

Press Release



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CEMA Releases 2010 Annual Report

Fort McMurray, Alberta – The Cumulative Environmental Management Association (CEMA) releases its 2010 Annual Report, at today's Annual General Meeting. The Annual Report includes a message from the President, updates on working group activities and the revenue and expenditures for the year.

In 2010, CEMA had total expenditures of over \$5.2 million on research into the cumulative effects of industrial development in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo. Over half of the 2010 spending was on reclamation based research projects. The remaining spending was on research pertaining to biodiversity, ecosystems, surface water, air, and Aboriginal engagement.

“CEMA is very proud of our accomplishments over the past year. This Annual Report showcases our achievements in the working groups and provides a snap shot of progression of our overall successes and challenges.” stated Glen Semenchuk, CEMA Executive Director. “CEMA has made great strides over the past years to be more efficient and identify areas of more effective spending. Our financial position for 2010 shows that improvement.”

CEMA is a multi-stakeholder society that is a key advisor to the provincial and federal Governments committed to respectful, inclusive dialogue to make recommendations to manage the cumulative environmental effects of regional development on air, land, water and biodiversity.

For a copy of our Annual Report or more information please visit www.cemaonline.ca .

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