# **TOWN OF RIMBEY**

# **TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA**

AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY JUNE 26, 2018 AT 5:00 PM IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE TOWN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

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11.	In Ca 11.1	FOIP Section 25(1)(c)(iii) Disclosure harmful to economic and other interests of a public body – Evergreen Walking Trail	

Adjournment

12.

#### TOWN OF RIMBEY

# **TOWN COUNCIL**

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2018 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE TOWN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

# 1. Call to Order

Mayor Pankiw called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm, with the following in attendance:

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

Chief Administrative Officer - Lori Hillis, CPA, CA

Director of Finance – Wanda Stoddart Director of Public Works – Rick Schmidt Recording Secretary – Kathy Blakely

# Absent:

Public:

Treena Mielke, Rimbey Review Peggy Makofka, Executive Director of Rimbey FCSS

Katherine Winters, Past Coordinator of Volunteer Services FCSS Monique Larsen, Coordinator of Volunteer Programs FCSS 2 members of the public

# Adoption of Agenda

# 2.1 June 12, 2018 Agenda

# Motion 185/18

Moved by Councillor Curle to accept the Agenda for the June 12, 2018 Regular Council Meeting, as presented.

In Favor Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel Opposed

CARRIED

# 3. Minutes

# 3.1. Minutes of Regular Council May 22, 2018

# Motion 186/18

Moved by Councillor Payson to accept the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of May 22, 2018, as presented.

In Favor Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel Opposed

CARRIED

# 4. Public Hearings

# 4.1 Public Hearings None

# 5. Delegations

# 5.1 Peggy Makofka - Rimbey FCSS - Triobike

Mayor Pankiw welcomed Peggy Makofka Executive Director of the Rimbey FCSS to the Council Meeting.

Mrs. Makofka indicated to Council FCSS has been considering commencing a program call Cycling without Age. They first saw this program in Canmore, Alberta. It is a program where seniors are able to have free bike rides in a page 2 of 213

trishaw. The Trishaw bike is approximately 7.5 feet long and 3.5 feet wide, 3 feet 7 inches tall. It has seat belts and the occupants would wear helmets. FCSS would like to purchase one of these bikes and recruit, screen and train volunteers to operate the bike. She indicated they would like to partner with the Rimoka Housing Foundation and the new Valley View Lodge. They are looking for places to store the bike, people to maintain it and a training program for the safety of the volunteers and passengers. It is their idea to set up certain times of the day or of the week to offer the rides to seniors. This is not meant to take seniors for groceries or to the doctor. It is just for pleasure. Mrs. Makofka indicated they are in the process of applying for a grant through the New Horizons for Seniors and would appreciate a letter of support to accompany their application. They are requesting letters of support from other organizations in the community as well. They also requested a letter of authorization to allow the trishaw on Town of Rimbey streets, sidewalks and walking trails.

Mayor Pankiw thanked Mrs. Makofka for her presentation regarding the trishaw.

# Motion 187/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to accept the presentation from Peggy Makofka, Executive Director of the Rimbey FCSS regarding the trishaw, as information.

In Favor Opposed
Mayor Pankiw
Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# Motion 188/18

Moved by Councillor Curle for Administration to provide a letter of support to FCSS regarding the trishaw, and also a letter to FCSS to allow the trishaw on all Town of Rimbey streets, sidewalks and walking trails.

In Favor Opposed

Mayor Pankiw
Councillor Coulthard
Councillor Curle
Councillor Payson
Councillor Rondeel

CARRIED

Peggy Makofka, Katherine Winters and Monique Larsen departed the Council Meeting at 5:20 pm.

# 6. Bylaws

# 6.1 Bylaws - None

# 7. New and Unfinished Business

# 7.1 FCM Special Advocacy Fund

# Motion 189/18

Moved by Mayor Pankiw to pay the FCM Voluntary Invoice of \$105.00, in support of the FCM's Special Advocacy Fund.

<u>In Favor</u> <u>Opposed</u>

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

# 7.2 Shared Community Peace Officer Services

# Motion 190/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to accept and execute the Shared Community Peace Officer Services Agreement between the Town of Rimbey, Ponoka County and Summer Village of Parkland Beach.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# 7.3 Cemetery Board

# Motion 191/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to disband the Cemetery Board as no actions can be implemented until ratified by Council at a duly constituted meeting.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# 7.4 Cemetery Work

# Motion 192/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to approve the tree removal of the inside row of trees in Mount Auburn Cemetery this year and the removal and replacement of the outside row of trees in 2019

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Rondeel

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

CARRIED

# Motion 193/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to authorize the replacement of the four pillow blocks in West Haven Cemetery and either one or two new pillow blocks for expansion as the budget allows.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

REGULAR COUNCIL MINUTES

June 12, 2018

# Motion 194/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to authorize the placement of park benches and garbage receptacles on the north side of Mount Auburn Cemetery at the centre gates.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# Motion 195/18

Moved by Mayor Pankiw to table discussion regarding an Ash Garden in West Haven Cemetery for further information.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

CARRIED

1 member of the public departed the Council Meeting at 5:50 pm.

# 7.5 Policies

# Motion 196/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to approve Policy 1119 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), Policy 1120 Violence in the Workplace and Policy 1121 Working Alone, with the wording changes, as presented.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# 7.6 Coffee with Council

# Motion 197/18

Moved by Councillor Curle to suspend Coffee with Council for the summer months, with Friday, June 29, 2018 as the last day of Coffee with Council and to recommence Coffee with Council on Friday, September 14, 2018.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

# 7.7 Scout Hall

# Motion 198/18

Moved by Mayor Pankiw to invite members of the Kinsmen Club of Rimbey to attend a Council Meeting to discuss the Scout Hall.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw
Councillor Coulthard
Councillor Curle
Councillor Payson
Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# 7.8 Sale of Rimbey Aerodrome (Airport)

# 2 sealed tenders were received

1) RV Heaven and Marina Bid of \$125,600.00 Deposit of \$10,000.00

2)Neil Forsyth Bid of \$125,000.00 Deposit of \$10,000.00

# Motion 199/18

Moved by Councillor Rondeel to accept the bid from RV Heaven and Marina LTD, in the amount of \$125,600.00 for the purchase of the Rimbey Aerodrome.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

Treena Mielke of the Rimbey Review departed the Council Meeting at 6:22 pm.

# 8. Reports

# 8.1 Accounts Payable Listing

# Motion 200/18

Moved by Councillor Curle to accept the Accounts Payable Listing as provided by the Chief Financial Officer, as information.

