2015

Web highlights

www.strathcona.ca





What do people do on the website?

From July 1 to December 31, 2015:

* Excluding staff
People downloaded documents

164 thousand times Mostly transit schedules

followed by swimming and recreation schedules

and the waste calendar









Watched a video 29 thousand times

The most popular video watched through the website was the Traffic Circle Changes, with over 1,600 views.



People also watched on social media

These were our top 3 YouTube videos throughout 2015, including staff views.



Dance off crosswalks 57 thousand views 48% from USA 12% from Canada



Rain barrel tricks 8 thousand views 68% from USA 11% from Canada



Traffic Circle
5 thousand views
1% from USA
98% from Canada

Numbers include views from website, facebook, Twitter and Youtube.



The global website conversion rate was 15%.

This means residents performed a **special activity**, in addition to coming to the website for information.

Topics of interest were:

Top 10 groups of pages	Pageviews (in thousands)
Recreation, parks and culture	519
Transit	238
Careers and Human Resources	222
Permits, planning, development	92
Utilities	81
Taxation and assessment	45
Search results	38
Transportation and agriculture	37
News and events	32
Family and Community Services	30



How do people get to the website?

65% Google
Arrive at the County

Arrive at the County website after searching the web, primarily google.

They land
directly on
the pages containing their
search terms.



Of sessions originating from search land on the homepage.



People searched for:

strathcona-county-transit

strathcona-transit millennium millennium millennium millennium millennium millennium place strathcona strathcona-county-jobs

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heru school-zone 411 strathcona-county sherwood-park millenium-place-sherwood-park strathcona-wilderness-centre

> county-of-strathcona ardrossan

ardrossan-rec-centre



People also followed links from other websites to ours. The **top 5 referring websites** since July 1, showcased:

Playgrounds, events and activities

7.5

todocanada.ca raisingedmonton.com frugaledmontonmama.com thousand sessions Careers

wowjobs.ca ca.indeed.com 4.5

thousand sessions







Social by the NUMBERS

7 thousand Facebook page likes Average of 7.5 Facebook posts per week

5.5 thousand Twitter followers

18 staff crafting messages and/or monitoring across departments



Most engaging posts in social media were:

TRAFFIC CIRCLE

thousand
Facebook users reached

thousand
Facebook post clicks

720 Likes, comments and shares

Twitter clicks (from 2 tweets)

WATER BAN

thousand
Facebook users reached

thousand
Facebook post clicks

525 Likes, comments and shares

Twitter

55 clicks (from 2 tweets)

DANCE OFF

thousand
Facebook users reached

1 . 9 thousand Facebook post clicks

283 Likes, comments and shares

Twitter clicks

All best performing posts featured rich content (images or videos)

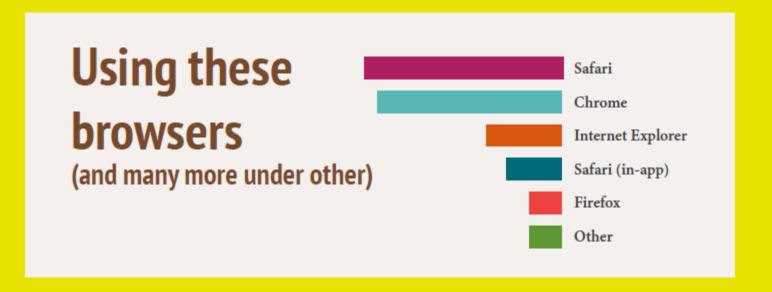
The average reach in Facebook was 1.3 thousand users and the average engagement was 65 likes, comments or shares

Out of the total 389 Facebook posts, 98% were organic (not paid for)



How people outside our network viewed the website:







Special topics and events that brought users to the website in 2015 *Including staff

- Swim registration
- Wildfires
- Potbellied pig court session
- Census
- Fire bans
- Canada Day
- Changes to traffic circle
- New Year's Festival





Website by the NUMBERS

75 active editors across all departments

over 2.8 thousand pages and 7 thousand documents including brochures, forms, maps, bylaws, reports and historical Council reports, agendas and minutes.

Server up time: 99.91%



