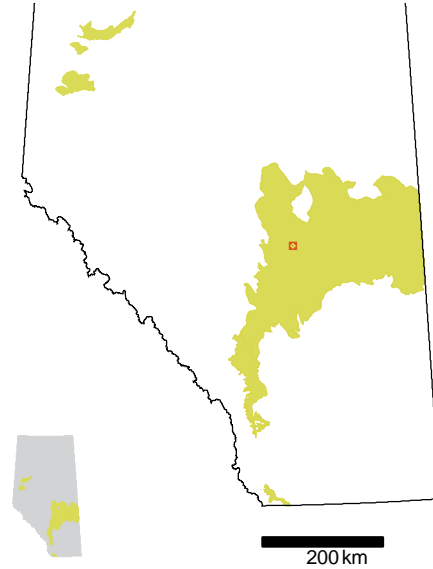
Sand nut-grass

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:

64.5 hectares

0.6 km²

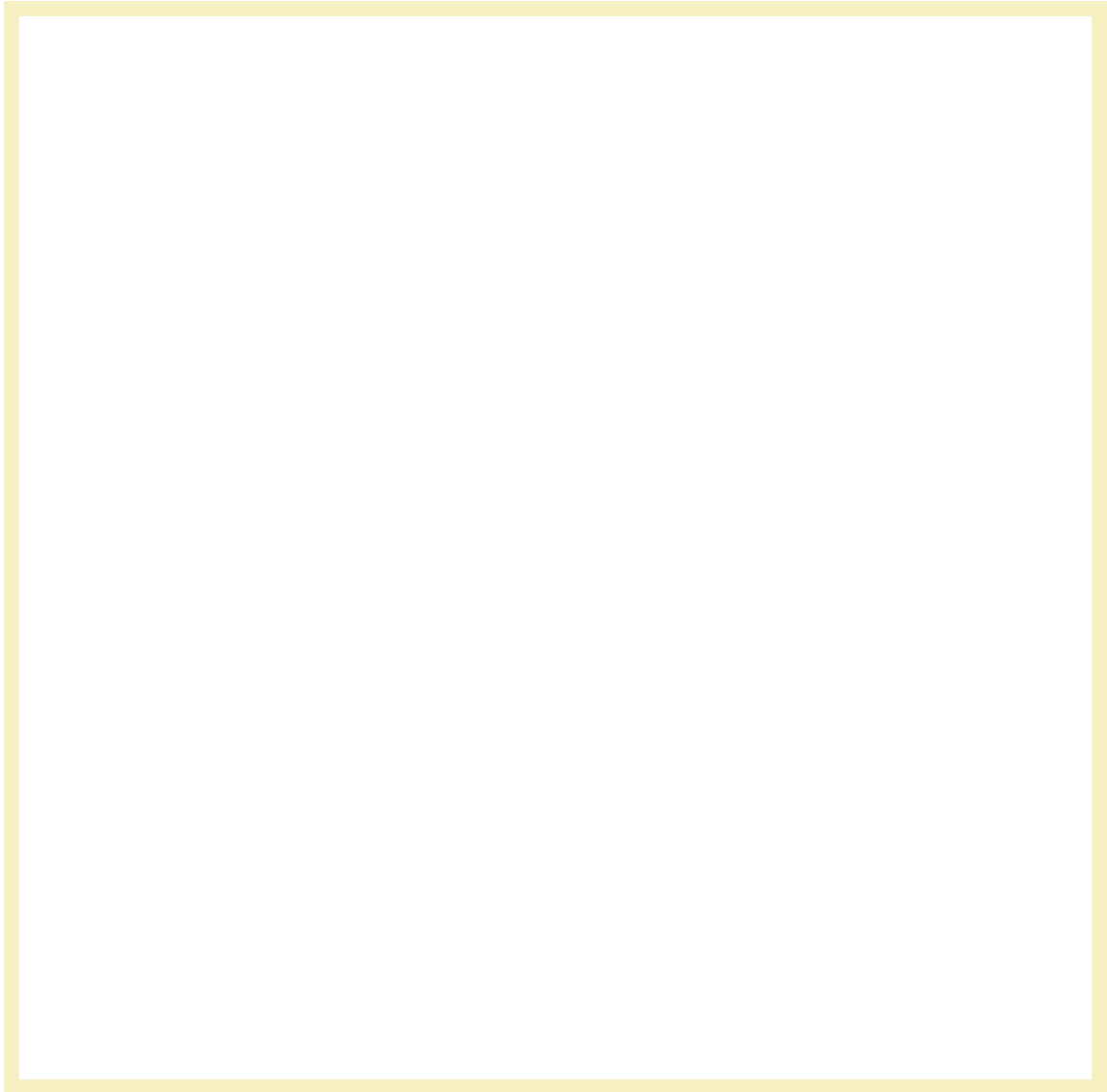
Density of Human Features:

Well **0** heads/km²

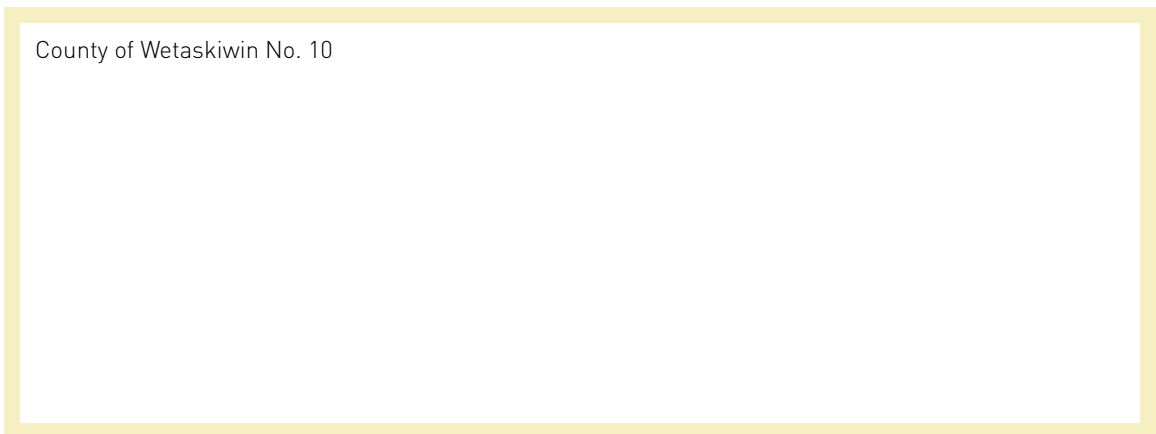
Road **0.16** km/km²

Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

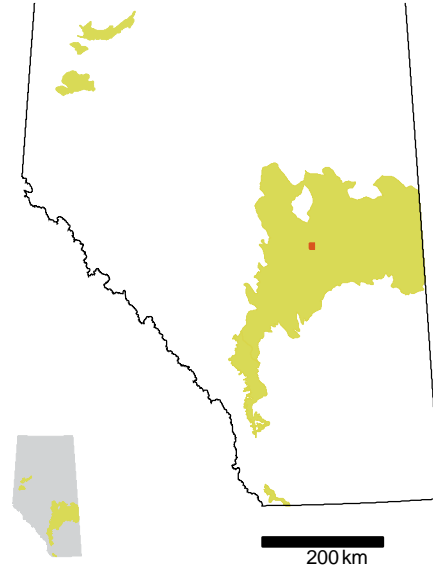


MUNICIPALITIES



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

397.5 hectares

4.0 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.50 heads/km²

Road 0.11 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

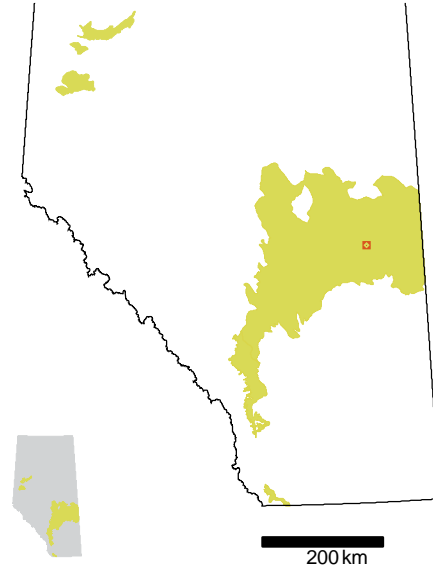
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Camrose No. 22

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

66.4 hectares

0.7 km²

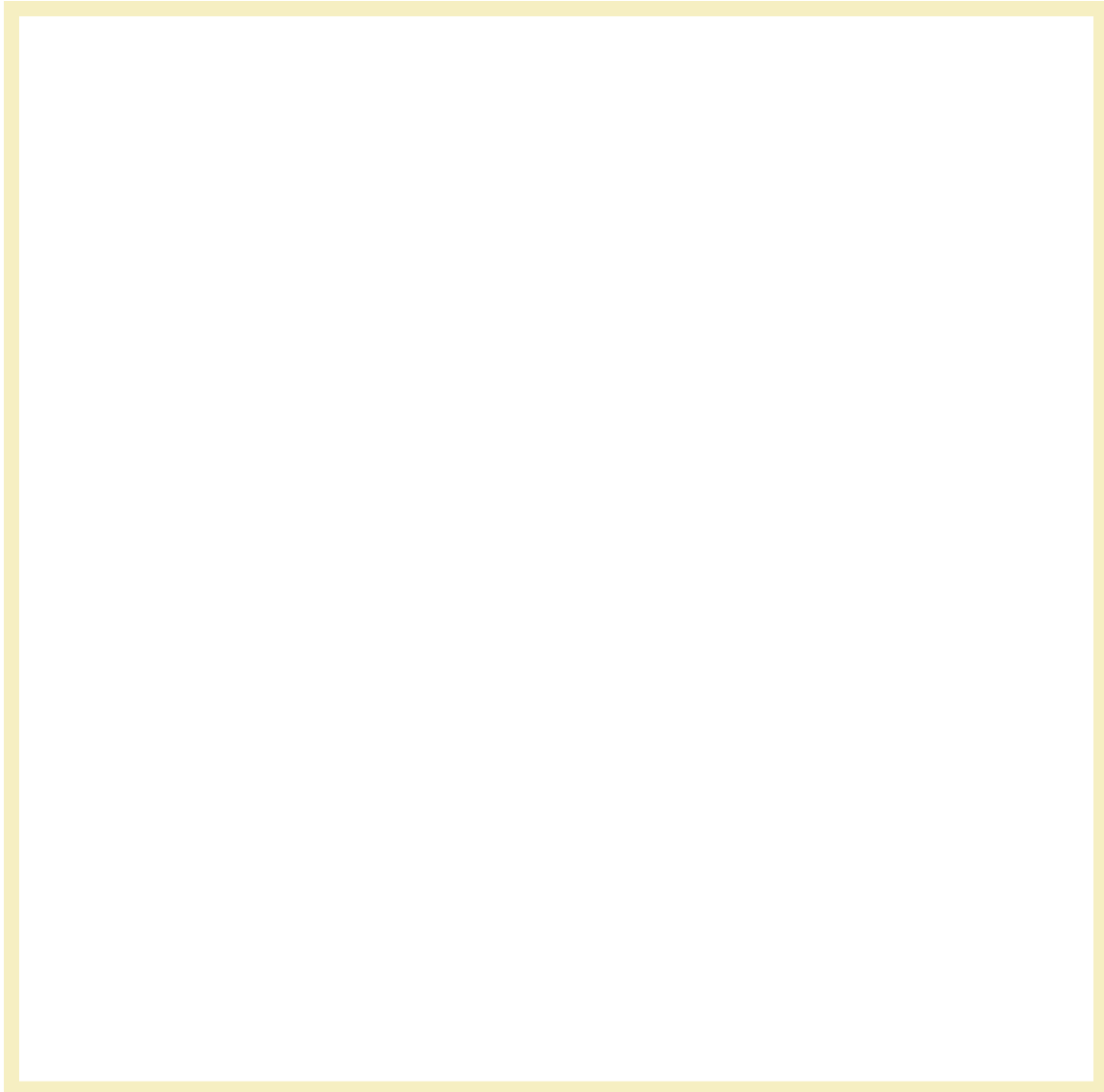
Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

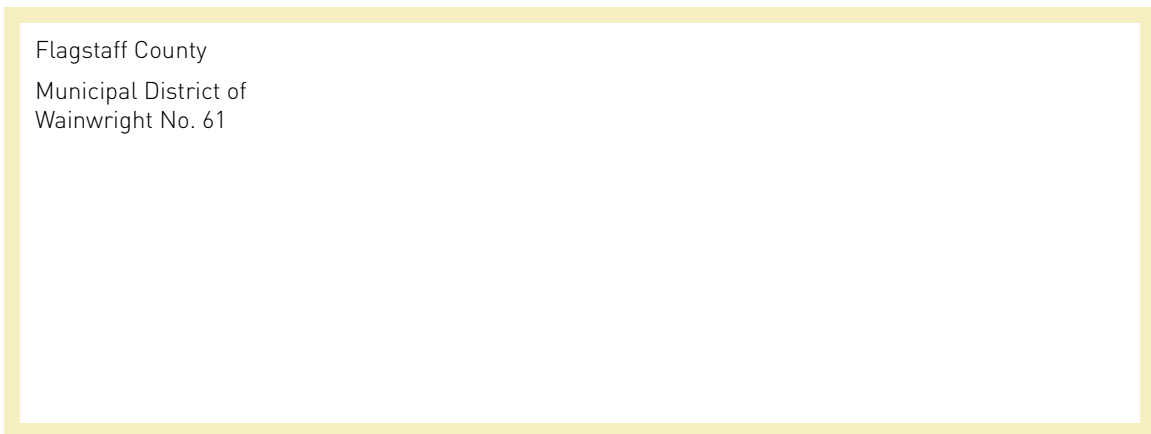
Road 0 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

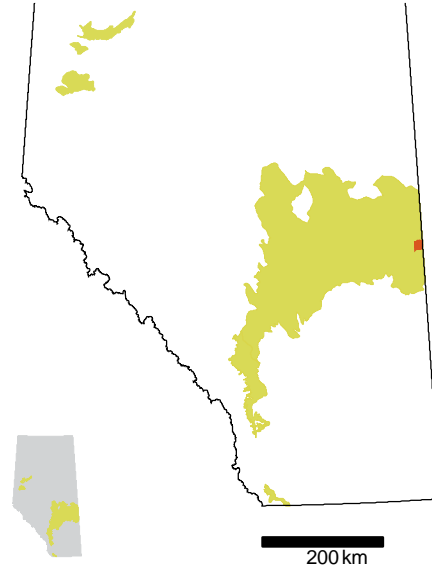


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

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Edgerton Sand Hills dune ridges,
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
3,007.8 hectares
30.1 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 1.10 heads/km ²
Road 0.39 km/km ²
Pipeline 0 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Insects

