



Re: School Support Declaration

In Alberta, every property is located within the boundary of either a public school district or a separate (Catholic) school district. A separate school district is a publicly funded Catholic school system that operates alongside the public (non-religious) system.

The property you are purchasing is within the boundaries of a separate school district. This means you have the right to direct the education portion of your taxes to either:

- The Public School System
- The Separate (Catholic) School System

Once returned to the Town of Crossfield, the declaration will take effect in the year following submission of the form.

In accordance with the Constitution of Canada, and the Education Act, if the attached School Support Declaration is not returned, the property will be assessable for public school purposes and the taxes on such property will be directed to the Alberta School Foundation Fund and redistributed on an equal per-student amount to the public and separate school boards across Alberta.

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact the Town Office at 403-946-5565. For questions about the school system, please contact:

- Rocky View School Division No. 41 at 403-945-4000
- Calgary Catholic School Division at 403-298-1411

Yours truly,

Lauren Cutress
Financial Operations Coordinator
Town of Crossfield

*Because the Constitution establishes Alberta's public and separate school systems based on religion (either Protestant or Roman Catholic) school boards and tax collecting authorities are allowed and required to ask for the declaration contained in this form.

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