



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 26

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Wednesday, May 11, 2016

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Ms Larivee, Minister of Municipal Affairs, made a statement updating the Assembly on the wildfire situation in Fort McMurray and area, providing information on how evacuees can obtain pre-loaded debit cards and on the Government's work with energy industry partners to resume oil sands operations, noting that there is psychological support in place for first responders and that under the supervision of the RCMP, Highway 63 has been opened for industry partners.

Members' Statements

Mr. Stier, Hon. Member for Livingstone-Macleod, made a statement regarding individuals and businesses who assisted wildfire evacuees without being asked to, and the leadership from municipal officials.

Ms Miller, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, made a statement regarding several smaller acts of kindness by Albertans to assist Fort McMurray evacuees.

Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster, made a statement regarding animal control groups and veterinary professionals, including Dr. Starke himself, who are working to ensure that pets left behind by Fort McMurray evacuees are being cared for and will be returned to their owners.

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, made a statement regarding the work of the Edmonton Emergency Relief Services Society, which is assisting Fort McMurray evacuees.

Mr. Sucha, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, made a statement regarding the work of the Canadian Centre for Male Survivors of Child Sexual Abuse.

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Battle River-Wainwright, made a statement thanking first responders and emergency workers for their selfless acts of bravery, and recognizing the challenges they face.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Sucha, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw:

CBC News website article dated March 17, 2016, entitled “McDonald’s plans to add 1,900 jobs in Alberta with revamped service model”

Sessional Paper 125/2016

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 59.01(5)(b) and the Budget 2016 Main Estimates Schedule, the Assembly adjourned at 3:11 p.m. until Thursday, May 12, 2016, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, May 11, 2016