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## 2008 Minister's Guidelines for Linear Property, Machinery and Equipment, Railway, and Farm Land

The 2008 Minister's Guidelines for Linear Property, Machinery and Equipment, Railway, and Farm Land were approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on December 10, 2008. Below are the 2008 assessment year modifiers (AYMs) and cost factors for regulated properties.

Property Type	Assessment Year Modifier	Cost Factor
Wells	1.267	
Pipelines	1.255	
Electric Power Systems	1.325	0.75
Telecommunication Carriers	1.076	0.93
Cable Distribution Undertakings	0.988	1.01
Machinery and Equipment	1.32	0.76
Railway	1.18	
Farm Land		
Dry Arable	1.00	n/a
Dry Pasture	1.00	n/a
Irrigated Arable	1.03	n/a

The 2008 Minister's Guidelines with the AYMs, cost factors, and Ministerial Order are on the Municipal Affairs website. The link is:

http://municipalaffairs.alberta.ca/mc\_property\_assessment\_and\_taxation\_legislation.cfm

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