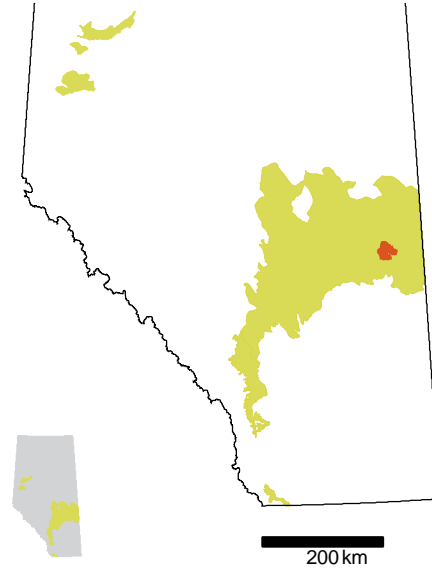
Pale yellow dune moth

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

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Wainwright Area dune ridges,
north battleford ridges
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
34,174.7 hectares
341.7 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.44 heads/km ²
Road 0.80 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.18 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Trumpeter swan

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Crawe's sedge

Few-flowered aster

Long-leaved bluets

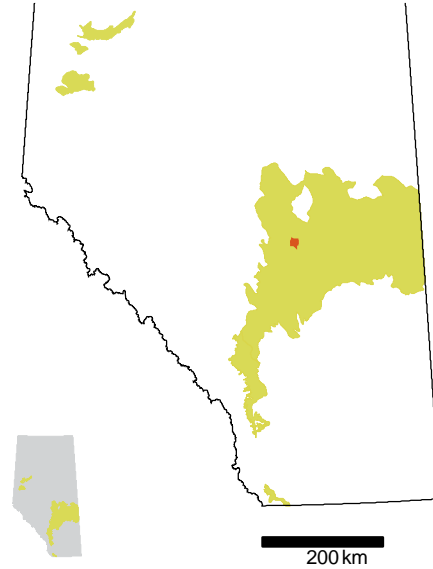
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,252.3 hectares

12.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.80 heads/km²Road 0.95 km/km²Pipeline 0.27 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

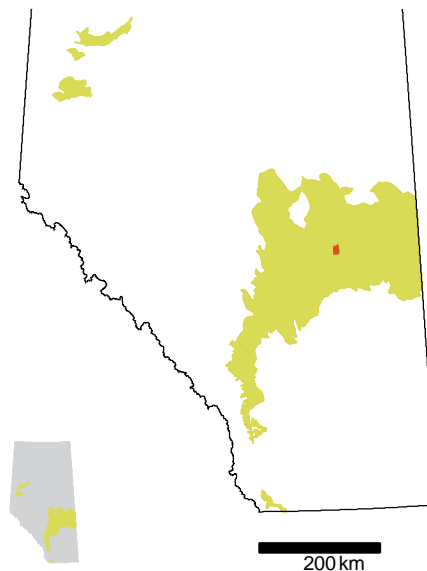
Ferruginous hawk

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Wetaskiwin No. 10

CRITERION

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 - Wavy Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

5,422.3 hectares

54.2 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.53 heads/km²

Road 0.69 km/km²

Pipeline 0.01 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

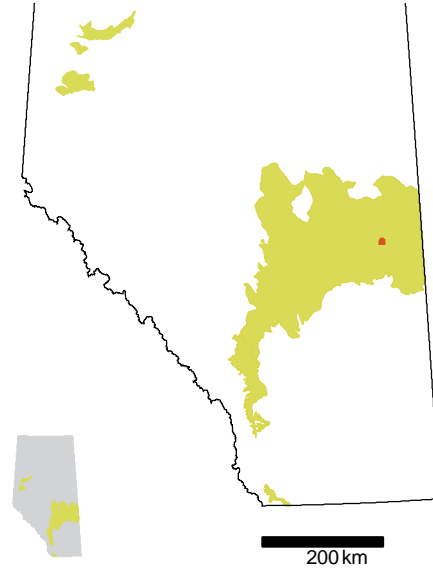
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

Flagstaff County

CRITERION

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- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

593.5 hectares

5.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.18 heads/km²

Road 0.57 km/km²

Pipeline 0.26 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mammals

Prairie vole

Mosses

Cuspidate earth moss

Green-cushioned weissia

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

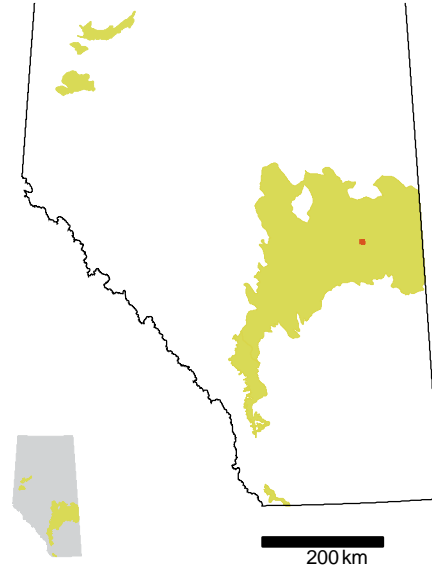
Shrubby evening-primrose

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

- ☐ 1 Contains 0 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Kinsella Area meltwater channels,
ice-walled channels
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

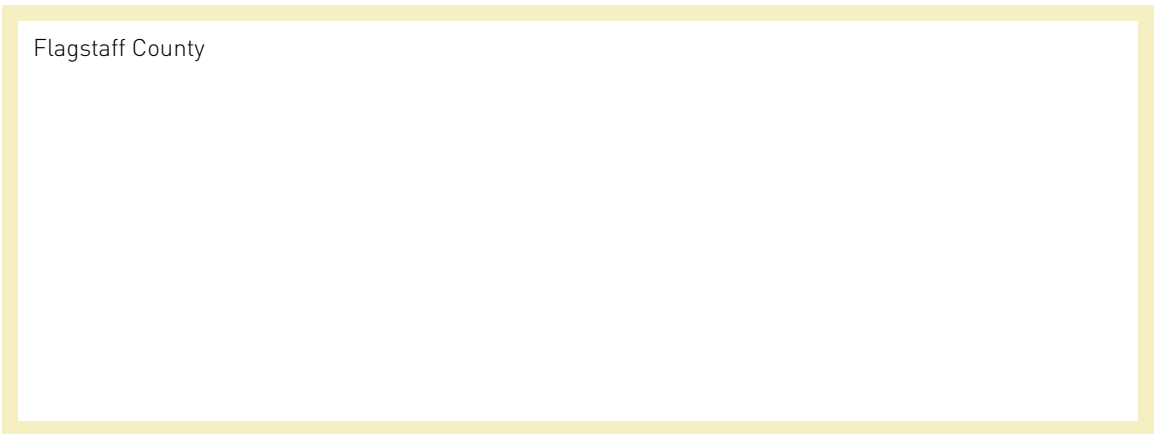
Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
2,572.8 hectares
25.7 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.70 heads/km ²
Road 1.01 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.49 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

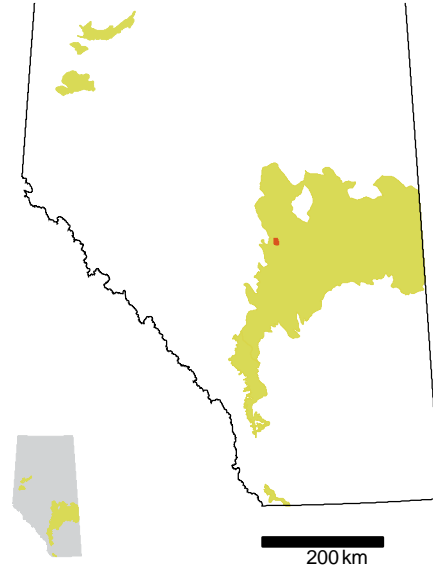


MUNICIPALITIES



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 - Bearhills Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

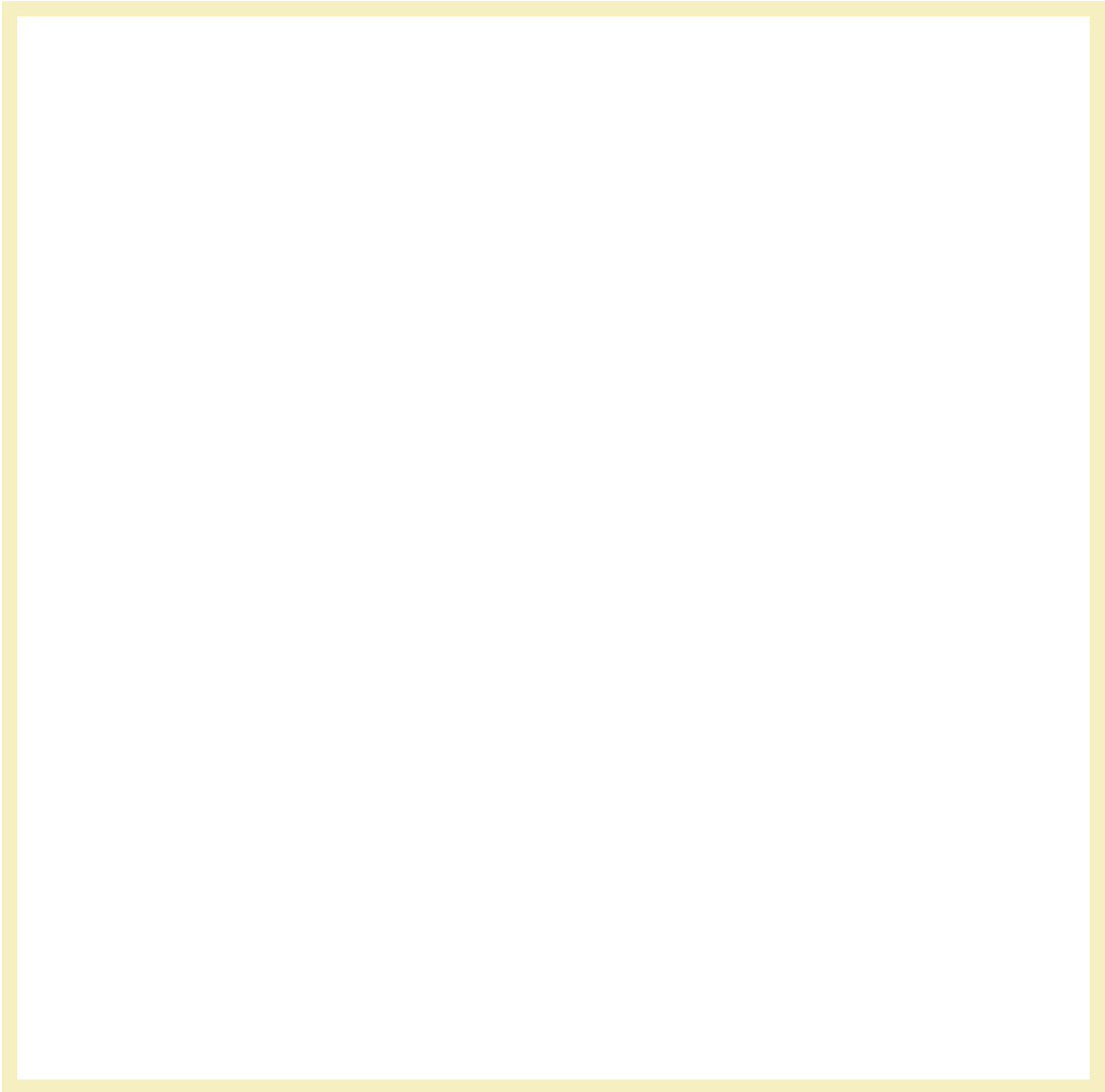
River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

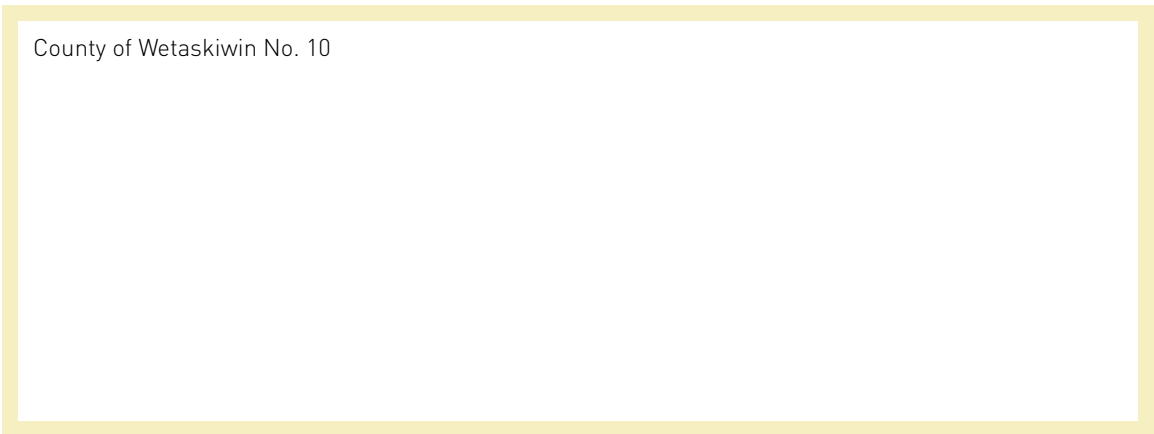
Area:

3,210.9 hectares**32.1** km²Density of
Human Features:Well **0.34** heads/km²Road **1.52** km/km²Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

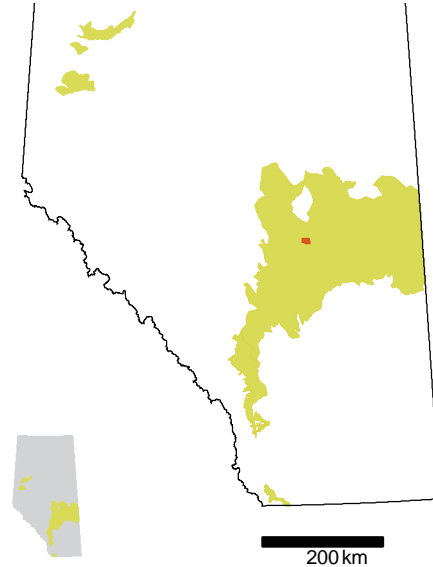


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

- ☒ **1 Contains 1 element(s) of conservation concern**
- ☒ **2 Contains rare or unique landforms**
Coal Lake Area meltwater channels, subglacial channels
- ☐ **3 Contains habitat for focal species**
- ☐ **4 Contains important wildlife habitat**
- ☒ **5 Contains riparian areas**
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