In Favor Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel Opposed

# 8.2 Boards/Committee Reports

- 8.2.1 Rimoka Housing Foundation Board Minutes April 18, 2018
- 8.2.2 Rimoka Housing Foundation Email Motion April 26, 2018
- 8.2.3 Rimoka Housing Foundation Email Motion April 30, 2018
- 8,2.4 Beatty Heritage House Society Minutes May 8, 2018

#### Motion 201/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard to accept the Rimoka Housing Foundation Board Minutes April 18, 2018, Rimoka Housing Foundation Email Motion April 26, 2018, Rimoka Housing Foundation Email Motion April 30, 2018, and the Beatty Heritage House Society Minutes of May 8, 2018, as information.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

CARRIED

# 9. Correspondence Correspondence

- 9.1 Alberta Recreation and Parks Association (2)
- 9.2 Rimbey FCSS Charity Golf Tournament
- 9.3 Alberta Municipal Affairs
- 9.4 Rimbey Lions Club Car Cruise

# Motion 202/18

Moved by Councillor Curle to accept the correspondence from Alberta Recreation and Parks Association, Rimbey FCSS Charity Golf Tournament, Alberta Municipal Affairs and Rimbey Lions Club Car Cruise, as information.

In Favor

Opposed

Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

# 10. Open Forum

# 10.1 Open Forum

One person spoke regarding the upcoming Public Hearing regarding Bylaw 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16.

Mayor Pankiw recessed the Council Meeting at 6:30 pm.

1 member of the public departed the Council Meeting at 6:30 pm.

Mayor Pankiw reconvened the Council Meeting at 6.34 pm.

#### 11. In Camera

# 11.1 FOIP Section 16(1) Third Party Business Interest

# Motion 203/18

Moved by Councillor Coulthard the Council meeting go in camera at 6:34 pm, pursuant to Division 2, Section 16(1) Third Party Business Interest, to discuss a third party business interest with Mayor Pankiw, Councillor Coulthard, Councillor Curle, Councillor Payson, Councillor Rondeel, Chief Administrative Officer Lori Hillis, Director of Public Works Rick Schmidt as Public Works support and Recording Secretary Kathy Blakely as Administrative support.

In Favor

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

CARRIED

Opposed

# Motion 204/18

Moved by Councillor Curle the Council meeting reverts back to an open meeting at 6:52 pm.

In Favor

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

Opposed

# Motion 205/18

Moved by Mayor Pankiw to accept and execute the Treated Effluent Access and Option Agreement from Repsol Oil & Gas Canada Inc. to purchase a minimum of 50,000 cubic meters of effluent waste water from our reservoirs during the period of June 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

In Favor

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

CARRIED

Opposed

Opposed

# 12. Adjournment

# Motion 206/18

Moved by Councillor Curle to adjourn the meeting.

In Favo

Mayor Pankiw

Councillor Coulthard

Councillor Curle

Councillor Payson

Councillor Rondeel

**CARRIED** 

Time of Adjournment: 6:52 pm

MAYOR RICK PANKIW

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER LORI HILLIS



# TOWN OF RIMBEY REQUEST FOR DECISION

Council Agenda Item	4.1
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018
Subject	Public Hearing for 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16
For Public Agenda	Public Information
Background	Bylaw 917/16, the Town of Rimbey Land Use Bylaw was approved by Council on July 25, 2016.
	On May 8, 2018 Council completed a review of proposed Land Use Bylaw Amendments passing the following motion:
	Motion:160/18
	Moved by Councillor Coulthard to approve the review of the Land Use Bylaw as presented and to bring the suggested amendments as an Amendment to the Land Use Bylaw to the Regular Council Meeting scheduled for May 22, 2018.
	<u>In Favor</u> <u>Opposed</u>
	Mayor Pankiw
	Councillor Coulthard
	Councillor Curle
	Councillor Payson
	Councillor Rondeel
	CARRIED
	On May 22, 2018 Council passed first reading of Land Use Bylaw amendment 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16.
Discussion	
	Council gave first reading to Bylaw 944/18 Bylaw Amend Land Use Bylaw 917/16 on May 22, 2018. Council set the Public Hearing date of June 26, 2018 and directed administration to circulate notice of Bylaw 944/18 to relevant agencies. Additionally, Council directed administration to advertise the public hearing in the Rimbey Review for 2 consecutive weeks prior to the Public Hearing.
	Written submission were received from 6 residents, Alberta Transportation, and Alberta Health. No additional written submissions were received from agencies or members of the public.
	The original comments from Alberta Transportation and 6 resident letters are attached. Alberta Health's comments have not been included at this time as their comments will be addressed upon review of the town's Nuisance Bylaw.
	In addition Town Administration received legal review on section 4.3 Decision Process. This section has been modified to reflect these changes.



# TOWN OF RIMBEY REQUEST FOR DECISION

	Items highlighted in yellow have been added.				
	Items which have a strike through will be deleted.				
Relevant	Land Use Bylaw 917/16				
Policy/Legislation	Municipal Government Act				
Attachments	944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16				
	6 Letters from Residents				
	Alberta Transportation Comments				
	Mark-up Land Use Bylaw 917/16				
Recommendation	Administration recommends Council close public hearing for Bylaw 944/18     Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16.				
Prepared By:					
	Elizabeth Armitage, MEDes, MCIP, RPP	June 21, 2018 Date			
	Planning and Development Officer				
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA	June 21/18			
	Chief Administrative Officer				



WHEREAS

Part 6, Section 6.1(2), of the Town of Rimbey Land Use Bylaw 917/16 states that Council may initiate an amendment to the Land Use Bylaw,

NOW THEREFORE

After due compliance with the relevant provisions of the Municipal Government Act RSA 2000, ch. M-26, as amended, the Council of the Town of Rimbey duly assembled enacts as follows:

# **PART I - TITLE**

This Bylaw may be cited as the Amendment to the Land Use Bylaw.

# **PART II - TEXT AMENDMENTS**

#### Section 2.2 shall be amended to add:

- (10) "Air supported and fabric-covered structure" means a building where the outer shell is supported by artificially produced and constantly maintained air pressure above local atmospheric level or the outer shell pliable membrane across rigid trusses. This may also be known as a tent structure, but it is not the same as a tent garage.
- (29) "cannabis" means cannabis plant, fresh cannabis, dried cannabis, cannabis oil and cannabis plant seeds and any other substance defined as cannabis in the Cannabis Act (Canada) and it's regulations, as amended from time to time and includes edible products that contain cannabis.
- (30) "cannabis accessory" means cannabis accessory including but not limited to, rolling paper or wraps, holders, pipes, water pipes, bongs and vaporizers, or any other thing described in the Cannabis Act (Canada) that is used in the consumption or production of cannabis."
- (31) "cannabis lounge" means a development where the primary purpose of the facility is the sale of cannabis to the eligible public, for the consumption within the premises that is authorized by provincial or federal legislation. This use does not include cannabis production and distribution;
- (32) "cannabis production and distribution facility" means a development used principally for one or more of the following activities relating to cannabis:
  - (a) The production, cultivation, and growth of cannabis;
  - (b) The processing of raw materials
  - (c) The making, testing, manufacturing, assembling, or in any way altering the chemical or physical properties of semifinished or finished cannabis goods or products
  - (d) The storage or shipping of materials, goods or products, or;
  - (e) The distribution and sale of materials, goods and products to cannabis retail sales stores or to individual customers
- (33) "cannabis retail sales" means a retail store licensed by the Province of Alberta where:
  - (f) where cannabis is sold for consumption off the premises,
  - (g) where consumption of cannabis must not occur, and
  - that may include the ancillary retail sale or rental of merchandise;
- (36) "Certificate of Compliance" means the endorsement by the Development Officer on a survey document indicating that the building locations on a lot are in compliance with this Bylaw.



