9,765

**AVAILABLE** COMMUNITY WORKFORCE



### WHITECOURT'S **EDUCATED** WORKFORCE

Whitecourt's young, educated population offers a valuable and highly skilled workforce to the major economic sectors in the region including forestry, oil and gas, construction, retail services and tourism.

WHITECOURT HAD 75 NEW APPRENTICES REGISTER IN THE LAST YEAR. THAT'S A 44% INCREASE FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR.

#### MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY

Population (percentage)

17.8%

17.1% Services and

15.1% **Engineering and** Engineering Technology

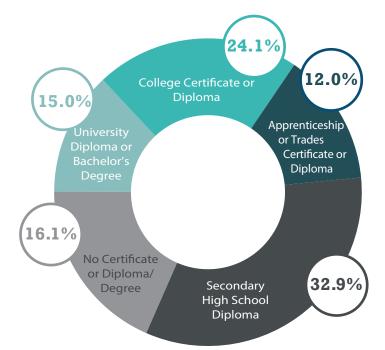
14.0% Healthcare **Professions** 

13.5% Other Trades, Services



#### **EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Population (percentage)



# WHY WHITECOURT?



FORWARD THINKING **FUTURE READY** 

- » Prime Location
- » Transportation Links
- » Diverse Business Support System
- » Low Tax and Utility Rates
- » Serviced Land Readily Available
- » High Quality of Life
- » A Young and Productive Workforce



Fox Creek







Grande Prairie



National Park



Affordable housing and living with favourable

AFFORDA

HOUSIN

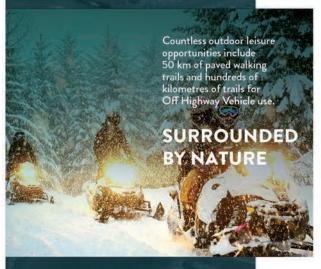
average housing

Fort McMurray









Proximity to the energy transportation infrastructure, connecting local businesses to suppliers and access to key markets linking Canada, United States, and Mexico, makes Whitecourt a great development and succes HIGH LOAD

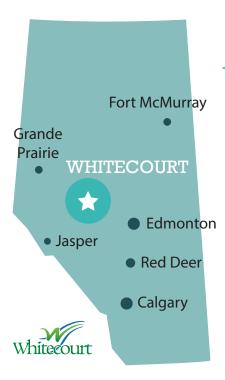
TRANSPORTATION **INFRASTRUCTURE** 



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## PROXIMITY : TO WHITECOURT :

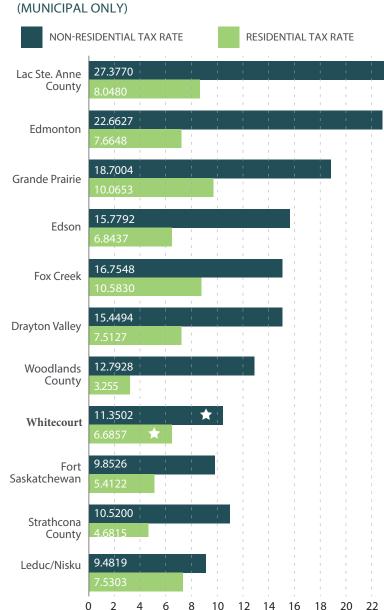
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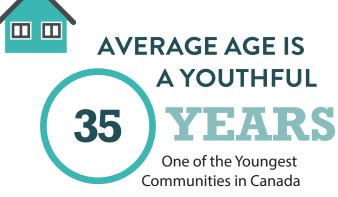
### **2024 TAX RATE** COMPARISONS



### WHITECOURT AT A GLANCE

Whitecourt is a young, proactive and innovative community that values partnerships. Whitecourt is committed to supporting local industry and business, and expanding opportunities for growth and investment.

POPULATION 14,757









VALUE OF
MAJOR PROJECTS
GREATLY INCREASED
YEAR OVER YEAR
2019-2023



2019



2019

**WATER TREATMENT PLANT** 

CAPABLE OF SERVING OVER **DOUBLE** THE

LARGEST COMMERCIAL HUB IN THE

### **DUVERNAY PLAY**



PRIME LOCATION

MARKET ACCESS

TO OVER

1,000,000

**CONSUMERS** 



**CURRENT SIZE OF WHITECOURT** 



728 DEED LOCAL BUSINESSES



PUBLIC TRANSIT CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY

FITNESS/RECREATION

PROGRAMS OFFERED ANNUALLY



INCREASING 2.81% YEAR-OVER-YEAR 21,907

ANNUAL AVERAGE
DAILY TRAFFIC COUNT
THROUGH WHITECOURT



270 ACRES
SERVICED INDUSTRIAL LAND READILY
AVAILABLE

1,112 ACRES
RAW LAND IDENTIFIED FOR
INDUSTRIAL USE



#### PRICE PER ACRE AVERAGE SERVICED INDUSTRIAL LOT