5,053.6 hectares

50.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.83 heads/km²Road 1.21 km/km²Pipeline 0.16 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mammals

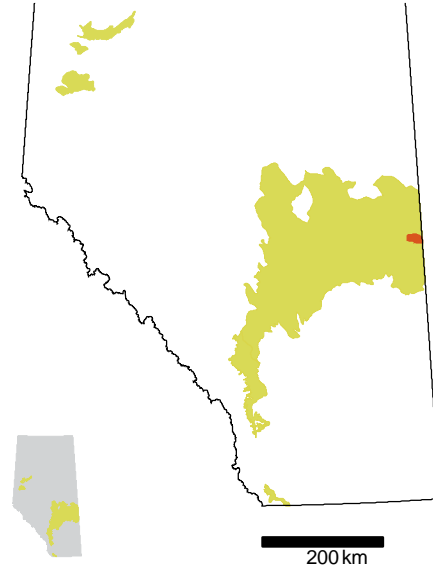
Prairie vole

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Camrose No. 22

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

5,779.6 hectares

57.8 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.74 heads/km²Road 0.30 km/km²Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

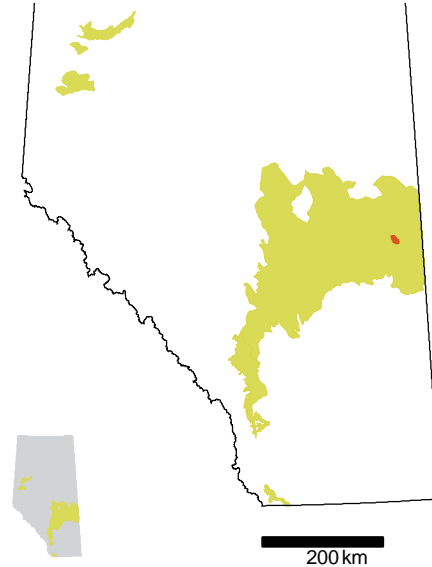
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains **3** element(s) of conservation concern
- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

4,340.8 hectares

43.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **2.72** heads/km²

Road **0.80** km/km²

Pipeline **0.28** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vegetation Communities

Nevada bulrush -
(seaside arrow-grass)

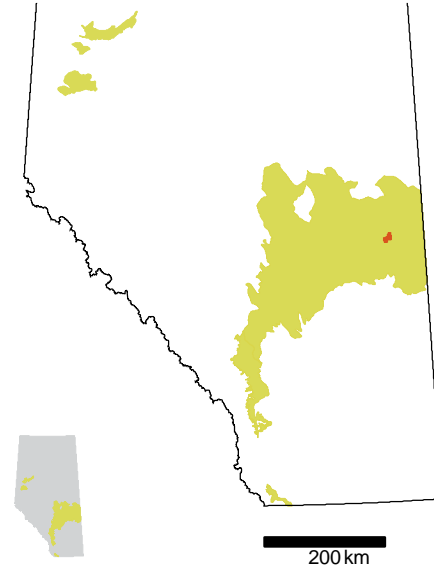
Seaside arrow-grass
emergent marsh

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

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- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

4,669.9 hectares

46.7 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.24 heads/km²

Road 0.73 km/km²

Pipeline 0.14 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Mammals

Prairie vole

Mosses

Cuspidate earth moss

Green-cushioned weissia

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

False dragonhead

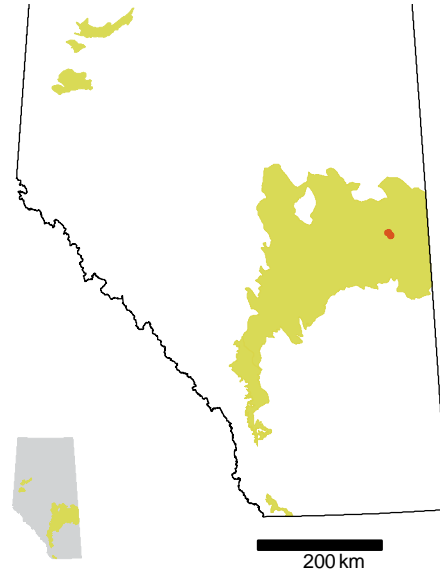
Shrubby evening-primrose

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,876.0 hectares

18.8 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.53 heads/km²

Road 0.71 km/km²

Pipeline 0.16 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

False dragonhead

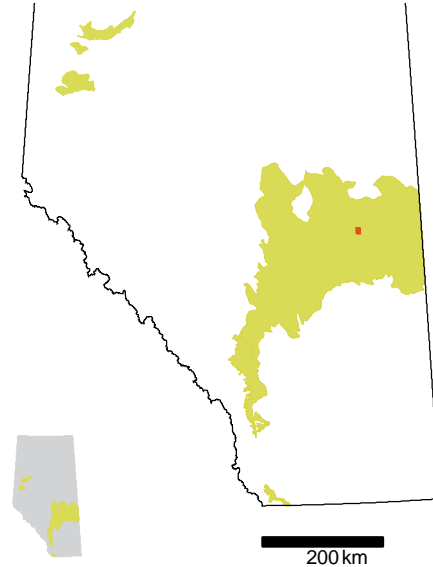
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 1 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Oliva Lake drift basins, saline/alkaline lakes
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
3,367.9 hectares
33.7 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.68 heads/km ²
Road 0.79 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.30 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Vascular Plants

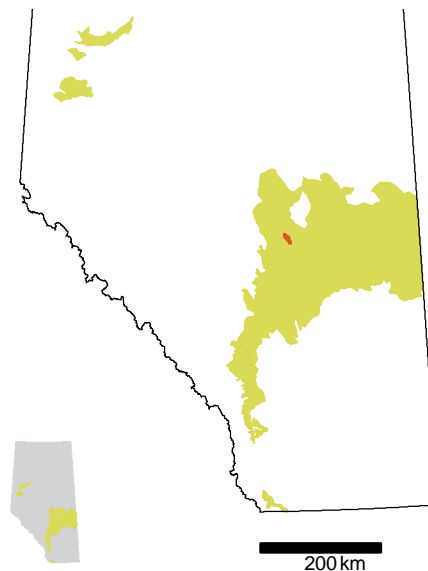
Crowfoot violet

MUNICIPALITIES

Beaver County

CRITERION

- ☐ 1 Contains 0 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Coal Lake glacial tunnel lakes
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,935.5 hectares

39.4 km²

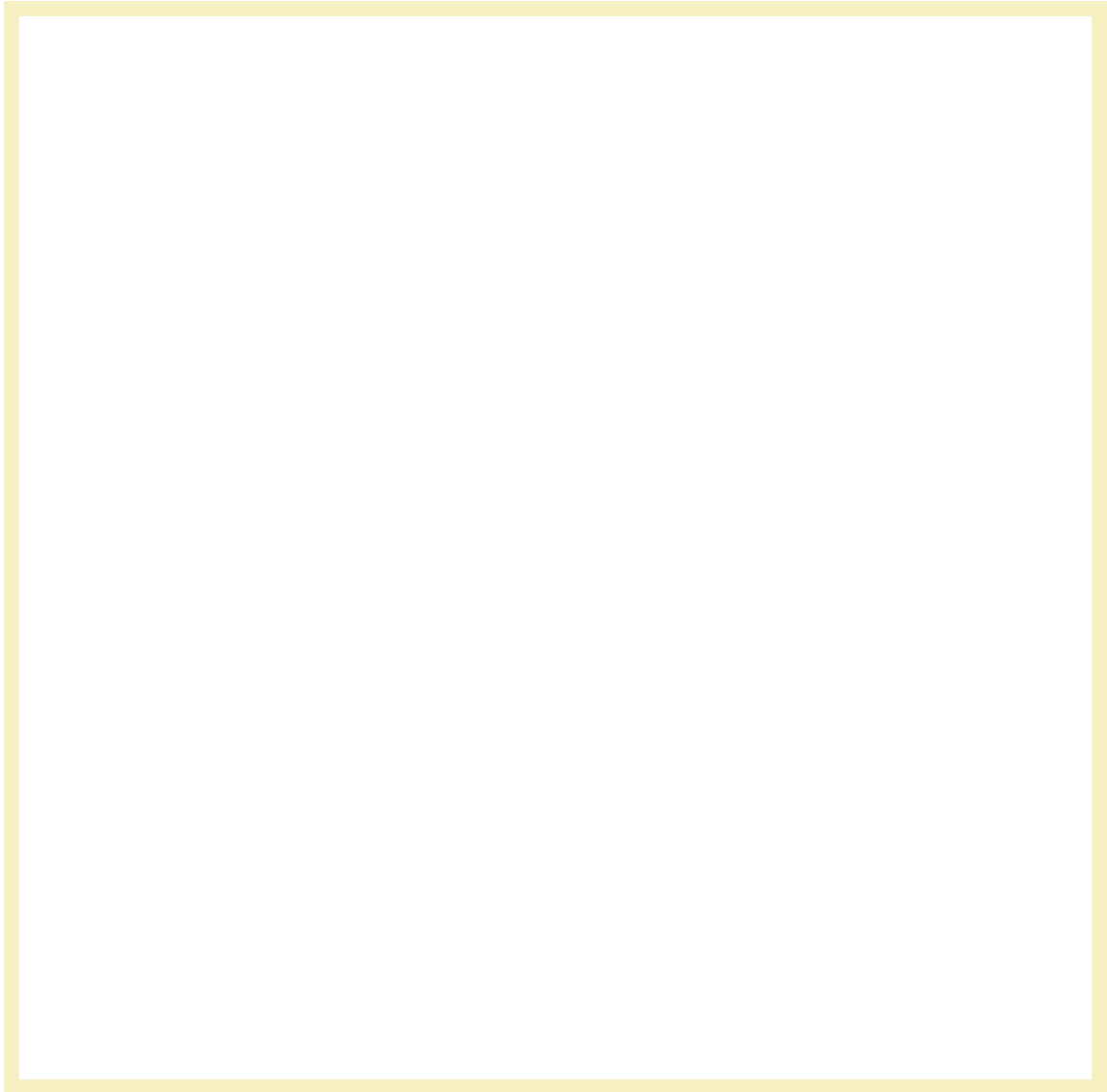
Density of Human Features:

Well 0.41 heads/km²

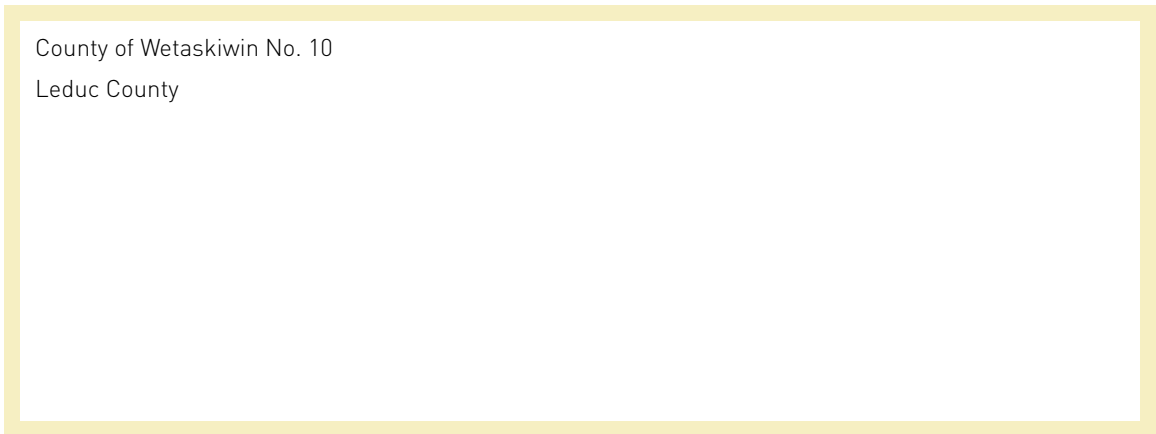
Road 0.76 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

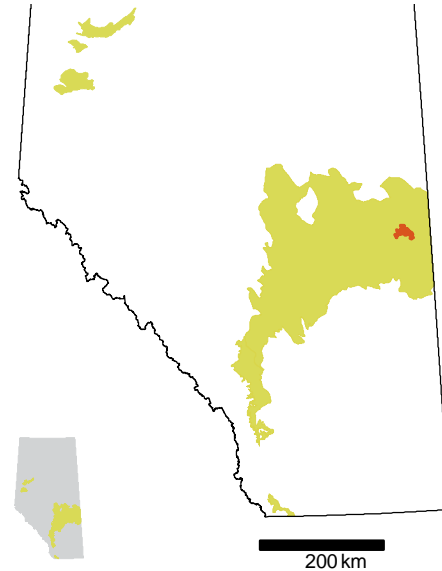


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 4 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Edgerton Landslides rock slides
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
22,659.0 hectares
226.6 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 1.98 heads/km ²
Road 0.85 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.38 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

False dragonhead

Salt-marsh sand spurry

Shrubby evening-primrose

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue -

June grass / juniper / forbs

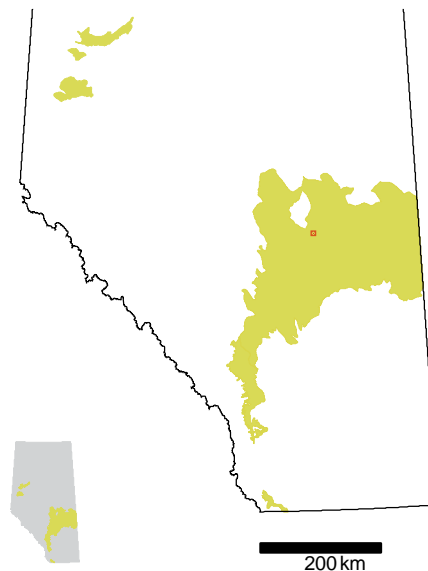
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

- ☐ 1 Contains 0 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Round Hill Area ice-thrust ridges
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

66.6 hectares

0.7 km²


Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

Road 1.26 km/km²


Pipeline 1.69 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



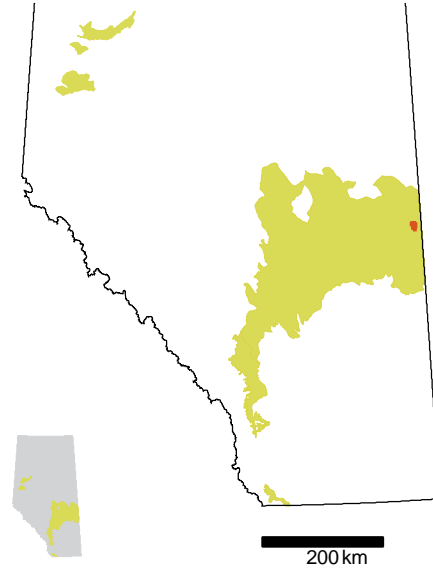
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Camrose No. 22