- (37) "Child Care Facility" means a development intended to provide care, educational activities and supervision for groups of seven or more children under thirteen (13) years of age during the day or evening, but does not include overnight accommodation, and is intended to be operated for at least twelve (12) consecutive weeks each year. This includes daycares, pre-schools, out-of-school care, and other programs where the primary purpose is the care of children.
- (57) "Essential Public Service" means a fire station, police station or similar service.
- (58) "family care facility" means a development which provides resident care service in a dwelling unit to six (6) or fewer individuals. These individuals may be handicapped, aged, disabled, or in need of adult supervision and are provided service and supervision in accordance with their individual needs. Family care facilities include boarding homes for children and group homes;
- (59) "family day home" means a dwelling unit used for the temporary supervision or care for a maximum of six (6) children 0-12 years old, including the residents' own children. In a family day home a maximum of three (3) children may be under 36 months with a maximum of two (2) children may be under 24 months. These regulations are the same for Before/After School Care or Private Babysitting service.
- (76) "group home" means a building and/or site use for individuals in a residential setting who require supervision because of their age, disability, or need for rehabilitation, and where qualified staff are present at all times;
- (79) "head shop" means a retail outlet which specializes in drug paraphernalia related to consumption of cannabis, other recreational drugs and new age herbs, as well as counterculture art, magazines, music, clothing and home décor. This does not include cannabis retail sales or cannabis production and distribution facility;
- (109) "medical clinic" means a building used for the provision of physical and mental health services on an outpatient basis. Such services may be of a preventative, diagnostic, treatment, therapeutic, rehabilitative or counselling nature. Health services may include dental offices, physical therapy, pharmacy, counselling, doctor's offices, chiropractic offices and medical cannabis clinics;
- (110) "medical cannabis clinic" means any business or enterprise whether or not operated for profit intended to serve as a means of distributing or providing cannabis for medical purposes as defined by provincial or federal legislation;
- (134) "Real Property Report" means a codified standard adopted by the Alberta Land surveyor's Association which contains: (a) the legal description of the property and the municipal address; (b) the dimensions and bearings of all property boundaries as determined by an actual field survey in accordance with the Surveys Act; (c) the designation of adjacent properties, roads, lanes, etc.; (d) the location and description of all pertinent improvements located on the property along with their dimensions and clearances to the property boundaries. The projections of overhangs or eaves are also shown; (e) the location of any easements which may affect the property; (f) the location and dimensions of any visible encroachments onto or off of the property; (g) a list of the registered encumbrances as noted on the title to the property at the date of the survey; (h) a certification by an Alberta Land Surveyor duly signed. (141) "reserve land" means environmental reserve, conservation reserve, municipal reserve, community services reserve, school reserve or municipal and school reserve;



(142) "Residential Care Facility" means a private or publicly funded seniors lodge, nursing home, extended or congregate care facility.

(147) "retaining wall" means a structure constructed to withstand lateral pressure in order to hold back earth, loose rock, or similar materials;

(175) "Variance" means an alteration or change to a standard prescribed by this Bylaw that is authorized by the Development Authority or the Board.

# Section 2.2 shall be amended to delete:

(40) "day care centre, adult" means a building and/or site used to provide care and supervision of four or more adults who are over the age of 15 years, by a person not related to the adult for periods no longer than 24 consecutive hours;

(41) "day care centre, child" means a building used to provide care and supervision of four or more children who are under the age of 15 years, by a person not related to the children for periods no longer than 24 consecutive hours;

(64) "group home" means a building and/or site use for residential purposes for individuals who require supervision because of their age, disability, or need for rehabilitation, and where qualified staff are present at all times;

(126) "retaining wall" means a structure constructed to withstand lateral pressure in order to hold back earth, loose rock, or similar materials;

Section 3.2(1)(a), 3.2(1)(i), 3.2(1)(j), 3.2(1)(k), 3.2(1)(n), 3.2(1)(p) shall be amended to read:

- (5) The following development shall not require a development permit:
  - (a) The carrying out of works of maintenance or repair to any building or internal alteration, provided that such works do not include:
    - (i) structural alterations; or,
    - (ii) major works of renovation that would require a building permit under the Safety Codes Act.
  - (b) The development of Town owned structures or public works, services and utilities. Notice of such structures shall be provided to adjacent landowners for information purposes.
  - Development within a basement which does not change or add to the uses in a dwelling, which do not require a building permit under the Safety Codes Act;
  - (d) All accessory buildings which are less than 13.4 m² in area. and which conform to the setback requirements of the Land Use District.
  - (e) Fire pits provided that they conform to the regulations specified in this Land Use Bylaw;
    - (i) the combustion area is contained and screened,
    - (ii) the outside diameter is no more than 1.0 metres (three feet),
    - (iii)the pit is set back from buildings and fences in accordance with the Alberta Fire Code,
    - (iv)only clean wood is burned, and
    - (v) the location and use does not reduce the quiet enjoyment of neighbouring property.
  - (f) The construction of a deck, provided that the deck is uncovered, and the walking surface is less than 60 cm (2 feet) above grade. and it conforms to the regulations specified in



this Land Use Bylaw.

