



# News Release

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## **WBHDC announces reopening of Marshall House 70 bed shelter to reopen today**

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*Fort McMurray* – The Wood Buffalo Housing & Development Corporation (WBHDC) announced today that the Marshall House shelter will be reopening to clients today at 5:00 pm.

The restoration of Marshall House following the wildfire had been nearing completion, when a fire unrelated to the wildfires broke out in an adjacent apartment building; causing additional damage and delaying the opening of this essential service for members of the community.

Marshall House is a 70-bed homeless shelter operated by WBHDC. It provides shower facilities, a continental breakfast and a hot dinner.

*Celebrating its 15th Anniversary in 2016, the Wood Buffalo Housing & Development Corporation has helped more than 7,000 individuals, families and seniors of low to modest incomes find affordable housing in Wood Buffalo.*

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