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

5,941.9 hectares

59.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.39 heads/km²

Road 0.51 km/km²

Pipeline 0.01 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Bushy cinquefoil

Hooker's sedge

Lance-leaved loosestrife

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue -

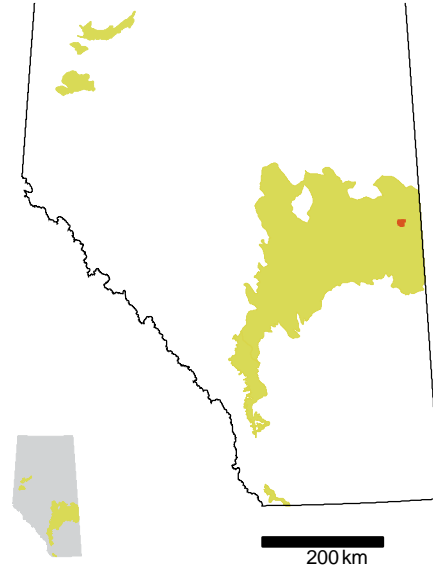
June grass / juniper / forbs

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
4,168.5 hectares
41.7 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 1.99 heads/km ²
Road 0.71 km/km ²
Pipeline 0 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Salt-marsh sand spurry

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue -

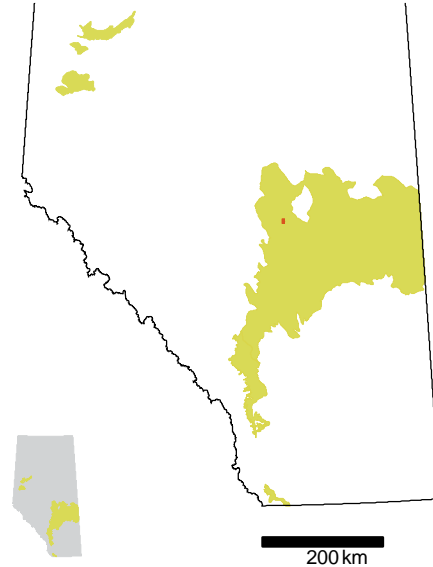
June grass / juniper / forbs

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

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Leduc Area glacial tunnel lakes
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

64.4 hectares

0.6 km²

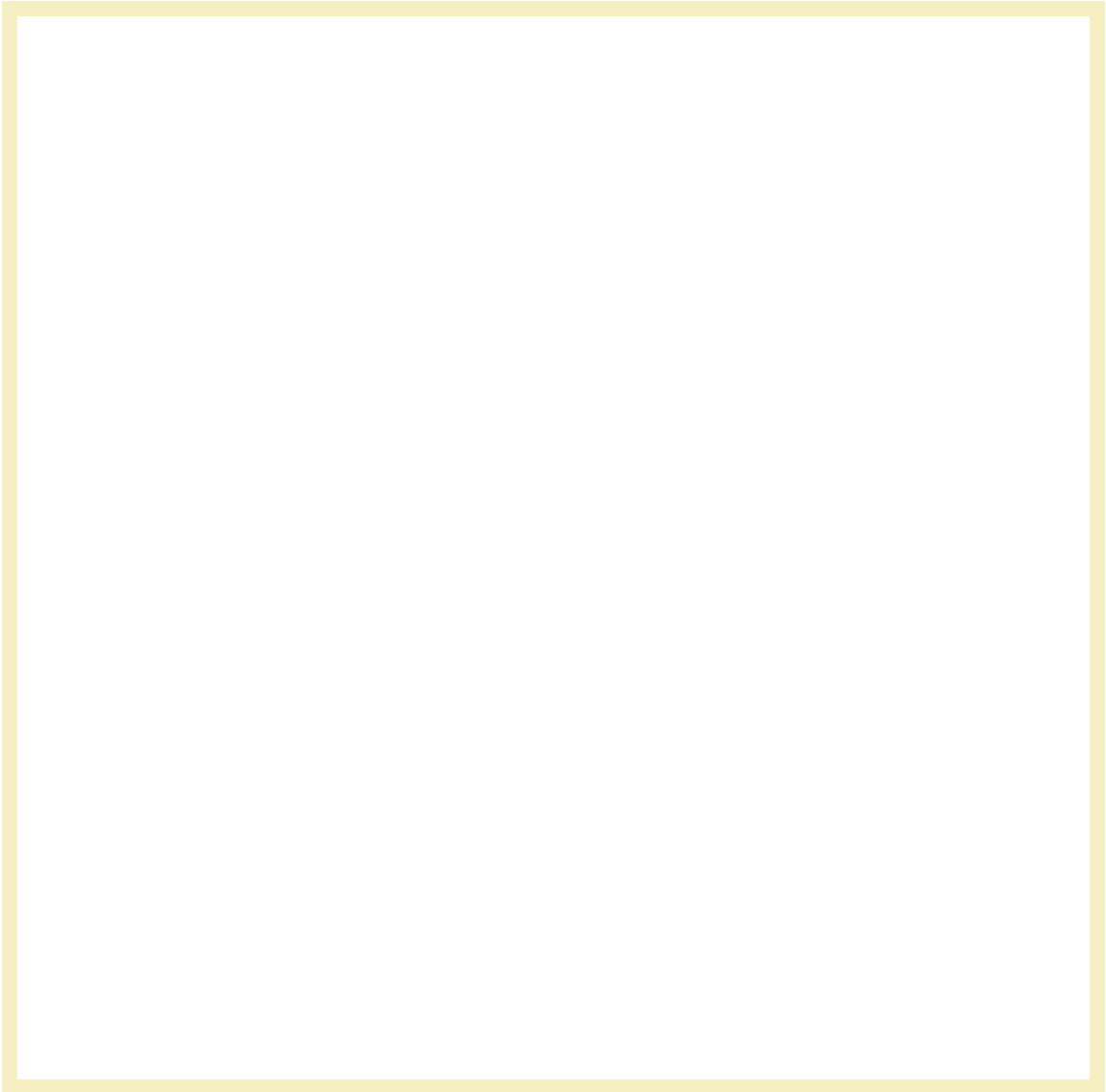
Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

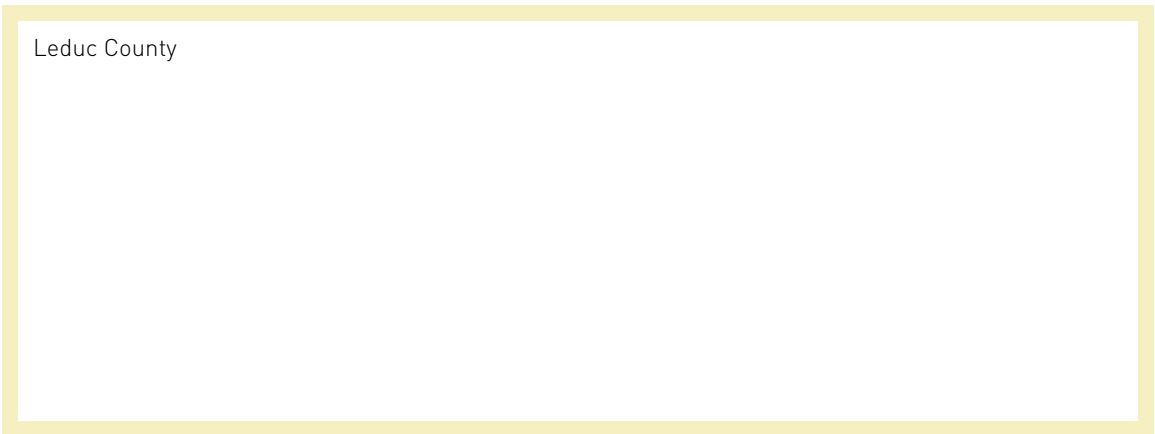
Road 0 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

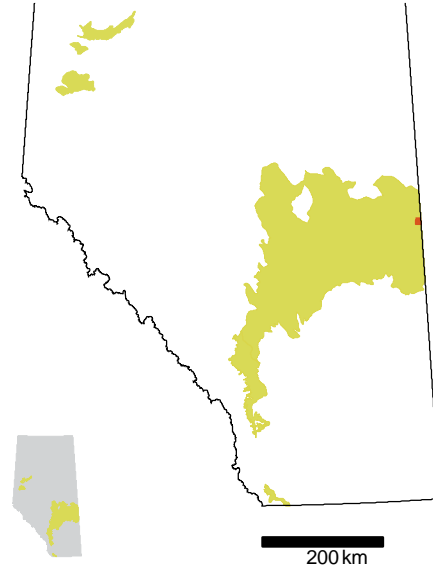


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

- ☐ 1 Contains 0 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
Lloydminster Area crevasse fillings
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River


Area:
1,325.2 hectares
13.3 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 1.36 heads/km ²
Road 1.20 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.08 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



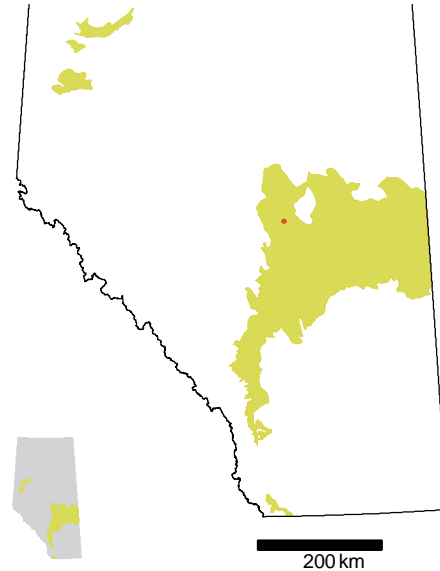
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24



CRITERION

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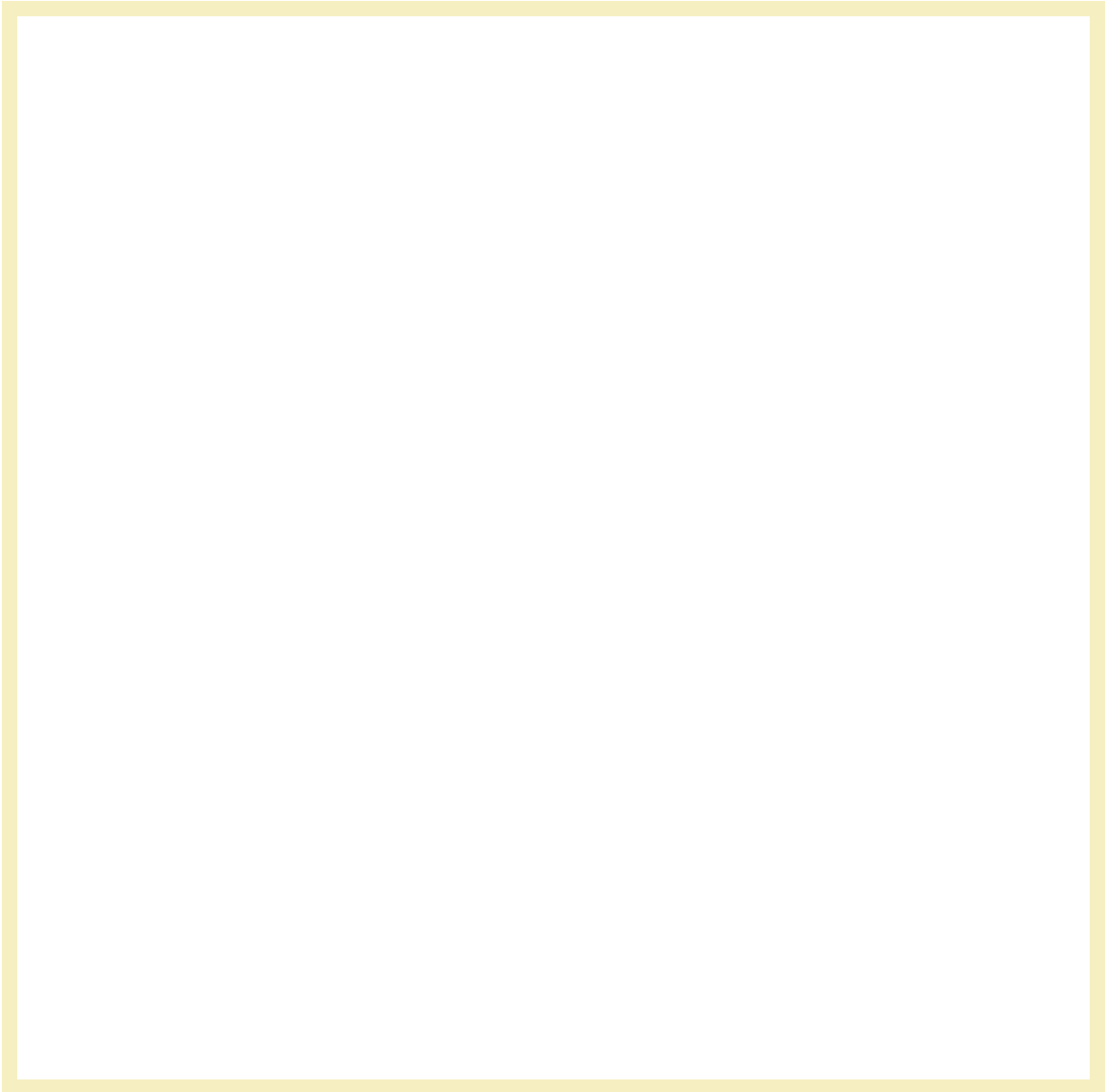
Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

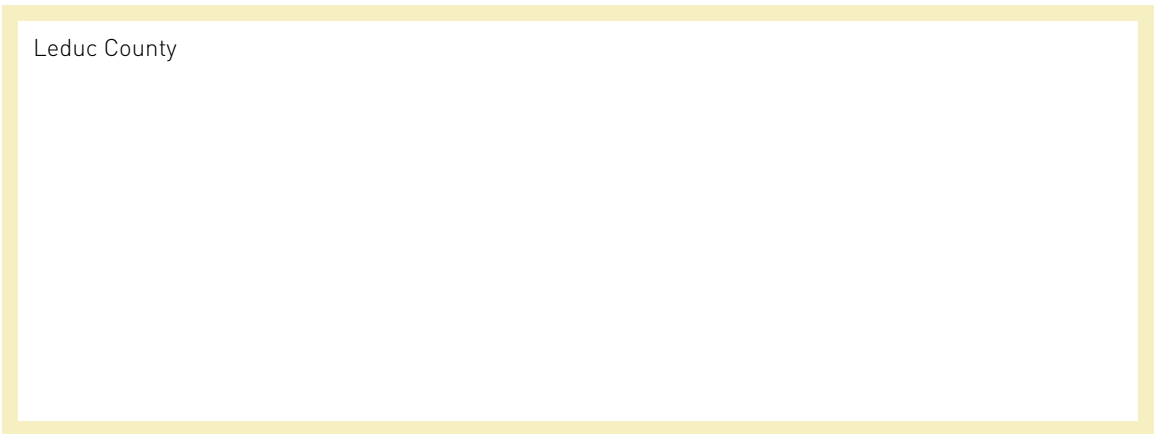
Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
64.4 hectares
0.6 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0 heads/km ²
Road 0 km/km ²
Pipeline 1.27 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