# Section 4.3 shall be amended to read:

- 4.3 DECISION PROCESS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
- (1) In making a decision, the Development Authority may approve the application unconditionally, approve the application subject to those conditions considered appropriate, approve the application permanently or for a limited period of time as specified in the approval, or refuse the application.
- (2) The Development Authority may require that as a condition of issuing a development permit, the applicant enter into an agreement in accordance with Section 650 of the to construct or pay for the construction of roads, pedestrian walkways or parking areas which serve the development or which connect the walkway with another walkway system that serves or is proposed to serve an adjacent development, to install or pay for the installation of public utilities other than telecommunications systems or works, to pay an off-site levy, and/or to give security to ensure that the terms of the agreement noted herein are carried out.
- (3) In the case where a proposed specific use of land or a building is not provided for in any District in the Bylaw, the Development Authority may determine that such use is similar in character and purpose to the definition of a permitted or discretionary use prescribed for a particular District.
- (4) The Development Authority may approve an application for a development permit for new development or an application for a development permit that authorizes a non—conforming building to be enlarged, added to, structurally altered is to be a rebuilding, an enlargement, an addition, or a structural alteration of a non-conforming building, if, even though the proposed development does not comply with the regulations of this Bylaw, if, in the opinion of the Development Authority:
  - (a) the proposed development would not: (i) unduly interfere with the amenities of the neighbourhood, or (ii) materially interfere with or affect the use, enjoyment or value of neighbouring parcels of land, and
  - (b) the proposed development conforms to the use prescribed for that land or building in this Bylaw.
- (5) Upon receipt of an application, the Development Authority must review the application for completeness within 20 days of the application being received. The Development Authority shall provide the applicant either:
  - (a) A complete certificate, if in the opinion of the Development Authority, the application contains the information necessary to review the application;
  - (b) An incomplete certificate if in the opinion of the Development Authority, the application is incomplete. An incomplete certificate shall specify:
    - (i) the additional information that the Development Authority will require in order for the application to be considered complete;
    - (ii) the deadline for submission of the additional information



or at such other later date as agreed between the applicant and the Development Authority; and

- (iii)any other information identified as being necessary by the Development Authority
- (c) Applications that have been issue an incomplete certificate, will be
  - (i) Issued a complete certificate shall be issued once the Development Authority receives the necessary information.
  - (ii) deemed refused if an applicant fails to submit all the outstanding items indicated as being outstanding in the incomplete certificate by the deadline set in the incomplete certificate, If an application is deemed refused the Development Authority shall issue a Development Permit refusal. The refusal must give reasons for the refusal.
- (d) Despite the issuance of a complete certificate or incomplete certificate, the Development Authority may request additional information from the applicant if, in the course of reviewing the application, the Development Authority determines that additional information is necessary to review the application.
- An application for a development permit shall, at the option of the applicant, be deemed to be refused when if a decision thereon on the application is not made by the Development Authority within forty (40) days after receipt of the complete application by the Development Authority. The person claiming to be affected by the deemed refusal may appeal in writing as provided for in Part 4 of this Bylaw as though he has received a refusal at the end of the forty (40) day period. The Development Authority and the applicant, may in a written agreement extend the 40 day period in which the Development Authority is to make a decision on the application.
- (7) A Development Authority may suspend or revoke a development permit in writing to the applicant at any time:
  - (a) Where the permit was issued on the basis of incorrect information, fraud, non-disclosure, or misrepresentation on the part of the applicant; or
  - (b) Where the permit was issued in error.
- (8) Temporary Developments where a development permit application in a land use district is for a temporary development, If an application is made for a development that is identified as a temporary development in a land use bylaw, the Development Authority:
  - (a) May consider and decide upon approve a development for a specific period of time, not exceeding one year;
  - (b) Shall impose a condition on such a permit that the Town is not liable for any costs involved in the cessation or removal of the development at the expiration of the time period stated in the permit; and
  - (c) May require the applicant to post acceptable security guaranteeing the cessation or removal of the development.

    The amount of the security shall be to the greater of 25% of the value of the structure or \$1,000.



#### Section 4.4 shall be added:

# 4.4 DECISION PROCESS – SUBDIVISION AUTHORITY

- (1) Upon receipt of an application for subdivision, the Subdivision Authority must review the application for completeness twenty (20) days of the application being received. The Subdivision Authority shall provide the applicant either:
  - (a) A complete certificate, if in the opinion of the Subdivision Authority, the application contains the information necessary to review the application;
  - (b) An incomplete certificate if in the opinion of the Subdivision Authority, the application is incomplete. An incomplete certificate shall specify:
    - the additional information that the Subdivision Authority will require in order for the application to be considered complete;
    - (ii) the deadline for submission of the additional information or such other later date as agreed between the applicant and the Subdivision Authority; and
    - (iii) any other information identified as being necessary by the Subdivision Authority
  - Applications that have been issue a an incomplete certificate, will be
    - (i) Issued a complete certificate once the Subdivision Authority receives the necessary information.
    - (ii) deemed refused if an applicant fails to submit all the outstanding items indicated as being outstanding in the incomplete certificate by the deadline set in the incomplete certificate. If an application is deemed refused the Subdivision Authority shall issue a notice to the applicant that the subdivision application has been refused refusal. The refusal must give reasons for the refusal.
  - (d) Despite the issuance of a complete certificate or incomplete certificate, the Subdivision Authority may request additional information from the applicant if, in the course of reviewing the application, that the Subdivision Authority determines that additional information is necessary to review the application.
- An application for a subdivision shall, at the option of the applicant, be deemed to be refused when if a decision thereon on the application is not made by the Development Authority within forty (40) days after receipt of the complete application by the Development Authority. The person claiming to be affected by the deemed refusal may appeal in writing as provided for in Part 4 of this Bylaw as though he has received a refusal at the end of the forty (40) day period. The Development Authority and the applicant, may in a written agreement extend the 40 day period in which the Development Authority is to make a decision on the application.

# Section 4.5(4) shall be amended to read:

(4) When a permit other than a permit described in Section 4.5(3) hereof has been issued, the Development Authority shall advertise in accordance with the Advertisement Bylaw. the Development



# Authority shall immediately:

- Post a notice of the decision conspicuously on the property for which the application has been made; and/or
- (b) Mail a notice in writing to all adjacent land owners who, in the sole opinion of the Development Authority, may be affected; and/or
- (c) Publish a notice of the decision in a newspaper circulating in the Town, stating the location of the property for which the application has been made and the use approved.

# Section 5.1(3) shall be amended to read:

- (3) An appeal shall be made by serving a written notice of appeal and submitted the applicable fee to the Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board within fourteen (14) twenty-one (21) days after:
  - (a) The date the order, decision or permit issued by the Development Authority was publicized in accordance with this Bylaw; or
  - (b) The forty (40) day period referred to in Section 3.3(5) of this Bylaw has expired.

#### Section 7.1(6) and 7.1(7) shall be amended to read:

(6) In addition to the process and penalties described above, the Development Authority, Peace Officer, Bylaw Officer or any other person identified as a designated officer Peace Officer by the CAOCouncil for the purposes of this Section, shall be authorized to inspect any development to confirm compliance, and if not in compliance to issue violation tickets in respect to any contravention of this Bylaw.

# (7) Violation Tickets:

(a) The Development Authority, Peace Officer, Bylaw Officer or any other person identified by the CAO for the purposes of this section, may direct a Peace Officer for the purposes of this Section, to issue a violation ticket to any person alleged to have breached any provision of this Bylaw.

