LET'S START THE LAKE LAND LOOP! REMEMBER YOU CAN ALWAYS JUMP OFF THE LOOP TO CHECK OUT AS MANY OR AS FEW COOL SITES ALONG THE WAY!

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#### Lets go!... east on Wye Road from Sherwood Park

### Places to see...

Explore Half Moon Lake hamlet Turn right (south) on Range Road 220 and follow the lake. Return to Wye Road to get back the on the loop.

Alberta's best sunset can be found at Antler Lake Turn left (northeast) on Range Road 211, watch for the Antler Lake Sign.

Looking for some Alberta History? Look no further than the North Cooking Lake hotel, post office and general store building. You'll see it on your right (south). It's now a private residence but there is a historic plaque out front to check out!

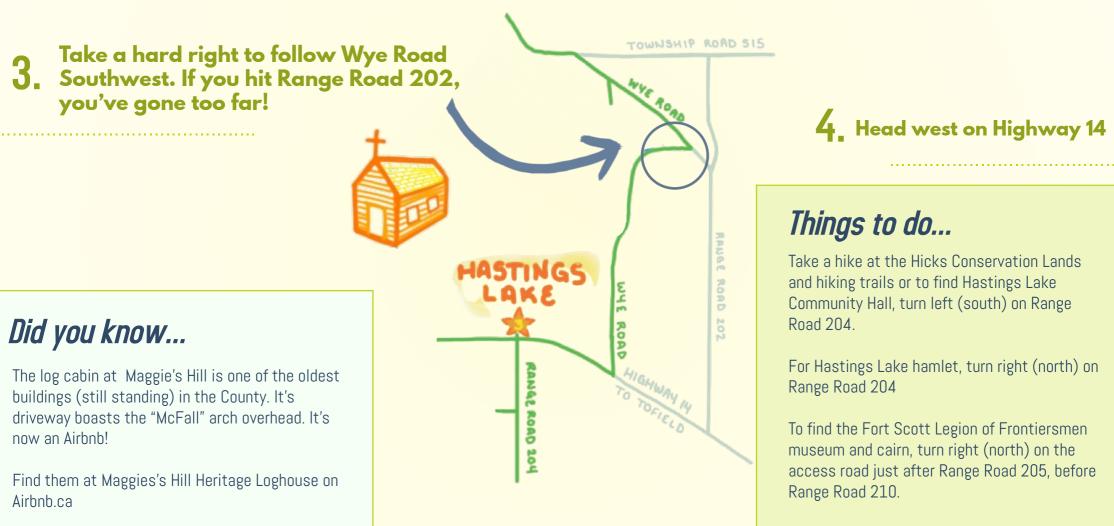
## Things to do...

Hungry? The Country Mercantile Store (just after Range Road 213) is the place to go! Ice cream, snacks or some local produce will hit the spot.

Say hello to nature at the North Cooking Lake Natural Area. You'll find it by turning right (south) on Township Road 522 2. Continue to follow Wye Road as it turns southeast, just after the Wye Road sign. If you've crossed the train tracks you've gone too far!

#### Watch for ....

St. Margaret's Church (south on Range Road 203.) You'll find a great spot for a photo op and a historic plaque out front



The Museum is open Saturdays in May through September from 1-3pm.

5. Continue to follow Highway
14, and turn right (northeast)
on South Cooking Lake Road

### Choose your own adventure!

- Visit the hamlet of South Cooking Lake's famous Nonnie's Grill and Artisan Shop by turning right at the stop sign.
- Turn left (north) on main street then right (east) on 1st avenue for access to the lake and a public park with picnic spots.



#### 6. Turn left (north) on South Cooking Lake Road as it veers northwest

### Take a peek...

Watch for the Strathcona County Fire Station #2 on the right!

Take a peek back in time to the days of resort life at the Lakeview Resort fireplace and public park. Head north on Range Road 220, veer right, and follow to the end of road. Note: it's currently under construction.



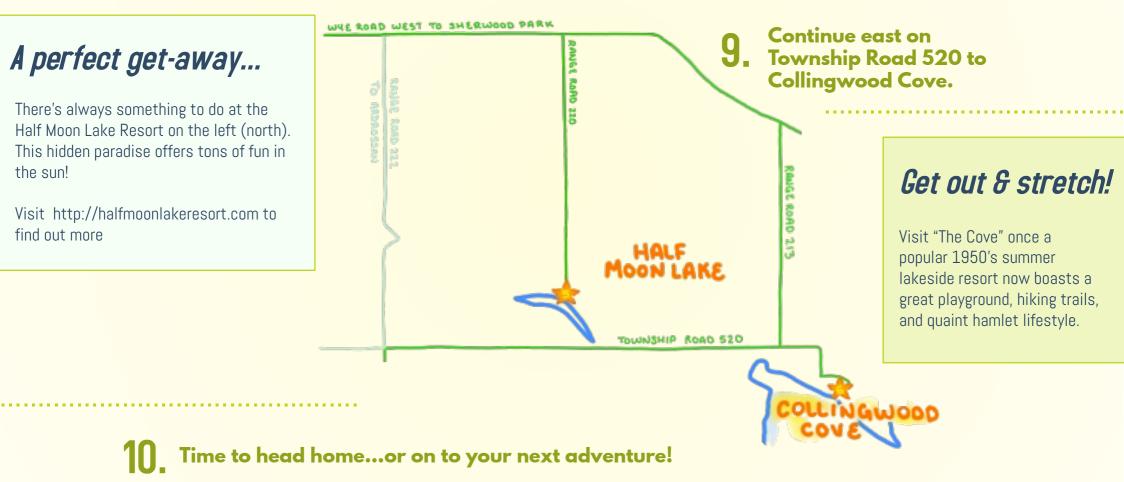
7. Turn right (north) at the stop sign, on Range Road 222/AB 824

### Be sure to look up...

To find the Cooking Lake Airport, turn right (east) on Township Road 514.