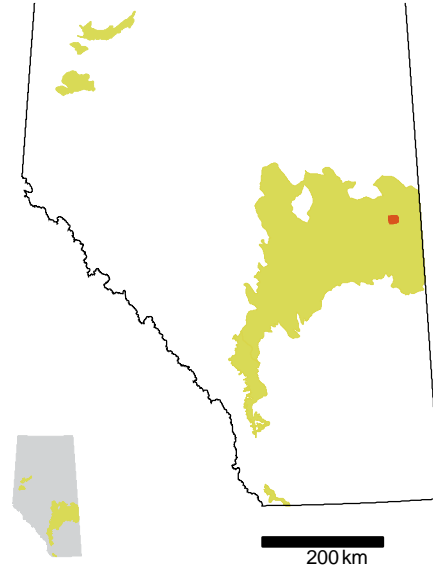


MUNICIPALITIES



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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

3,289.9 hectares

32.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 1.43 heads/km²

Road 0.50 km/km²

Pipeline 0.17 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue -

June grass / juniper / forbs

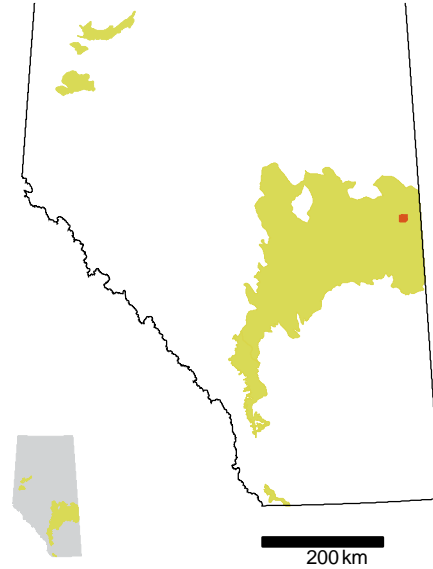
Plains rough fescue grassland

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,977.4 hectares

19.8 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.51 heads/km²

Road 0.78 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Vegetation Communities

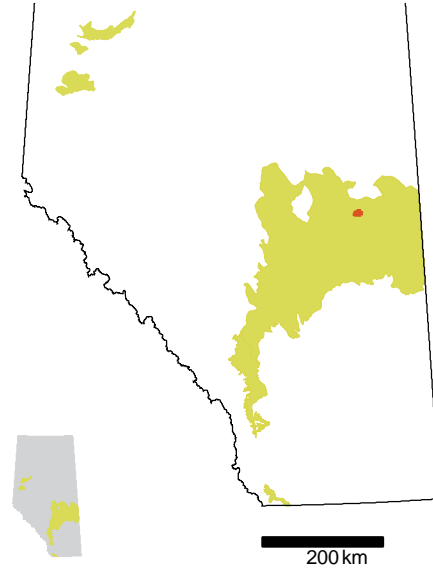
Plains rough fescue -
June grass / juniper / forbs

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

5,948.6 hectares

59.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.52** heads/km²

Road **0.54** km/km²

Pipeline **0.26** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Insects

Hobomok skipper

Vascular Plants

White adder's-mouth

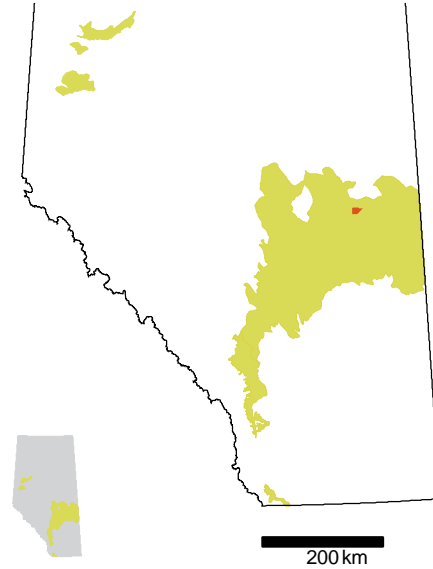
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Minburn No. 27

Beaver County

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

621.4 hectares

6.2 km²

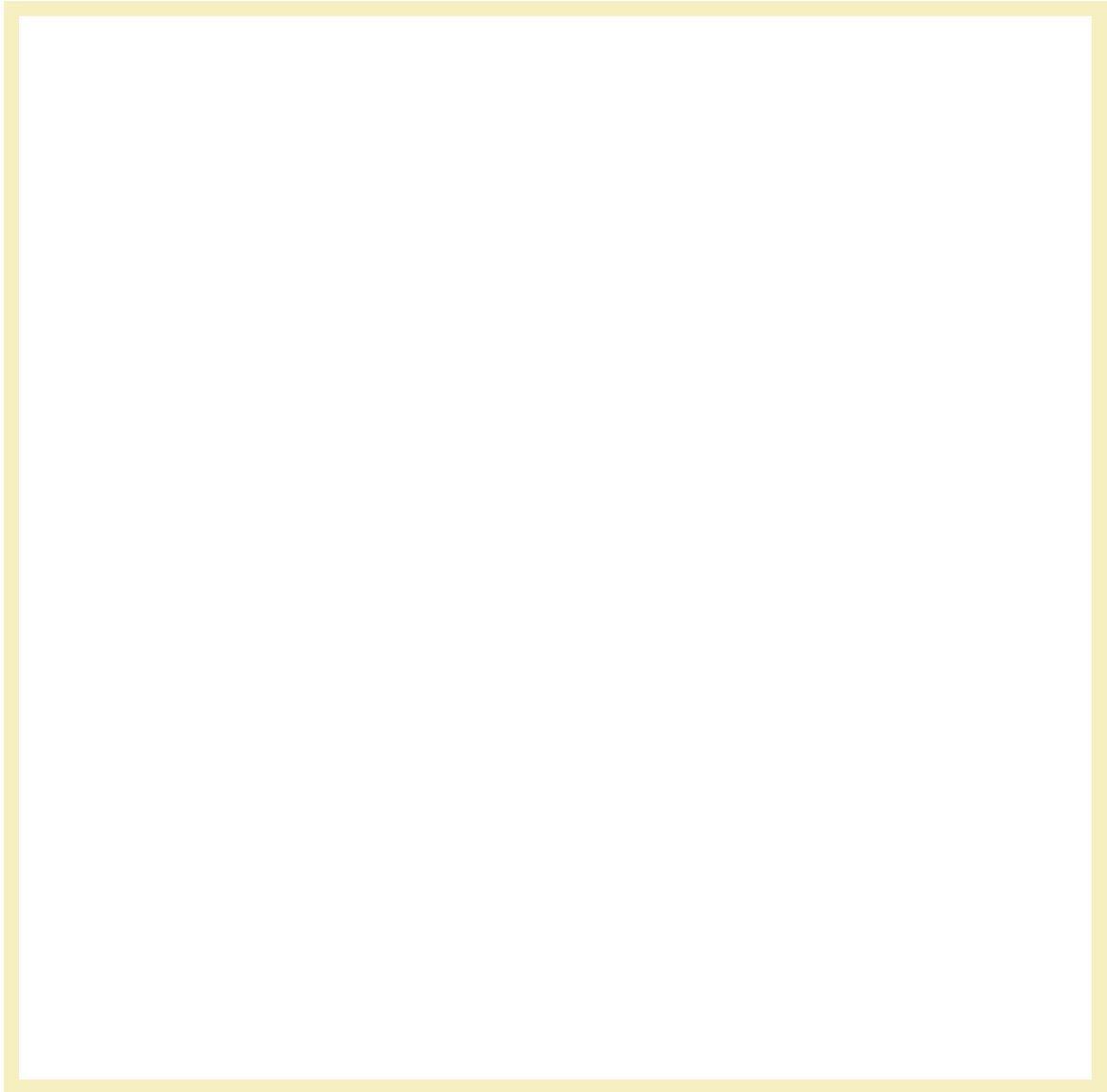
Density of Human Features:

Well 0.48 heads/km²

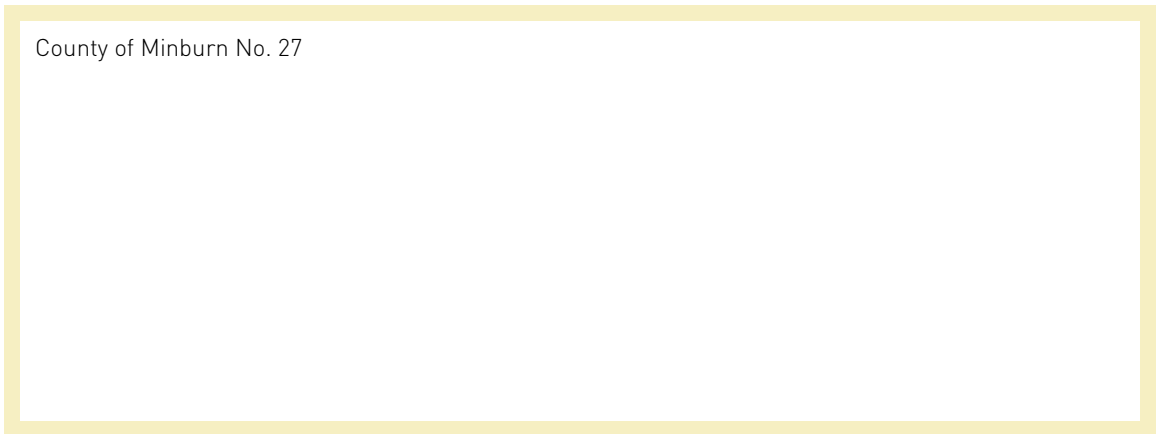
Road 0.73 km/km²

Pipeline 0.05 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

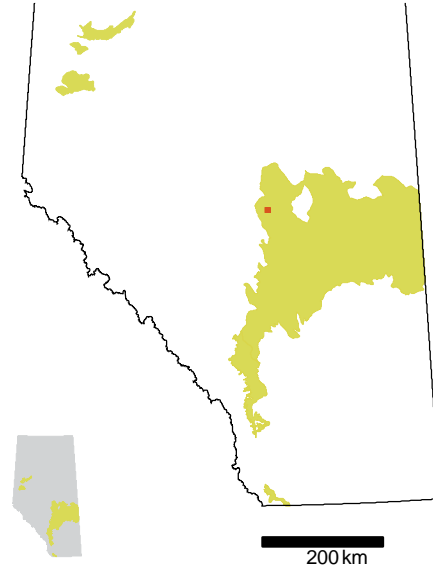


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

261.9 hectares

2.6 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.76 heads/km²

Road 1.07 km/km²

Pipeline 0.89 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Insects

Dot-tailed whiteface

Vascular Plants

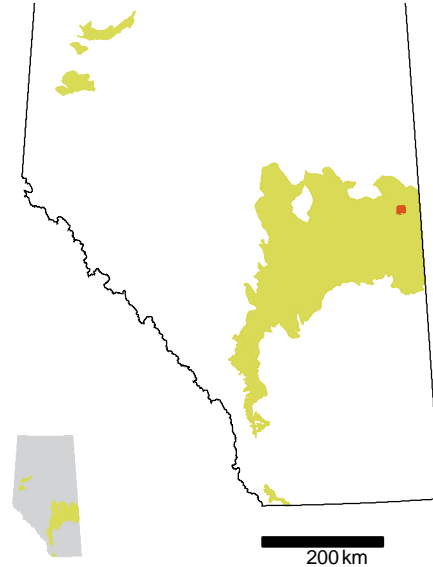
Wild comfrey

MUNICIPALITIES

Parkland County

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
4,031.6 hectares
40.3 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 0.99 heads/km ²
Road 0.92 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.49 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Mammals

Prairie vole

Vascular Plants

Chenopodium atrovirens

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue grassland

Salt grass - western wheat grass

Samphire emergent marsh

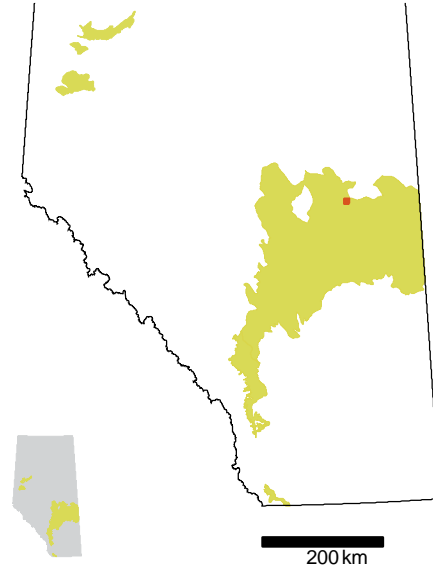
Seaside arrow-grass
emergent marsh

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

726.5 hectares

7.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.69 heads/km²

Road 0.76 km/km²

Pipeline 0.38 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

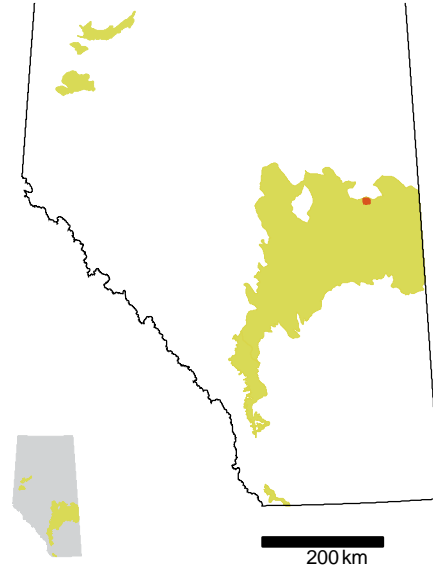
Western burrowing owl

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Minburn No. 27

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

2,295.0 hectares

22.9 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.39 heads/km²Road 0.73 km/km²Pipeline 0.59 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

