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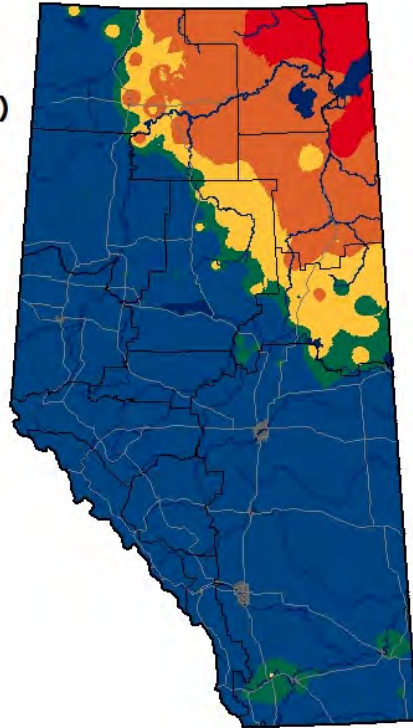
Thursday, July 2, 2026

Alberta

Fire Danger (Fire Weather Index)

for July 1, 2026

- Low
- Moderate
- High
- Very High
- Extreme
- No Data



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Map created on Jul-1 at 15:07

Blue being the accepted colour of water, it certainly had to cover the biggest chunk of the Alberta map on Canada Day. There have been record amounts of rainfall in many places from the northwest corner of province all the way to the southeast corner throughout most of June 2026. Many central and southern Alberta municipalities have had to contend with off-and-on problems with their water and sewer systems being overwhelmed. In cities and towns, localized flooding and wet basements have been too many to count and southern Kananaskis Country tourism got mostly washed out at one point. Weather antics have included some pretty wild lightning storms in many locations and a very rare cluster of upwards of six tornadoes struck the Peace River to High Prairie region in mid-June. The multi-colours of Fire Danger on the Canada Day map have their own story to tell on Fever Page 3.

POLLSTERS SAY CANADIANS ARE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FUTURE OF THEIR COUNTRY

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Popular Bigstone entertainer Lance Cardinal was a hit with the big crowds at Wabasca's Canada Day parade and other activities. The weather was initially sunny until later in the day.

Two counts of criminal negligence causing death, dangerous driving laid against Edmonton resident for highway fatal collision in May

A collision that killed two Slave Lake residents on Highway 2 near Hondo on May 3, has led to an Edmonton resident facing two counts of criminal negligence causing death and two counts of dangerous driving causing death.

With the help of Edmonton Police Service serving the arrest warrant obtained by Slave Lake RCMP, Gonzalo Schulz, age 34, was arrested Tuesday, June 30. He was brought before a justice of peace in Edmonton and released with conditions.

He will appear in Slave Lake's Alberta Court of Justice on July 22.

Slave Lake RCMP said their investigation of the collision was aided by members of the public who came forward with video footage of the crash, and provided witness statements. The collision involved a dark blue Dodge Durango with a B.C. license plate, reported to have passed a transport truck, just prior to colliding with a dark green SUV.

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The FEVER will not be publishing next week.

Next issue will be on 16th July 2026.

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