



BLACKFOOT CONFEDERACY COMMUNITY SAFETY NOTICE

June 06, 2026 | Staying Informed. Staying Safe. Looking After One Another.

As we begin National Indigenous History Month, it is unfortunate that we must issue a notice focused on community safety. This month should be a time of celebrating our cultures, histories, languages, and the strength of our Nations. However, recent incidents and rising political tensions across Alberta have raised concerns regarding the safety and well-being of Indigenous peoples and communities.

Recent incidents and public reports involving anti-Indigenous rhetoric and politically motivated harassment have reinforced the importance of community awareness and preparedness. While many Albertans continue to demonstrate respect and support for Indigenous Peoples, members are encouraged to remain vigilant and report concerning behaviour when it occurs.

IF YOU ARE IN IMMEDIATE DANGER Call 911 immediately.

Examples include: Threats to your personal safety, Being followed, intimidated, or harassed in person, Weapons being displayed, Assaults or crimes in progress, Any situation where you fear for your immediate safety.

REPORTING NON-EMERGENCY INCIDENTS:

For harassment, hate-related incidents, suspicious activity, property damage, or threatening communications:

RCMP (Anywhere in Alberta)

• 310-RCMP (7267)

Municipal Police Services: Calgary Police Service – 403-266-1234, Edmonton Police Service – 780-423-4567, Lethbridge Police Service – 403-328-4444, Medicine Hat Police Service – 403-529-8400

DOCUMENTING THREATS AND HARASSMENT: If you experience or witness concerning behaviour Take screenshots of messages, posts, or comments, Save text messages, emails, and voicemails, Record dates, times, locations, and usernames, Keep notes of any witnesses or identifying details, Request and retain any police file numbers

Do not engage with individuals making threats. Preserve evidence and report the incident to police.

ANONYMOUS REPORTING: Crime Stoppers 1-800-222-TIPS (8477); Information can be submitted anonymously if you do not wish to identify yourself.

COMMUNITY REMINDER

The Blackfoot Confederacy has always relied on the strength of our people, families, and communities. We encourage members who are travelling, attending public events, or spending time away from home to remain connected with family and trusted contacts.

By remaining vigilant, documenting incidents, and reporting concerns, we help ensure the safety of our communities and one another.