# Section 8.1(2), 8.1(9), 8.1(10), 8.1(11) shall be amended to read:

- (2) All accessory buildings shall be located at least 2.0 m from any principal building, unless under 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and on a non-permanent foundation
- (3) An accessory building shall not be used as a dwelling unit. and shall not contain sanitation facilities.
- (4) An accessory building that contains sanitation facilities shall contain a sump and be designed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (10) Accessory buildings under 13.4 m² in size and decks which are uncovered, and the walking surface is less than 60cm (2 feet) above grade do not have to meet the setback requirements for the District in which is it located. All other accessory buildings are required to meet the setback requirements for the District in which it is located.
- (11) An accessory building, over 13.4m², is required to meet the setback requirements for the District in which it is located.

# Section 8.1(11) shall be deleted:



(11) Any building or use which is accessory to a lawful use in any land use designation is deemed to be permitted in all land use districts in Part 12.

# Section 8.2 shall be added:

- (1) All air supported and fabric-covered structures over 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and will be erected for more than (3) three days require a development permit.
- (2) Air supported and Fabric-Covered Structures used for recreational purposes will be permitted as a discretionary main building.
- (3) All other Air Supported and Fabric-Covered Structures will be permitted as a discretionary accessory building.

# Section 8.17(15) shall be added:

(15) Development Permits are required for all retaining walls over 60 cm (2 feet).

# Section 8.19(1)(h) shall be amended to read:

- (1) No person shall keep or permit in any part of a yard in any residential district:
  - (h) Contravene the Town of Rimbey Nuisance Community Standards Bylaw.

# Section 9.2 shall be added:

# 9.2 CANNABIS PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION FACILITY

- (1) Cannabis facilities must have a licence issued by the Health Canada.
- (2) The following regulations apply to cannabis facilities:
  - (a) An ancillary building or structure used for security purposes may be located on the parcel containing the use as an accessory building which meets the regulations of this Land Use Bylaw.
  - (b) Facilities must include equipment designed and intended to remove odours from the air where it is discharged from the facility as part of a ventilation system.
  - (c) Facilities must not be within 100 metres of a residential district measured from the building containing the use to the nearest property line of a parcel designated as a residential district.
- (3) An application for a Development Permit for Cannabis Production and Distribution Facility requires a Development Permit shall be made to the Development Authority and shall include reports prepared by the appropriate professionals for the following:
  - the incineration of waste products and air borne emission, including smell;
  - (b) the quantity and characteristics of liquid and waste material discharged by the facility; and
  - (c) the method and location of collection and disposal of liquid and waste material.
  - (d) Additional information as required by the Development Authority.
- (4) The operator of a Cannabis Production and Distribution Facility



must ensure that nuisances, including odour, are addressed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.

# Section 9.3 shall be added:

# 9.3 CANNABIS RETAIL SALES

- Cannabis stores and where all cannabis that is offered for sale or sold must be from a federally approved and licensed facility.
- (2) Cannabis stores must be licensed by the Alberta Government.
- (3) Cannabis stores must be a stand-alone use, which means it cannot be combined with another use, such as a convenience store. However, cannabis stores can occur in a multi-tenant building or as part of a mixed-use development.
- (4) The operator of a Cannabis Retail Sales must ensure that nuisances, including odour, are addressed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (5) Cannabis stores shall not be located within 100 metres of any other Cannabis Store, when measured from the closest point of a parcel of land containing a Cannabis Store to the closest point of another parcel of land containing a Cannabis Store with the following exceptions:
  - (a) A proposed cannabis store is at the same location as an existing retail store that currently sells cannabis-related paraphernalia as its main merchandise,
  - (b) There is only one other cannabis store within the minimum separation distance,
  - (c) A proposed cannabis store is located on a different street or on the opposite side of the same street as the existing cannabis store,
  - (d) A major road, expressway or river separates the proposed cannabis store from the existing cannabis store,
  - (e) A proposed cannabis store is located in an enclosed shopping centre, or
  - (f) An existing approved cannabis store proposes to relocate to a new location within 100 metres of its original location, provided that it does not move within the separation distance of a different cannabis store.
- (6) Cannabis stores shall not abut a Liquor Store.
- (7) Cannabis stores shall not be located within 100 metres of the following:
  - (a) A building containing a public school, private school, or a boundary of the parcel of land which the facility is located, or
  - (b) All properties which are designated as School Reserve or municipal and school reserve on the certificate of title.
  - (c) A provincial health care facility, or a boundary of the parcel of land on which the facility is located, or
  - (d) Emergency shelter.

# Section 9.6(3)(c) shall be added:

(c) Cannabis Retail Sales, Cannabis Production and Distribution



# Section 9.8(1)(a) and 9.8(1)(b) shall be amended to read:

- (a) Third party certification from an accredited inspection agency including the Canadian Standard Association (CSA), Intertek or Quality Auditing Institute (QAI).
- (b) Alberta Municipal Affairs Label.

Table 10.2.1 shall be amended to read:

Minimum Number of Parking Spaces				
·				
2 per dwelling unit				
1 per dwelling unit, or as required				
by the Development Authority				
1 per bedroom				
1 per dwelling unit				
1 per bedroom				
2 per dwelling unit				
In addition to 2 per dwelling unit, 1				
visitor parking space per 4				
manufactured home units				
1 per 100 m <sup>2</sup> (1,076 ft <sup>2</sup> ) of gross				
floor area for the first 2,000 m <sup>2</sup> ,				
and then 1 per each subsequent				
500 m <sup>2</sup>				
1 per 5 seating spaces				
I per 3 seating spaces				
1 per 13 m² (140 ft²) of gross				
leasable area plus 1 per 3				
employees on maximum shift				
2 per drive thru window				
2 per drive thru window				
2 per unive ema window				
1.5 per rentable unit				
1 per bedroom				
1 in addition to the requirements				
for the				
residential use				
1 per 28 m² (301.4 ft²) of gross				
leasable area				
1 per 46 m² (495 ft²) of gross				
leasable area				
1 per 5 seating spaces				
2 per classroom				
3 per classroom				
1 per student				
2 per bed				
0.75 per bed				



# Section 10.2(2) shall be added:

(2) At the discretion of the Development Authority, minimum parking requirements may be relaxed for existing buildings where historical site design is not being altered, and cannot accommodate the required number of parking stalls.