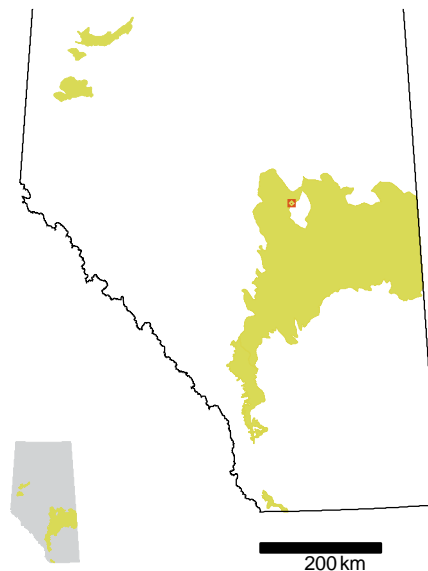
Ferruginous hawk

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Minburn No. 27

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

64.5 hectares

0.6 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

Road 0 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

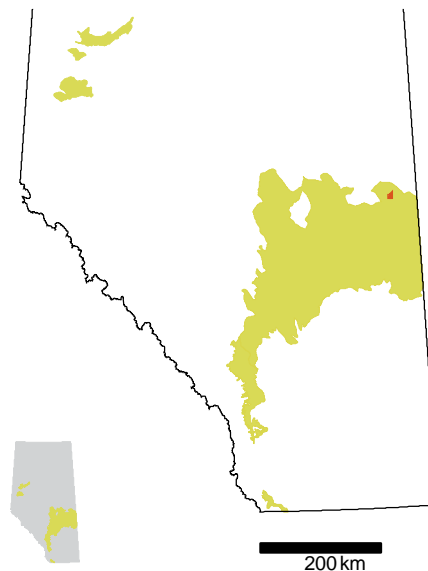


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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

134.9 hectares

1.3 km²


Density of Human Features:

Well 0 heads/km²

Road 0 km/km²


Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



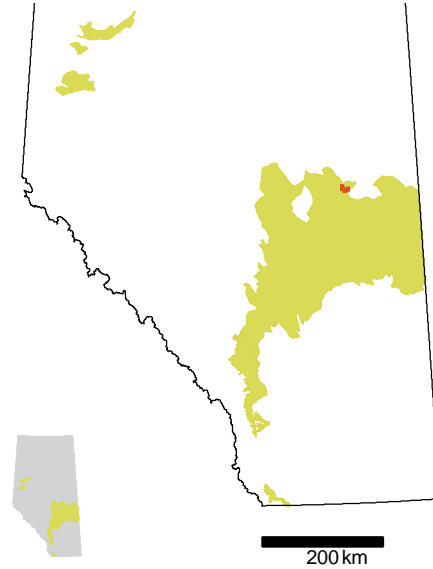
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Vermilion River No. 24



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Boreal

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Dry Mixedwood

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

3,800.5 hectares
38.0 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well **0.13** heads/km²
Road **0.58** km/km²
Pipeline **0.05** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

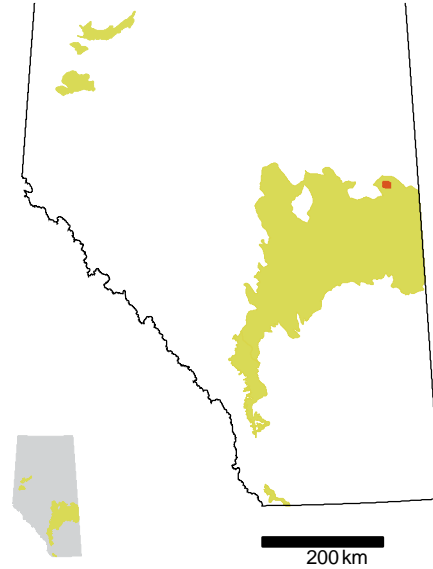
River bulrush

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Two Hills No. 21

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,119.5 hectares

11.2 km²

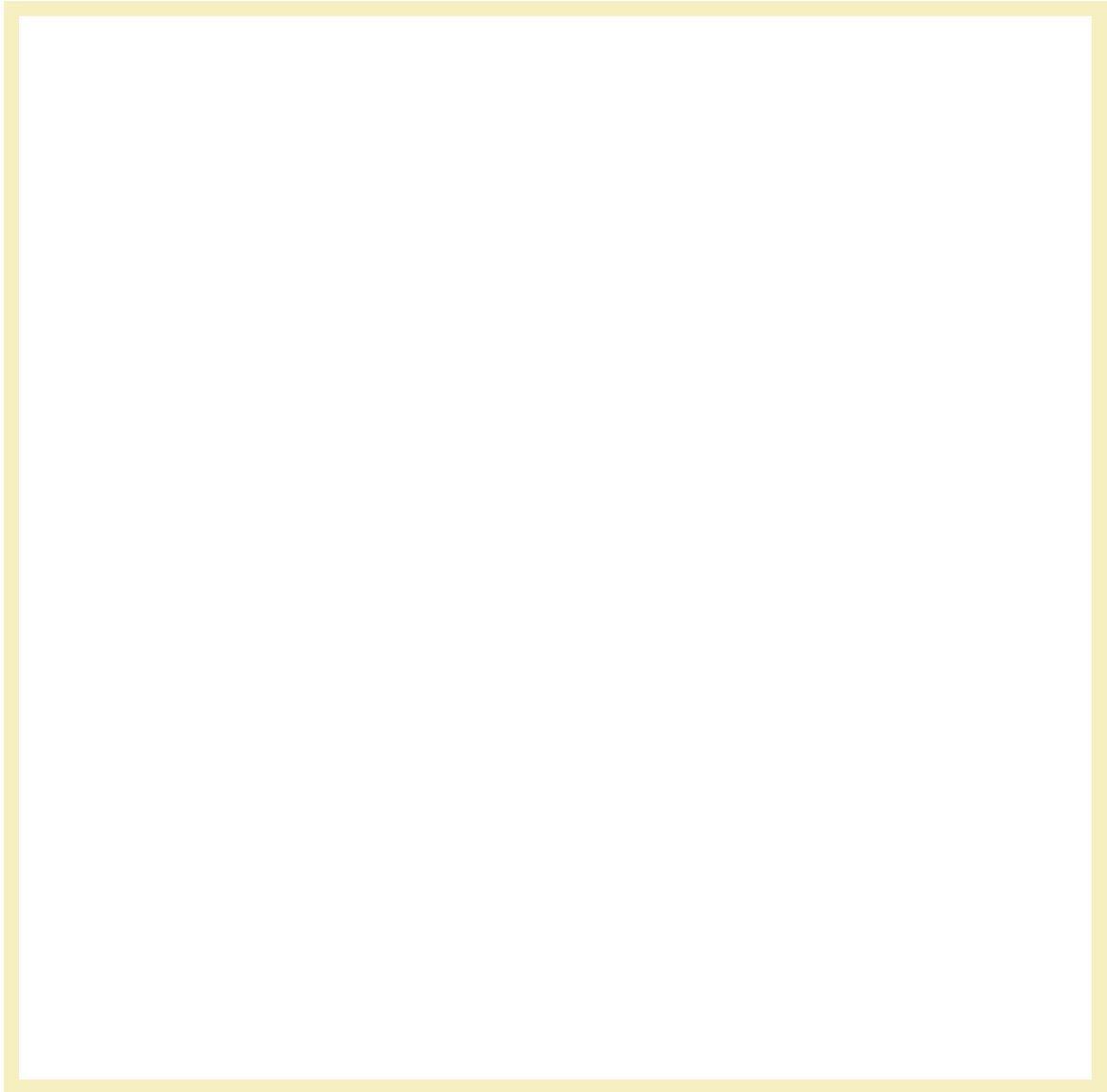
Density of Human Features:

Well 1.07 heads/km²

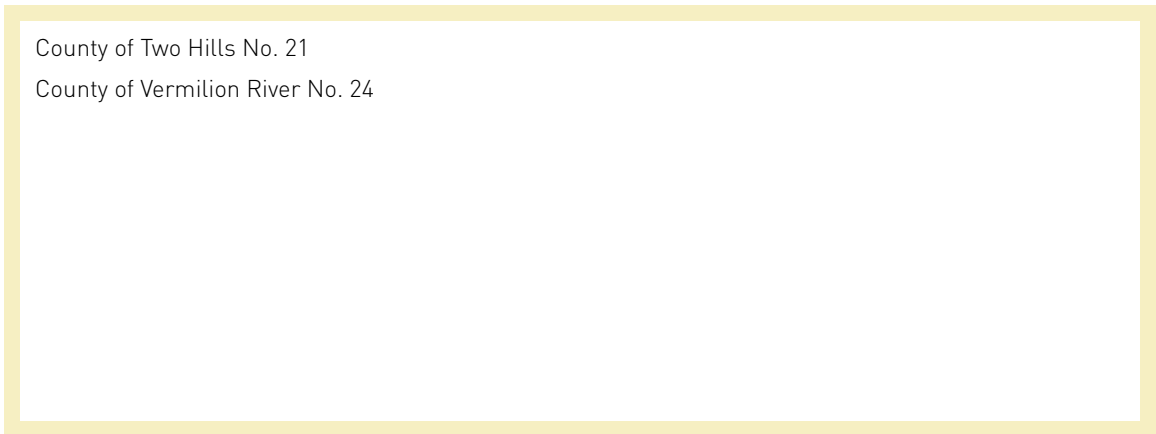
Road 0.80 km/km²

Pipeline 0.34 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

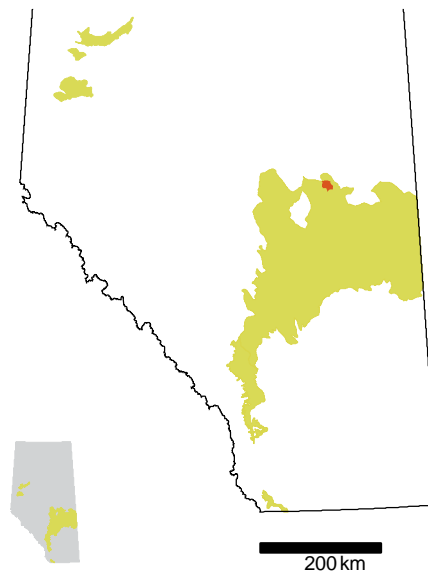


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 - Whitford and Rush Lakes Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

8,895.6 hectares

89.0 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.81 heads/km²

Road 0.97 km/km²

Pipeline 0.48 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

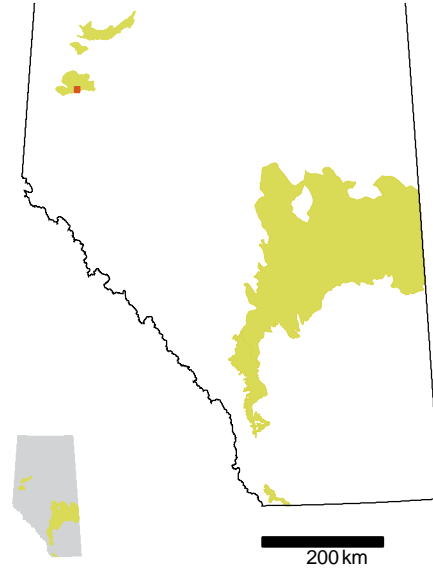
MUNICIPALITIES

Lamont County

County of Two Hills No. 21

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Peace River Parkland

River Basin(s):

Peace/Slave River

Area:

530.3 hectares

5.3 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.19 heads/km²

Road 2.24 km/km²

Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

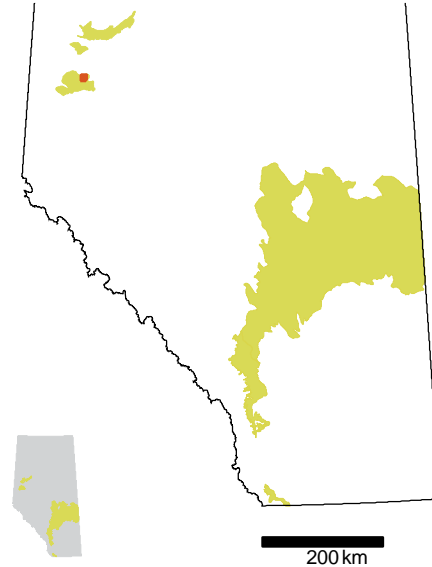
Trumpeter swan

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Grande Prairie No. 1

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Parkland


ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Peace River Parkland	Peace/Slave River

Area:
 1,712.1 hectares
 17.1 km²


Density of Human Features:
 Well 0.18 heads/km²
 Road 0.05 km/km²
 Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



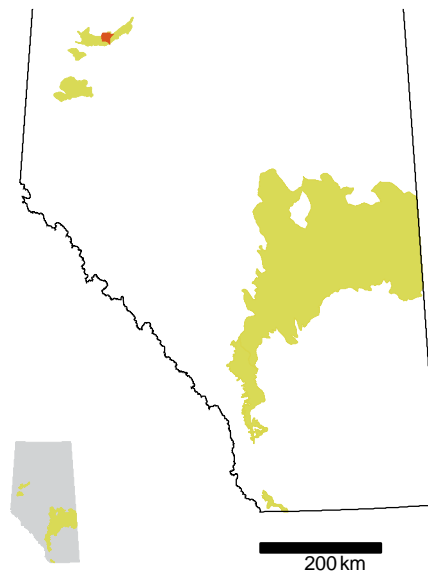
MUNICIPALITIES

County of Grande Prairie No. 1



CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Peace River Parkland

River Basin(s):

Peace/Slave River

Area:

