



News Release

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ATCO Gas invests in the Didsbury Centennial Trail Project

DIDSBURY, Alberta — ATCO Gas provided a \$4,000 donation today to help complete Didsbury's trail system.

While presenting the donation to Didsbury Mayor Dorothy Moore, Doug Sharpe, district supervisor for ATCO Gas, said the new trails will be a welcome boost to Didsbury's recreational system, providing residents and visitors additional opportunities to walk, run, bike and enjoy the sights and natural beauty of Mountain View.

As well as helping strengthen the sense of community among area residents pursuing healthier lifestyles, the enhanced trail system will help reduce greenhouse gas emissions by providing alternate access to Didsbury's services and amenities without having to use a motor vehicle.

"We're pleased to support projects that not only enrich the quality of life in our service communities, but also protect and preserve the environment," Sharpe added. "These investments also demonstrate ATCO's commitment to the long term sustainability of rural communities."

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