

IDLING VIOLATION

Health Canada's website states that the effects of air pollution are far reaching, but mainly affect our respiratory and cardiovascular systems. If our air is not clean, our lungs, our heart, and our general well-being are at risk. Anyone who exercises outdoors increases their exposure to airborne pollutants. Outcomes for all of us range from subtle impacts to wheezing, coughing, and an aggravation of respiratory and cardiac conditions. This can result in increased medications, doctor and emergency room visits, and even premature death. We encourage you to do your own research.

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Did you Know?

If 12,000 driver(s) of light-duty vehicles avoided idling for 8 minute(s) a day, this would:

Equal to having 13,056 tree(s) planted to absorb GHG emissions
Reduce 2,175,936 kilograms of GHG emissions per year
Equal to taking 1,554 vehicle(s) off the road
Reduce the use of 895,318 litres of fuel per year

Would you like to contribute to the improvement of Sylvan Lake's air quality while helping the Town identify the areas of our community where idling is most prevalent?

Please fill out the information required below, tear, and drop off at either the Sylvan Lake Visitor Information Centre: **4719- 50 Ave** (Open Thurs.- Monday, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm), or Municipal Government Building at **5012- 48 Ave** (Open Mon.- Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm); or deliver via:

(e) breatheasy@sylvanlake.ca
(f) 403-887-3660

(m) 5012- 48 Ave, Sylvan Lake AB, T4S 1G6

DOING SO BEFORE SEPT. 1, 2015 ENTERS YOU TO WIN A TREE TO TAKE HOME & PLANT.

NAME:

PHONE NUMBER:

EMAIL:

LOCATION OF IDLING VIOLATION:

*This information is being collected under section 33(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and will be protected under the provisions of the Act. Should you have any questions about the collection of this information, you may contact the Town of Sylvan Lake FOIPP Coordinator at 403.887.2141 or at 5012- 48 Avenue, Sylvan Lake Alberta T4S 1A1. **Details of Idling Violation will help us identify troublesome areas in our community to focus our Idle-Free efforts on.**

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JOIN SYLVAN LAKE'S IDLE-FREE MOVEMENT
breathe easy



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We noticed your vehicle idling. And while this is not a real fine, some municipalities do enforce idling by means of an anti-idling bylaw.

We kindly ask you to join Sylvan Lake's Idle-Free Movement, and turn off your vehicle's engine when in park.

DID YOU KNOW that vehicle exhaust emits Ozone, Benzene, Carbon Monoxide, fine (airborne) particulate matter, and Nitrogen Oxides?

For more info, and to enter to win a tree to take home and help improve air quality in Sylvan Lake, please review the information on the back of this Idling Violation Notice.

Thank you!

A Town for all Seasons
 *Sylvan Lake*

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