



Alberta SouthWest Bulletin November 2025

Regional Economic Development Alliance (REDA) Update

❖ ANNOUNCEMENT! Moving from "Data to Deals"!

We are excited to announce a new service for Alberta SouthWest (AlbertaSW) and warmly welcome **Sean Miles** as our new **Director of Investment Development**.

Sean is an accomplished economic development professional and relationship builder with significant regional experience across multiple sectors. He has supported hundreds of companies in strategy and expansion, with particular depth in consulting, economic development, healthcare, and post-secondary institutions.

His background in project implementation oversight includes managing some of the most complex initiatives in the province. These include two new physician funding models designed to attract and retain family physicians, a national labour force attraction initiative, and countless business expansions.



Invest SouthWest – Aligning the Stars

In this new role, Sean will lead our 2025-2027 initiative, "Invest SouthWest...Aligning the Stars", moving our region from "Data to Deals".

We will continue to build upon previous agriculture, tourism, manufacturing, and construction industry projects led by Natalie Gibson, InnoVisions and Associates.

Sean will be working directly with communities and businesses to help identify these emerging opportunities, make connections to resources, and expand the possibilities!

We welcome Sean to the AlbertaSW team as we continue "Helping each other Succeed"!

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❖ Welcome to new councillors and AlbertaSW Board representatives!

We celebrate and appreciate the strong commitment from our communities and partners.

2026 will mark the **25th Anniversary** for our regional economic development alliance (REDA).

* For reference, Alberta SouthWest corporate history, projects, and accomplishments are on the website.

- Home page: www.albertasouthwest.com

Note community and regional data, real estate listings, and Regional Business License information

- Projects page: www.albertasouthwest.com/projects

Near bottom: note document with an overview of corporate history, projects and accomplishments.

❖ Qatalyst Research Group Consultations Phase 2

AlbertaSW is continuing to utilize the consulting services provided by Jobs, Economy, Trade, and Immigration to explore options for sustainability once operational investment from the province ends in March 2027.

Phase 2 will include gathering ideas and input from councils and AlbertaSW partners. **Stay tuned to receive AlbertaSW discussion questions**; will very much appreciate your ideas!



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