# Section 11.2(1)(f) and 11.2(1)(g) shall be added:

- (f) Dynamic Sign means a sign or portion of a sign with features that move or appear to move or change, whether the apparent movement or change is in the display, the sign structure itself, or any other component of the sign. A Dynamic Sign includes any display that incorporates a technology or other method allowing the image on the sign face to change, such as rotating panels, LED lights manipulated through digital input, or "digital ink". A Dynamic Sign does not include a sign whose message or image is changed by physically removing and replacing the sign or its components.
- (g) "Electronic Message Centre" means a sign or component of a sign on which the copy can be changed by electrical or electronic means.

# Section 11.3(1) and 11.3(2) shall be amended to read:

- (1) Sign Development Permit Required:
- (2) Sign Permit Not Required: Unless otherwise specified in this Bylaw no sign development permit is required for the following signs:
  - (a) Signs posted or displayed within the interior space of a building
  - (b) Signs posts or displayed in or on an operating motor vehicle if the vehicle is not temporarily or permanently parked solely for the purpose of displaying the sign
  - (c) A statutory or official notice of a function of the Town
  - (d) Signs posted by a municipal, provincial, or federal government agency
  - (e) Traffic and directional signs authorized by the Town and/or Alberta Provincial Authorities
  - (f) The erection of campaign signs for federal, provincial, municipal, or school board elections on private properties for no more than thirty (30) days, or such other time as regulated under provincial or federal legislation provided that
    - (i) Such signs are removed within ten (10) days of the election date
    - (ii) The consent of the property owner or occupant is obtained
    - (iii) Such signs do not obstruct or impair vision or traffic
    - (iv)Such signs are not attached to utility poles
    - (v) Such signs indicate the name and address of the sponsor and the person responsible for removal
  - (g) A non-illuminated sign that is posted or exhibited solely for the identification of the address or name of the land or building on which it is displayed including signs identifying the occupants, if the sign:
    - (i) Does not exceed 1.0 m2 in area, and



- (ii) Is posted only at each entrance from which access from a public roadway To the building is provided
- (iii) Does not advertise for a home-based business or bed and breakfast establishment
- (h) A non-illuminated sign that is posted or exhibited for sale, lease or rentals of land or a building if the sign:
  - (i) Is 3.0 m<sup>2</sup> of less in area
  - (ii) Is posted only on each side of the building or land facing a different public roadway
- (i) Window Sign
- (j) An A-Frame sign:
  - Provided it is advertising for goods or services which are located for sale or offered on the same lot or on a sidewalk adjacent to the same lot
  - (ii) Does not obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic
- (k) A non-illuminated sign of a building contractor relating to construction work in progress on the land on which such signs are erected, provided that:
  - (i) Such signs are removed within fourteen (14) days of occupancy, and
  - (ii) Such sign are limited in size to a maximum of 3.0 m², and in number to one sign for each boundary of the property under construction which fronts onto a public street.
- (I) A non-illuminated temporary sign advertising a garage sale, estate sale or open house. Such signs may be posted for a maximum period of 48 hours, and may not exceed 1.0 m<sup>2</sup> in area of 1.0 m in height.

Section 11.4 shall be amended to read:

11.4 SIGNS DEVELOPMENT PERMIT SUBMISSION



Table 11.6.1 shall be amended to read:

Type	L	Land Use Designation and											
of		Development Standards											
Sign	PS				R1, R1A, R2, R3, RE, CR, MHP, MHS		C	C1			C2, M		
				М									
	#	H.	SA	#	Н	SA	#	Н	SA	#	Н	SA	
Freestandin g Sign	1	4.0 m	3,0 m <sup>2</sup>	1	1,5 m	1,5 m²	1	10 m	10 m²	1	10 m	12 m²	
Wall Sign	1	N/ A	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	1	N/ A	1.0 m²	1 ^	N/ A	20 m <sup>2</sup>	1 ^	N/ A	24 m <sup>2</sup>	
A-Frame Sign	1	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>	Not	Permitte	ed	1 .	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>	1 *	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>	
Temporary Sign	1	4.0 m	3.0 m²	Not Permitted		1	6.0 m	9,0 m²	1	6.0 m	9.0 m²		
Canopy Sign	1 *	2.5 m* *	1,5 m²	Not Permitted			1	2.5 m* *	1.5 m²	1	2.5 m* *	1,5 m²	
Dynamic Sign	1	2,5 m	1.5 m²	Not Permitted			1	2;5 m	1,5 m <sup>2</sup>	1	2,5 m	1,5 m²	
Rotating Sign	No	t permi	tted	Not	Not Permitted		1	10 m	10 m²	1	12 m	15 m²	
Projecting Sign	No	ot permitted N		Not	Not Permitted		1	2,5 m* *	1.5 m²	1	2.5 m* *	1.5 m²	
Roof Sign	Not Permitted			Not Permitted		1	7,5 m	10 m²	1	10 m	15 m²		
Billboard Sign	No	t Permi	tted	Not Permitted			1	10 m	10 m²	1	9.5 m	12 m²	
Portable Sign	No	t Permi	tted	Not Permitted			1	2,5 m	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	1	2,5 m	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	

- # = Refers to the maximum Number of Signs permitted per lot
- H = Refers to the maximum Sign Height permitted SA = Refers to the maximum Sign Area permitted
- ^ = Refers to the maximum number of permitted signs per each side of a building facade
- \* = Refers to the maximum number of permitted signs per business on a lot
- \*\* = Refers to the minimum vertical clearance from grade or, if applicable, a sidewalk to the bottom of the sign

# Section 11.6(2)(c) shall be added:

# (c) Dynamic Signs

- (i) No Dynamic Sign may be erected except as permitted in this Section;
- (ii) The Development Authority shall only approve a Dynamic Sign as a portion of a permitted Community, Canopy, Free Standing or Fascia Sign.
- (iii) A Dynamic Sign may display public service announcements, but shall not include third party advertising or sponsor recognition except when it is located on a site in a Public Service (PS) district.
- (iv) Dynamic Signs shall only be permitted in Commercial, Industrial and Public Service Districts, and must meet the following requirements:
  - (1) not be located within 30.0 m radius of a residential district, and when site or lot of a proposed dynamic sign location is adjacent to a residential district, notification will be sent within a 100.0 m radius of the proposed site,
  - (2) be limited to one sign per building or site, with the exception of Public Service sites over 17 ha will