3,204.8 hectares

32.0 km²

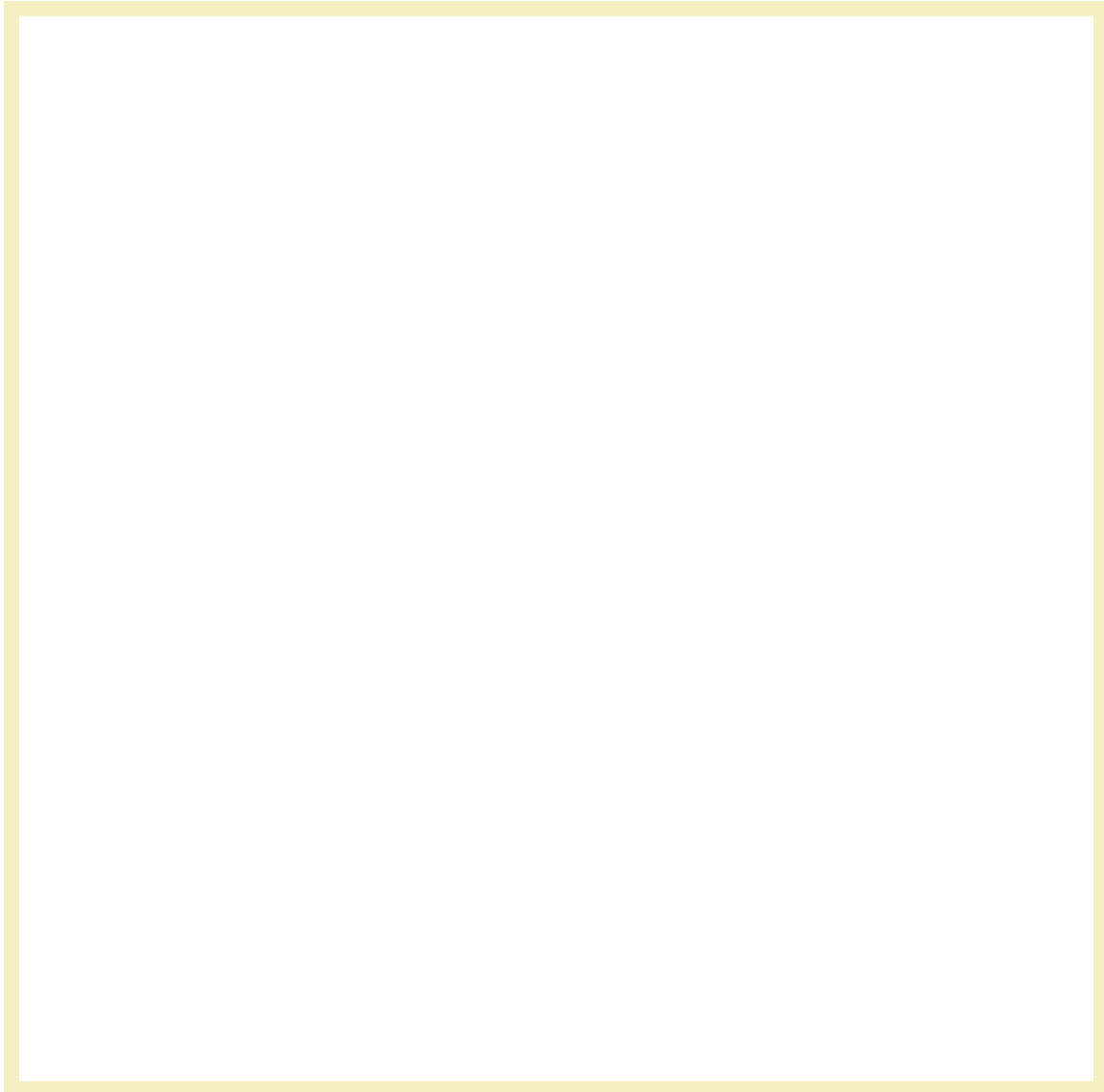
Density of Human Features:

Well 0.31 heads/km²

Road 0.60 km/km²

Pipeline 0.44 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN



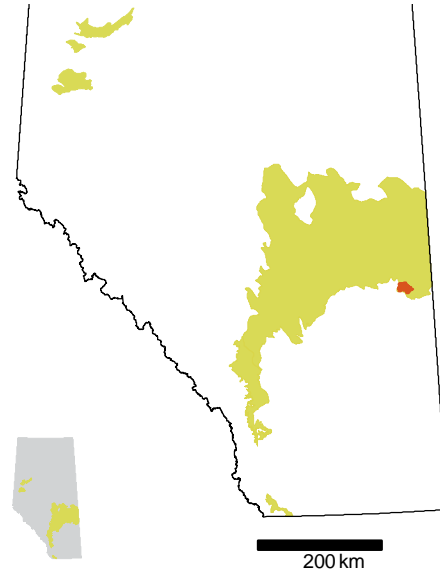
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Peace No. 135

Municipal District of
Fairview No. 136

CRITERION

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Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

15,774.0 hectares

157.7 km²Density of
Human Features:Well 2.50 heads/km²Road 0.69 km/km²Pipeline 0.08 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Few-flowered aster

Vegetation Communities

Nevada bulrush -
(seaside arrow-grass)

Salt grass - western wheat grass

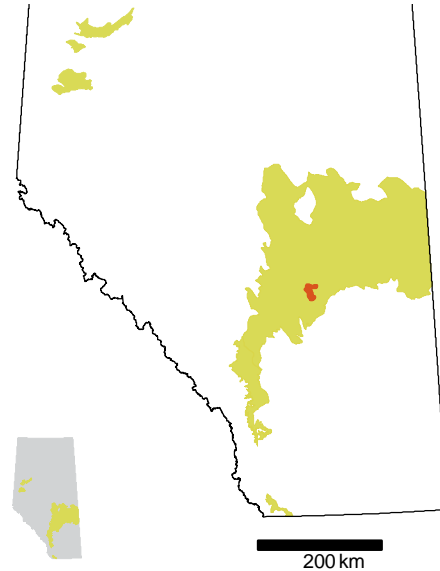
MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Provost No. 52

Special Areas Board (Area No. 4)

CRITERION

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 - Ewing and Erskine Lakes Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River
North Saskatchewan River

Area:

21,255.1 hectares

212.6 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 2.57 heads/km²

Road 1.24 km/km²

Pipeline 0.06 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Insects

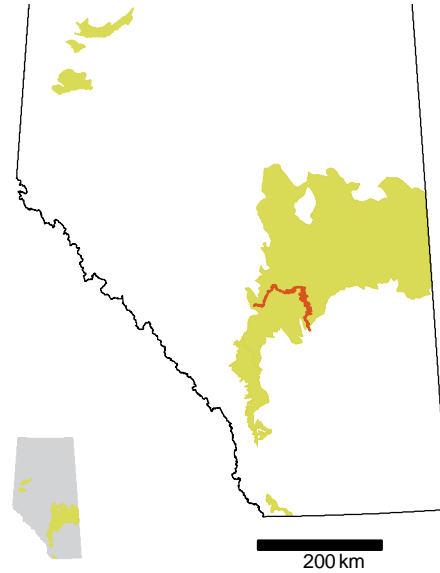
Hobomok skipper

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Stettler No. 6

CRITERION

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 - Dry Island Buffalo Jump Provincial Park
 - Tolman Badlands Heritage Rangeland
 - Natural Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	Red Deer River
Grassland	Northern Fescue	

Area:
55,460.5 hectares
554.6 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 1.59 heads/km ²
Road 1.05 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.07 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Amphibians and Reptiles

Leopard frog

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Peregrine falcon

Western burrowing owl

Fish

River shiner

Insects

Crimson-ringed whiteface

Hobomok skipper

River jewelwing

Liverworts

Mannia fragrans

Mosses

Cuspidate earth moss

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

Crowfoot violet

Marsh muhly

Prairie wedge grass

Umbellate sedge

Waterpod

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue grassland

MUNICIPALITIES

Red Deer County

County of Stettler No. 6

Lacombe County

Starland County

Kneehill County

CRITERION

☒ 1 Contains 2 element(s) of conservation concern

☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms

Edgerton Sand Hills dune ridges,
north battleford ridges

☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species

☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat

☐ 5 Contains riparian areas

☐ a Contains headwater streams

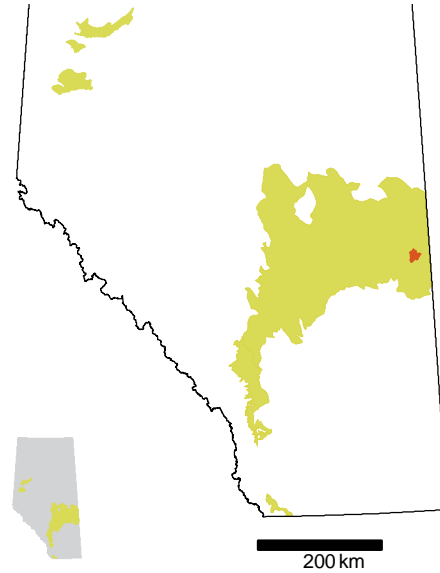
☐ b Contains intact riparian areas

☐ c Contains riparian areas along
the six major rivers

☒ 6 Contains large natural areas

☒ 7 Contains sites of recognized significance

Ribstone Creek Heritage Rangeland Natural Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

18,681.8 hectares

186.8 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 1.92 heads/km²

Road 0.61 km/km²

Pipeline 0.07 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Annual skeletonweed

Vegetation Communities

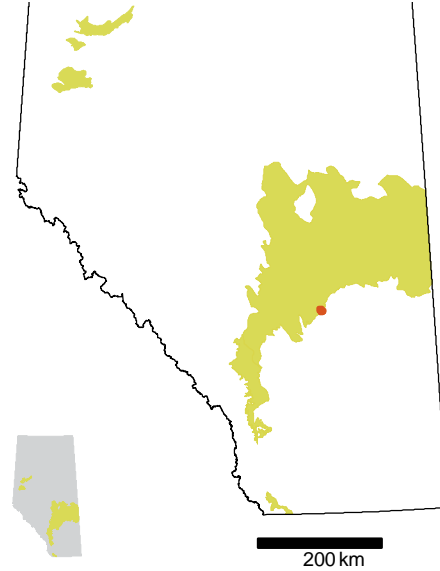
Creeping juniper / (June grass) /
green reindeer lichen

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 1 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
- ☐ 5 Contains riparian areas
 - ☐ a Contains headwater streams
 - ☐ b Contains intact riparian areas
 - ☐ c Contains riparian areas along the six major rivers
- ☒ 6 Contains large natural areas
- ☒ 7 Contains sites of recognized significance
Rumsey Natural Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Northern Fescue

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River

Area:

3,434.9 hectares
34.3 km²

Density of
Human Features:

Well 0.15 heads/km²
Road 0.02 km/km²
Pipeline 0 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Vegetation Communities

Plains rough fescue grassland

MUNICIPALITIES

County of Stettler No. 6

CRITERION

☒ **1 Contains 10 element(s) of conservation concern**

☒ **2 Contains rare or unique landforms**

Reflex Lake salt depositing springs

☒ **3 Contains habitat for focal species**

☒ **4 Contains important wildlife habitat**

☐ **5 Contains riparian areas**

☐ **a** Contains headwater streams

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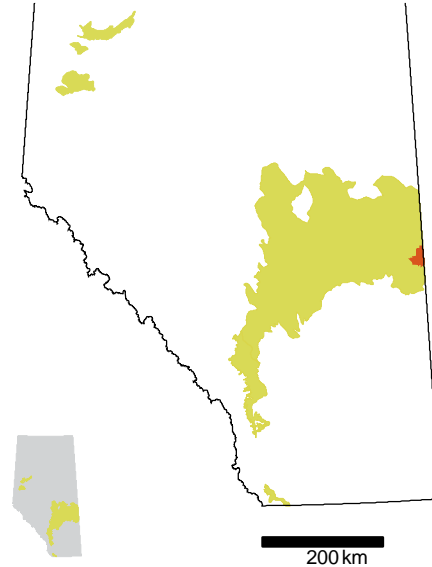
Dillberry Lake Provincial Park

Killarney, Dillberry and Leane Lakes

Important Bird Area

Killarney-Reflex Lakes Heritage Rangeland
Natural Area

Manitou Lake Important Bird Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan
River

Area:

15,755.5 hectares

157.6 km²

**Density of
Human Features:**

Well **2.02** heads/km²

Road **0.83** km/km²

Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Amphibians and Reptiles

Leopard frog

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Piping plover

Western burrowing owl

Vascular Plants

Annual skeletonweed

Few-flowered aster

Marsh gentian

Parry's sedge

Vegetation Communities

Alkali cord grass -
(western wheat grass)

Aspen / creeping juniper /
hay sedge

Nevada bulrush -
(seaside arrow-grass)

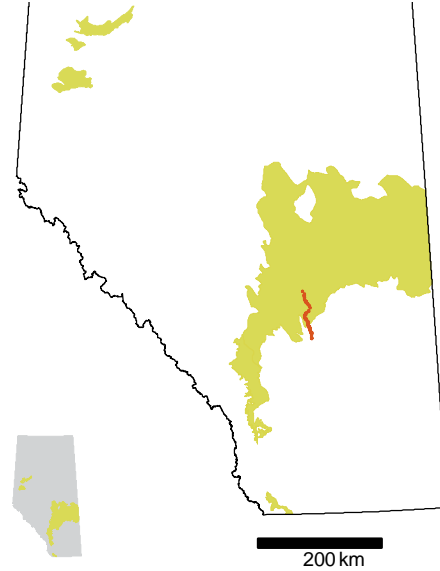
Seaside arrow-grass
emergent marsh

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

- ☒ **1 Contains 7 element(s) of conservation concern**
- ☒ **2 Contains rare or unique landforms**
Drumheller Area badlands
- ☒ **3 Contains habitat for focal species**
- ☐ **4 Contains important wildlife habitat**
- ☒ **5 Contains riparian areas**
 - ☐ **a** Contains headwater streams
 - ☒ **b** Contains intact riparian areas
 - ☒ **c** Contains riparian areas along the six major rivers
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- ☒ **7 Contains sites of recognized significance**
Tolman Badlands Heritage Rangeland
Natural Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland
Grassland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland
Northern Fescue

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River

Area:

5,756.1 hectares

57.6 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.50** heads/km²

Road **0.18** km/km²

Pipeline **0.10** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Peregrine falcon

Western burrowing owl

Fish

River shiner

Liverworts

Mannia fragrans

Mosses

Cuspidate earth moss

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

Waterpod

Watson's knotweed

MUNICIPALITIES

Kneehill County

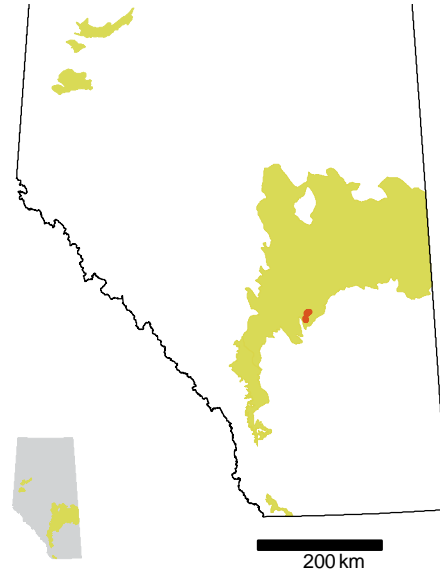
Starland County

County of Stettler No. 6

Red Deer County

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains **10 element(s) of conservation concern**
- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
- ☒ 5 Contains riparian areas
 - ☐ a Contains headwater streams
 - ☒ b Contains intact riparian areas
 - ☒ c Contains riparian areas along the six major rivers
- ☒ 6 Contains large natural areas
- ☒ 7 Contains sites of recognized significance
 - Dry Island Buffalo Jump Provincial Park