Continue to Gate A at the end of the road and travel by foot across their wooden footbridge to view a historic plaque. Stay for a while and enjoy the action on the runway of Canada's oldest operating public airport!

#### 8. Turn right (east) on Township Road 520 (AB 629)



Double back down Township Road 520 to head right (north) on Range Road 213 back to Wye Road. Turn left (west) back to Sherwood Park/Edmonton.

The southeastern corner of Strathcona County is defined by lakes. With no cities, towns, or villages, we are a county of hamlets! Six of our nine hamlets lay on the shores of lakes.

This area has been a gathering place for generations of Indigenous peoples, including Cree and, more recently, Metis communities.

In the early 20th century, this area was known for its popular lakeside resorts. Today, many people call this place home!

The Lake Land Loop will take you around the lakes, to the hamlets on their shores, to natural areas, and to historic sites of interest. All within the Beaver Hills Biosphere!

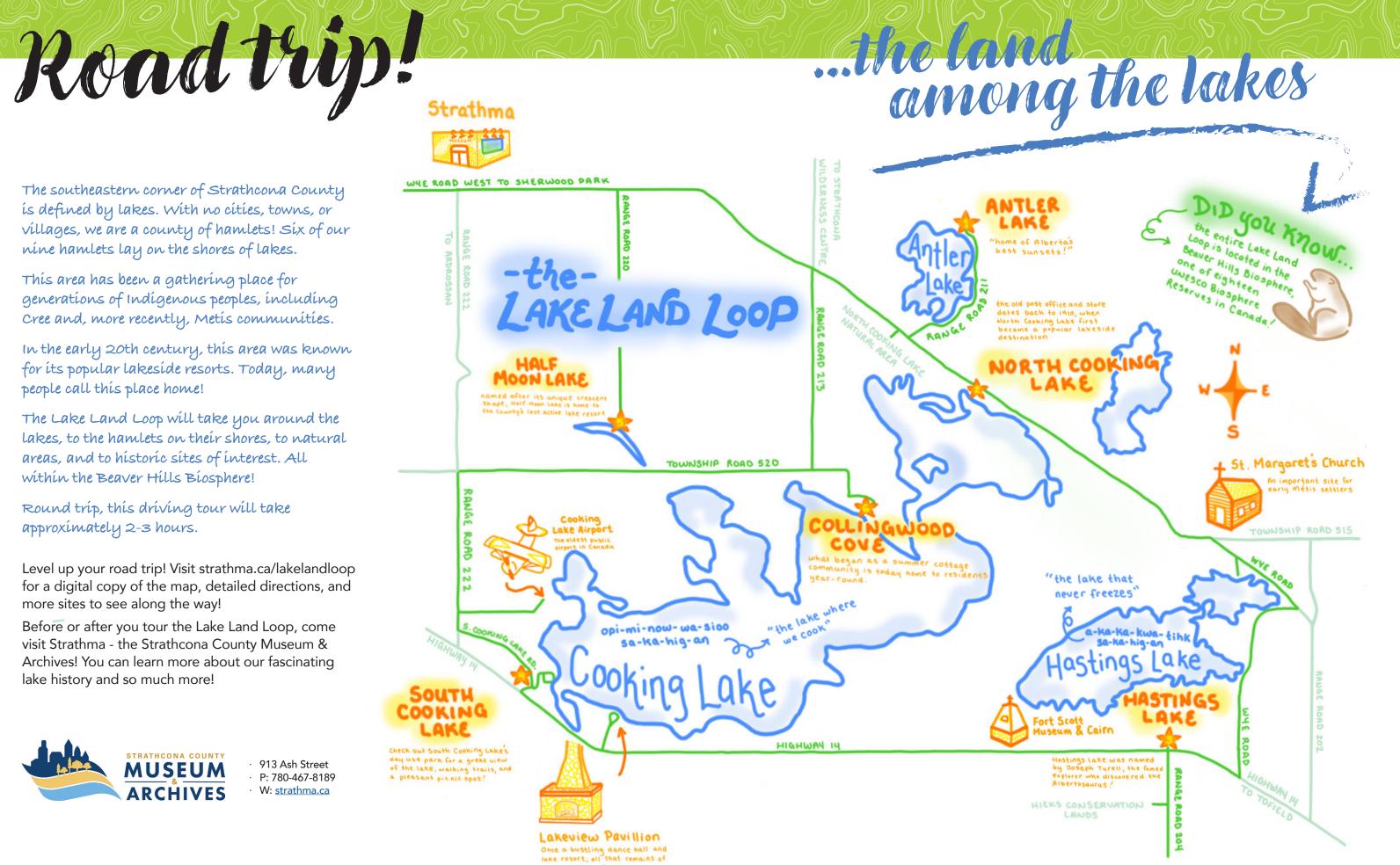
Round trip, this driving tour will take approximately 2-3 hours.

Level up your road trip! Visit strathma.ca/lakelandloop for a digital copy of the map, detailed directions, and more sites to see along the way!

Before or after you tour the Lake Land Loop, come visit Strathma - the Strathcona County Museum & Archives! You can learn more about our fascinating lake history and so much more!



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Lakeview is its fireplace.