- be limited to two (2) signs provided that one of the signs must be a fascia sign and the other must be a portion of a freestanding sign, and further provided that the two (2) signs must be at least 50.0 m apart,
- (3) not be located on a lot within a 50.0 m radius of the boundary of a lot containing an existing dynamic sign,
- (4) comprise of not more than 25% of the total freestanding or fascia sign area.
- (v) A development permit for a dynamic sign shall be valid for a maximum of two (2) years, at which time a new permit must be applied for. The conversion of an existing sign to a dynamic sign shall require a development permit.
- (vi)A dynamic sign may not allow the display or message to change more frequently than once every eight (8) seconds, with a transition period of one (1) second or less.
- (vii) The sign panel does not contain or display flashing, intermittent, or moving lights, including animated or scrolling text.
- (viii) A sign panel provided as a public service showing the time and temperature shall not be considered a flashing or moving sign.
- (ix)The sign content remains fixed/static for a minimum message display duration, where: Min. Display Duration (sec) = Sight distance to sign (m)/ Speed limit (m/sec).
  - In lower speed areas, the formula above should be used with a minimum sight distance to sign of 350 m.
  - (2) In areas with speed limit ≥80 km/h, the minimum message display duration is 60 seconds, unless the sight distance to the sign is less than 1 kilometre
- (x) When a message is changed electronically, it must be accomplished within an interval of 0.1 seconds or less so that an approaching driver cannot perceive any blanking of the display screen.
- (xi)There shall be no visual effects between successive displays.
- (xii) The sign panel must contain a default design that will freeze the sign panel message in one position if a malfunction occurs.
- (xiii) The sign panel shall be equipped with a control system that automatically adjusts light emission level to ambient light conditions so as not to cause glare or excessive brightness.
- (xiv) In no case shall the light level of any sign panel exceed 300 nits (candelas per square metre) between the time of sunset and sunrise, nor 5,000 nits at other times.
- (xv) The sign must not diminish the conspicuity of nearby traffic control devices.
- (xvi) In cases where the sign is adjacent to an Alberta Transportation right-of-way, Alberta Transportation shall have the ongoing discretion to require the brightness, frequency, colours or other qualities of the sign panel be adjusted in order to address safety concerns.
- (xvii) All dynamic sign applications fronting onto Alberta



Transportation roadways shall be circulated to Alberta Transportation for comment.

# Section 11.7(6) shall be amended to read:

- (6) Notwithstanding Subsection (5), no person shall exhibit or place an illuminated sign, rotating sign or dynamic sign that permits or provides for:
  - (a) A current interrupting or flashing device, unless there is a continuous source of concealed illumination on the translucent portions of the sign;
  - (b) A flashing beacon of a type that is the same or similar to those used by emergency vehicles;
  - (c) A flashing device, animator or revolving beacon within 50.0 m of the intersection of two or more public roadways;
  - (d) A device described in 11.7(5) that would be directly visible from any residential building within a distance of 50.0 m of the sign.

# Section 11.7(7)(a) shall be amended to read:

(a) Billboard signs, and electronic signs, dynamic signs and rotating signs which are visible from Highway 20, Highway 20A and Highway 53, but located outside of the Highway Right-Of-Way, may-shall be circulated to Alberta Transportation for comment.at the discretion of the Development Authority.

#### Section 11.12 shall be added:

- (7) Offensive Signage
  - (a) No sign shall be erected which promotes intolerance, hatred or ridicule of any race, religion or other segment of society.

#### Table 12.4.1 shall be amended to read:

Pe	rmitted Uses	Discretionary Uses			
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>			
	and under	Buildings			
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup>	<ul> <li>Bed and breakfast</li> </ul>			
	and over	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>			
•	Accessory Uses	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>			
•	Housing, modular	Day care centre, adult			
•	Housing, secondary suite	<ul> <li>Day care centre, child</li> </ul>			
•	Housing, single-detached	Group home			
•	Home based business	<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>			
•	Park	<ul> <li>Religious institution</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Utility installations</li> </ul>			
		Solar Collectors			



Table 12.5.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses		
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m²</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>		
and under	Buildings		
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Bed and breakfast</li> </ul>		
and over	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Housing, duplex</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Day care centre, adult</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Day care centre, child</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Housing, single-detached</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Group home</li> </ul>		
Housing, secondary suite	<ul> <li>Housing, manufactured</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Home based business</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>		
• Park	<ul> <li>Religious institution</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Utility installations</li> </ul>		
	Solar Collectors		

Table 12.6.1 shall be amended to read:

Pe	rmitted Uses	Discretionary Uses			
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m² and under First Accessory Building 13.4 m² and over Accessory Uses Housing, duplex Housing, triplex Housing, fourplex Housing, row housing Housing, secondary suite Public parks and recreation areas	Di	Additional Accessory Buildings Bed and breakfast Child care facility Family care facility Day care centre, adult Day care centre, child Group home Home businesses Housing, high rise apartment Housing, low rise apartment Religious institution Utility installations		
		•	Solar Collectors		

Table 12.7.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses		
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>		
and under	Buildings		
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Group homes</li> </ul>		
and over	<ul> <li>Home businesses</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Utility installations</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Housing, manufactured home</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Solar Collectors</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>			
• Park			

# Section 12.7(3)(c) shall be amended to read:

- (c) A development permit and move-in permit are required anytime a new manufactured home unit is moved onto a Manufactured Home Park site. Move-in permits shall require: the Manufactured home unit serial number, model number and Canadian Standard Association Certification.
  - (i) Third party certification from an accredited inspection agency including the Canadian Standard Association (CSA), Intertek or Quality Auditing Institute (QAI).
  - (ii) Alberta Municipal Affairs Label.
  - (iii) Model number.
  - (iv) Manufactured home unit serial number.



# Table 12.8.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses			
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>			
and under	Buildings			
<ul> <li>First Accessory Buildings 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>			
and over	Group homes			
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	Home businesses			
<ul> <li>Housing, manufactured home</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Utility installations</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Uses accessory to the above</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Public parks and recreation areas</li> </ul>	Solar Collectors			

# Table 12.9.1 shall be amended to read:

# Table 12.10.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses			
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m²</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>			
and under	Buildings			
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	Bed and breakfast			
and over	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Day care centre, adult</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Accessory buildings</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Day care centre, child</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Housing, secondary suite</li> </ul>	Group home			
<ul> <li>Housing, single-detached</li> </ul>	Home businesses			
• Park	Religious institution			
	<ul> <li>Utility installations</li> </ul>			
	Solar Collectors			



# Table 12.11.1 shall be amended to read:



# Table 12.12.1 shall be amended to read:



Table 12.13.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses		Discretionary Uses	
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup>	•	Additional Accessory
	and under		Buildings
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup>	•	Abattoir
	and over		Air supported structure and
•	Agricultural sales and/or service		fabric-covered structure
•	Animal kennel	•	Amusement arcade
•	Animal shelter	•	Adult entertainment
•	Auction mart	•	Auction mart
•	Automotive sales and/or rental	•	Bulk fuel and/or fertilizer
•	Automotive service and/or paint		sales and storage
	shop	·	Cannabis facility
•	Automotive supply store	•	Dynamic Sign
•	Bakery	•	Gambling and gaming hall
•	Car/Truck wash	•	Liquor store
•	Club	•	Meat processing plant
•	Convenience store	•	Recycling depot
•	Contracting services	•	Restaurant
•	Dry cleaning/Laundromat	•	Restaurant, drive-thru
	services	•	Salvage yard
•	Gas bar	•	Solar Collectors
•	Greenhouse	•	Wrecking yard
•	Manufacturing, processing,		
	packaging or assembly of goods		
	or materials		
•	Mini storage		
•	Public Administration		
•	Repair shop		
•	Sign, excluding dynamic signs		
•	Trucking establishment		
•	Warehouse		
•	Veterinary clinic		