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

Red Deer River

Area:

1,588.2 hectares

15.9 km²Density of
Human Features:Well **0.31** heads/km²Road **0.23** km/km²Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Peregrine falcon

Fish

River shiner

Liverworts

Mannia fragrans

Mosses

Cuspidate earth moss

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

Canada brome

Crowfoot violet

Few-flowered aster

Prairie wedge grass

Waterpod

MUNICIPALITIES

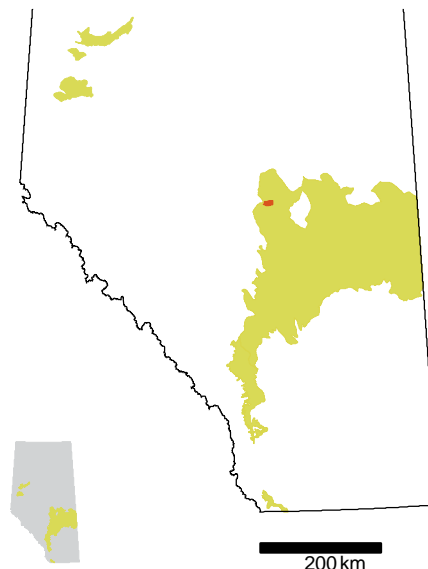
Kneehill County

Starland County

County of Stettler No. 6

CRITERION

- ☐ 1 Contains 0 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☒ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
St. Albert Area deltas, stable channel-mouth bar deltas
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☒ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
- ☐ 5 Contains riparian areas
 - ☐ a Contains headwater streams
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Big Lake Important Bird Area
Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park



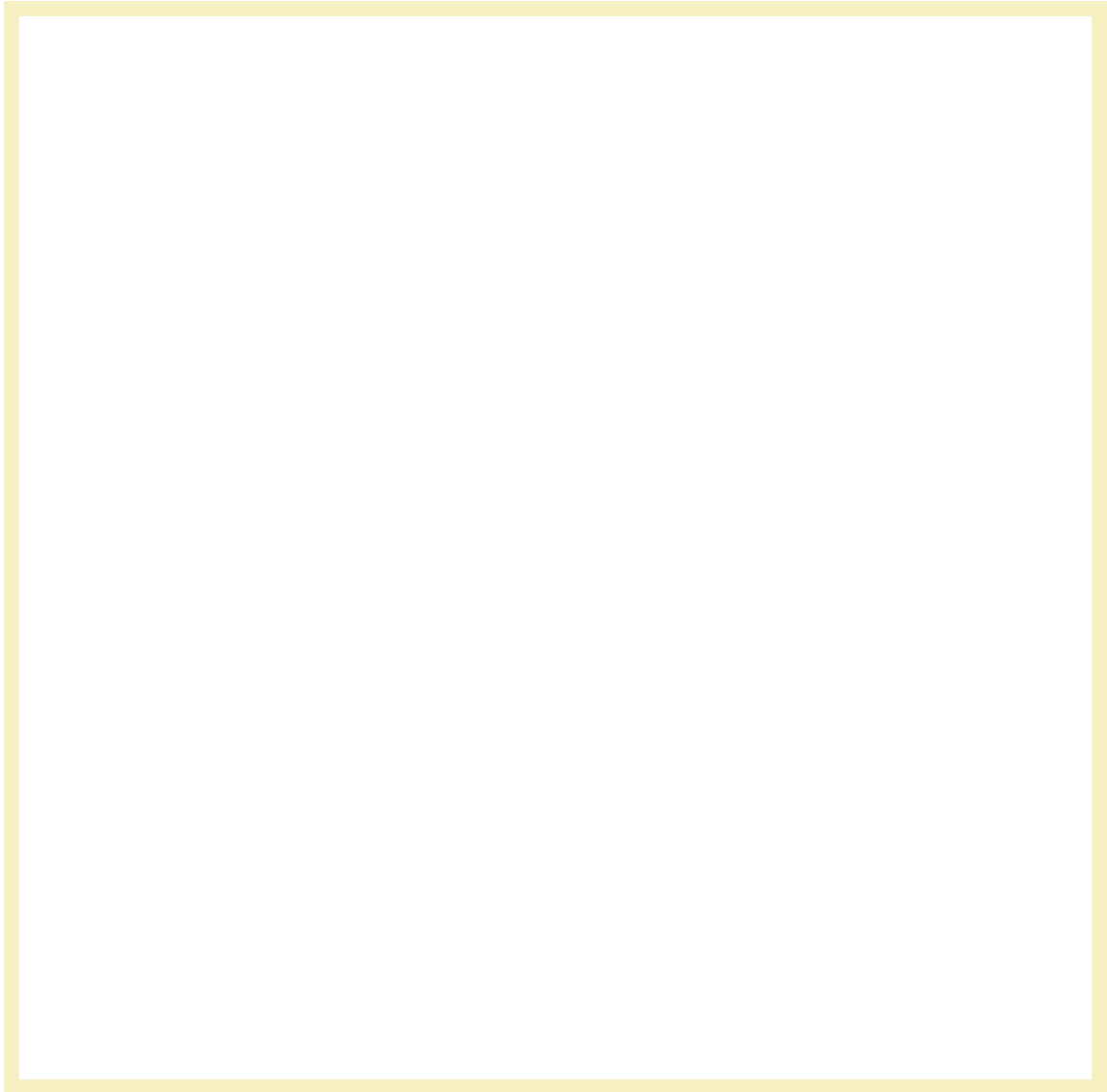
Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

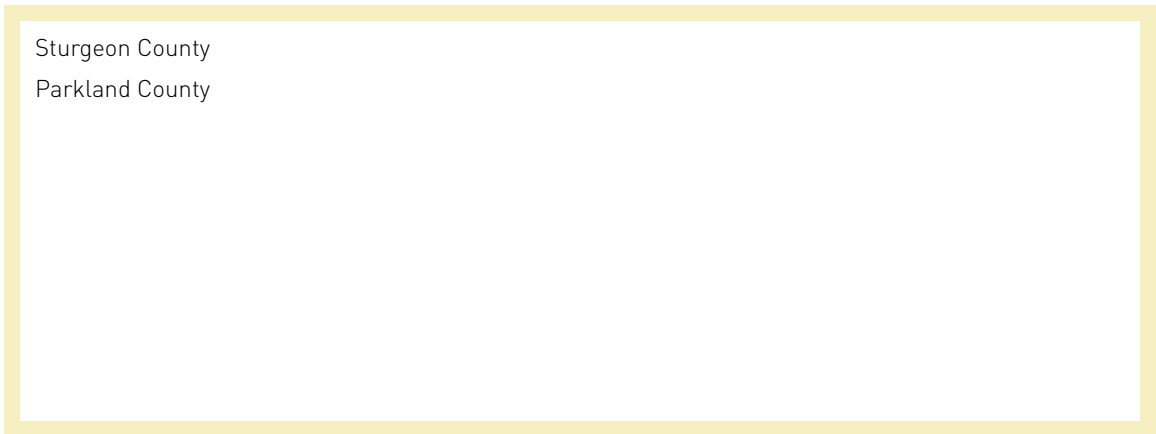
Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Central Parkland	North Saskatchewan River

Area:
4,322.7 hectares
43.2 km ²
Density of Human Features:
Well 2.13 heads/km ²
Road 0.67 km/km ²
Pipeline 0.29 km/km ²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

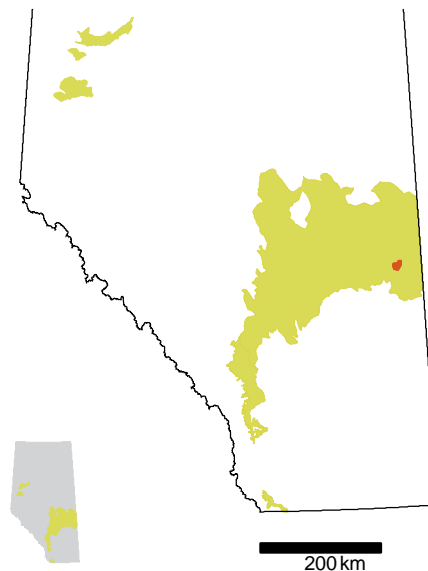


MUNICIPALITIES



CRITERION

- ☒ **1 Contains 15 element(s) of conservation concern**
- ☒ **2 Contains rare or unique landforms**
Wainwright Area dune ridges, north battleford ridges
- ☒ **3 Contains habitat for focal species**
- ☐ **4 Contains important wildlife habitat**
- ☐ **5 Contains riparian areas**
 - ☐ **a** Contains headwater streams
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Wainwright Dunes Ecological Reserve



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

7,753.8 hectares

77.5 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.45** heads/km²

Road **0.38** km/km²

Pipeline **0.08** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Ferruginous hawk

Western burrowing owl

Insects

Hobomok skipper

Mosses

Flagon-fruited splachnum

Vascular Plants

Annual skeletonweed

Crawe's sedge

Few-flowered aster

Kelsey's cat's eye

Leather grape fern

Marsh gentian

Parry's sedge

Sand nut-grass

Slender naiad

Slender-leaved sundew

Widgeon-grass

Vegetation Communities

Creeping juniper / (June grass) /
green reindeer lichen

Plains rough fescue - sand grass

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of Provost No.
52

Municipal District of Wainwright
No. 61

CRITERION

☒ **1** Contains **8** element(s) of conservation concern

☐ **2** Contains rare or unique landforms

☐ **3** Contains habitat for focal species

☒ **4** Contains important wildlife habitat

☐ **5** Contains riparian areas

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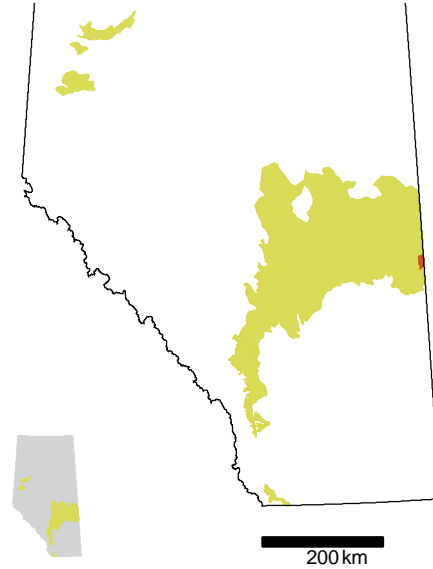
Dillberry Lake Provincial Park

Killarney, Dillberry and Leane Lakes

Important Bird Area

Killarney-Reflex Lakes Heritage Rangeland

Natural Area



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

1,209.9 hectares

12.1 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0.08** heads/km²

Road **1.04** km/km²

Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Piping plover

Vascular Plants

Annual skeletonweed

Few-flowered aster

Spotted Joe-pye weed

Vegetation Communities

Aspen / creeping juniper / hay
sedge

Creeping juniper / (June grass) /
green reindeer lichen

Nevada bulrush - (seaside
arrow-grass)

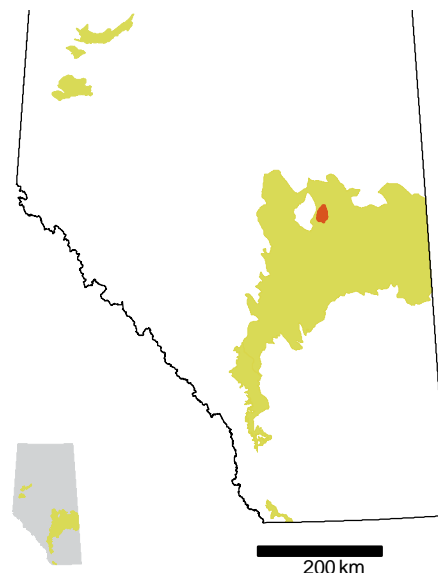
Sand grass - sand dropseed

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Wainwright No. 61

CRITERION

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- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☒ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
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 - Beaverhill Lake Heritage Rangeland Natural Area
 - Beaverhill Lake Important Bird Area
 - Beaverhill Lake RAMSAR Site



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):

Parkland

Natural Subregion(s):

Central Parkland

River Basin(s):

North Saskatchewan River

Area:

26,672.7 hectares
266.7 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well 0.11 heads/km²
Road 0.23 km/km²
Pipeline 0.06 km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

American white pelican
Black-necked stilt
Ferruginous hawk
Piping plover
Western burrowing owl

Insects

Common green darner
Northern pearly-eye

Vascular Plants

Salt-marsh sand spurry

Vegetation Communities

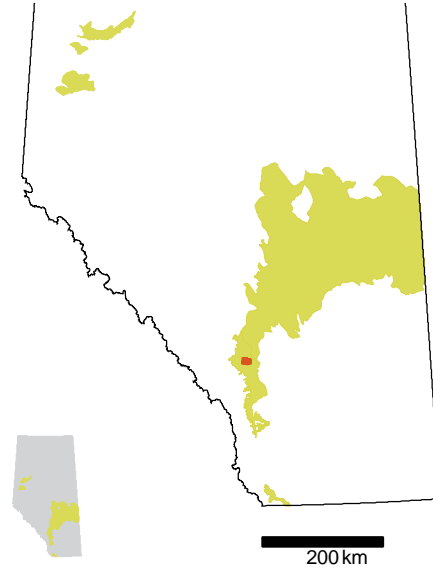
Plains rough fescue grassland

MUNICIPALITIES

Beaver County
Lamont County

CRITERION

- ☒ 1 Contains 11 element(s) of conservation concern
- ☐ 2 Contains rare or unique landforms
- ☐ 3 Contains habitat for focal species
- ☐ 4 Contains important wildlife habitat
- ☒ 5 Contains riparian areas
 - ☐ a Contains headwater streams
 - ☒ b Contains intact riparian areas
 - ☒ c Contains riparian areas along the six major rivers
- ☐ 6 Contains large natural areas
- ☒ 7 Contains sites of recognized significance
 - Glenbow Ranch Provincial Park



Parkland

ESA CHARACTERISTICS

Natural Region(s):	Natural Subregion(s):	River Basin(s):
Parkland	Foothills Parkland	Bow River

Area:

1,335.9 hectares

13.4 km²

Density of Human Features:

Well **0** heads/km²

Road **0.63** km/km²

Pipeline **0** km/km²

ELEMENTS OF CONSERVATION CONCERN

Birds

Sprague's pipit

Insects

Carlota checkerspot

Pacific forktail

Western red damsel

Mosses

Aloe-like rigid screw moss

Hairy-leaved beardless moss

Pterygoneurum subsessile

Vascular Plants

Eaton's aster

Pellaea glabella ssp simplex

Waterpod

Widgeon-grass

MUNICIPALITIES

Municipal District of
Rocky View No. 44