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NEW ALBERTA MINISTER OF TRANSPORTATION

Alberta Premier Alison Redford announced a new Cabinet October 12, 2011. Hon. Ray Danyluk, (Lac La Biche-St. Paul) was named Minister of Transportation.

WESTAC congratulates Minister Danyluk and looks forward to working with his Government to improve transportation in Western Canada.

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Hon. Ray Danyluk

Ray Danyluk was elected to his third term as a Member of the Legislative Assembly for Lac La Biche-St. Paul on March 3, 2008, and currently serves as Minister of Transportation. He previously served as Minister of Infrastructure and Minister of Municipal Affairs.

In addition to his role as MLA, he has served on the following committees:

- Chair, Youth Secretariat
- Chair, Northern Alberta Development Council
- Chair, Advisory Council on Alberta-Ukraine Relations
- Chair, Alberta Recreation Corridors Co-ordinating Committee
- Chair, Alberta Recreation Corridors Legislative Review Committee
- Member, Cabinet Policy Committee on Managing Growth Pressures
- Member, Standing Committee on Law and Regulations
- Member, Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing
- Member, Standing Policy Committee on Agriculture and Municipal Affairs
- Member, Correctional Services Review Committee
- Member, MLA Review of Family and Criminal Court Worker Programs
- Member, MLA Committee on Strengthening Alberta's Role in Confederation
- Member, Alberta Lottery Review Committee
- Member, Standing Policy Committee on Health and Community Living
- Member, Fort George and Buckingham House Advisory Board

Mr. Danyluk was born in Calgary, Alberta, and studied sciences at the University of Alberta. Before his election to the Alberta Legislature Mr. Danyluk represented and served the community in many municipal and volunteer capacities:

- Reeve and county councillor
- Northeastern Alberta zone president, Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties
- School board chair and trustee
- Director, Public School Boards Association of Alberta
- President and member, Elk Point Rural Electrification Association
- Alberta Cattle Commission (now known as Alberta Beef Producers)
- Elk Point 4-H Multi Club
- Coach of basketball, hockey, baseball
- Provincial board member, Public School Boards Association

Mr. Danyluk's work has been recognized through several different municipal, education and community service awards. Mr. Danyluk has farmed in the Elk Point area with his family for over 30 years.