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Airdrie Growth Remains Strong **2008 Official Census Results**

AIRDRIE, ALBERTA – The 2008 City of Airdrie official census result is 34,116, an 8.26 percent growth rate in population compared to last year's rate of 8.53 percent, population 31,512. The number of dwellings in Airdrie has increased 14.09 percent to 13,375, up from 11,723 in 2007.

“Airdrie continues to see record development in both our commercial and industrial areas,” says Mayor Linda Bruce. “Residential development and population growth also remain strong and as a result, the City of Airdrie continues to focus on growth management.”

This year the Airdrie Census was conducted completely electronically and 54.59 percent of households responded online, which represents 7301 dwellings. The 2008 census period covered from April 15, 2008 to June 30, 2008. Complete census findings will be posted online at www.airdrie.ca this fall.

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