Table 12.14.1 shall be amended to read:

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses	
<ul> <li>First Accessory Buildings 13.4</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory</li> </ul>	
m² and under	Buildings	
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m <sup>2</sup> and over	<ul> <li>Campground</li> </ul>	
Cemetery	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>	
Community centre	Day care centre, adult	
Hospital Hospital	<ul> <li>Day care centre, child</li> </ul>	
Landfill Lan	Golf course	
Library	<ul> <li>Medical clinic</li> </ul>	
Museum	Retail	
Park	Restaurant	
Public administration	• Sign	
Recreational facility	<ul> <li>Solar Collectors</li> </ul>	
Residential care facility		
School		
Tourism information centre		
Utility installations		



# Table 12.15.1 shall be amended to read:

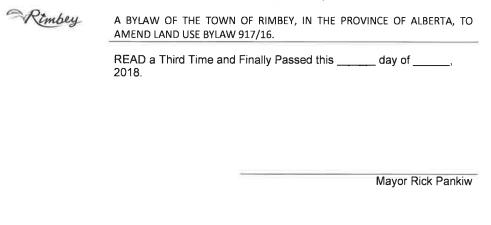
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# BYLAW NO. 944/18

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Town of Rimbey 4938 – 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue PO Box 350 Rimbey, AB TOC 2J0

Sent via email to: generalinfo@rimbey.com

Attention: Elizabeth Armitage

RE: PROPOSED 911/18 AMENDMENT TO LAND USE BYLAW 197/16

With reference to the above, I would advise that we have reviewed the proposed land use bylaw amendment and offer the below comments:

- Section 11.2(1)(f) Dynamic Sign Definition:
  - Alberta Transportation strongly encourages both rural and urban municipalities not to permit electronic message signs adjacent to provincial highway right-of-way, especially those that function as graphic and/or video display signs.
  - Should the Town consider allowing dynamic signs as a permitted discretionary use, we suggest the following:
    - When a sign is proposed adjacent to a provincial highway, Alberta Transportation is circulated for comments.
    - Alberta Transportation may require a minimum sign setback based on future plans for the highway in question for highway corridor protection and minimize the risk of future sign relocation.
    - Signs should be completely located on private property and no part of the sign may encroach the highway right-of-way.
    - Signs should not be permitted in any location where it may interfere with provincial highway safety or traffic visibility (including signs and other traffic control devices)
    - Signs should not be located at locations near a driver decision point or traffic conflict point.
    - Alberta Transportation may require signs approved by the Town to be adjusted, revised or relocated to mitigate the impact of a sign. The cost to mitigate the impact of a sign approved by the Town is the responsibility of the sign owner/landowner.
    - These guidelines may also apply to other sign types, like free standing signs and bill board signs.
- Table 11.6.1:
  - Rotating Sign Alberta Transportation does not permit any sign that displays an
    intermittent, flashing or rotating light or lights, any sign that has moving or rotating parts
    within its development control zone. We would have no objections with the Town
    approving this sign type if it is not visible from the highway, otherwise we ask that this
    sign type be referred to Alberta Transportation for comment if it is adjacent to the
    highway.



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Section 11.6(2)(c)(vii) Brightness:

- If electronic message signs are considered as a permitted discretionary use, it is encouraged that the conditions outlined in the Department's Electronic Message Signs Recommended Practice be considered:
  - The sign panel does not contain or display flashing, intermittent, or moving lights, including animated or scrolling text.
  - A sign panel provided as a public service showing the time and temperature shall not be considered a flashing or moving sign.
  - The sign content remains fixed/static for a minimum message display duration, where: Min. Display Duration (sec) = Sight distance to sign (m)/ Speed limit (m/sec).
    - In lower speed areas, the formula above should be used with a minimum sight distance to sign of 350 m.
    - In areas with speed limit ≥80 km/h, the minimum message display duration is 60 seconds, unless the sight distance to the sign is less than 1 kilometre
  - When a message is changed electronically, it must be accomplished within an interval of 0.1 seconds or less so that an approaching driver cannot perceive any blanking of the display screen.
  - There shall be no visual effects between successive displays.
  - The sign panel must contain a default design that will freeze the sign panel message in one position if a malfunction occurs.
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  - In no case shall the light level of any sign panel exceed 300 nits (candelas per square metre) between the time of sunset and sunrise, nor 5,000 nits at other times.
  - Must not diminish the conspicuity of nearby traffic control devices.
  - Alberta Transportation's Highway Operations Manager shall have the ongoing discretion to require the brightness, frequency, colours or other qualities of the sign panel be adjusted in order to address safety concerns.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 403-340-5166. Thank you for the referral and opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Sandy Choi

Development & Planning

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# RECOMMENDED PRACTICES

PART	HIGHWAY SIGNS
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#### General

The question of whether or not electronic message signs, especially the graphic display and video advertising types, contribute to unsafe driving and increase the potential for collisions is underresearched. However, there is evidence that complicated visual fields can distract drivers and that existing legislation and guidelines inadequately address electronic message sign applications.

Available research suggests that:

- Sign placement and length of time the sign takes the driver's attention off the roadway are influential factors. A study commissioned by the City of Toronto, on the safety and effects of video advertising placed at downtown intersections, found that video advertising can distract drivers, lead to collisions, and have an overall impact on traffic safety (Smiley, Persaud, Bahar, Mollett, Lyon, Smahel, et al., 2005).
- Impact on traffic safety varies according to particular video display signs and environments. Video display signs on curves, that were also close to the line of sight and visible for an extensive periods of time, were found to be particularly distracting (Smiley, Smahel & Eizenman, 2004).
- Drivers are more distracted by streetlevel advertising than raised signs (Crundall, Van Loon & Underwood, 2006).

The number of sign permit applications being received by the department for electronic message signs has drastically in recent years increased with progression of electronic technology. Guidelines are required to ensure departmental consistency in the treatment of these sign permit applications across the province.

The majority of electronic message signs can be grouped into one of the following three categories:

- Electronic changeable copy signs;
- · Electronic graphic display signs; and
- Video display signs.

#### Electronic Changeable Copy Signs



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An electronic changeable copy sign is defined as a sign or portion thereof that displays electronic, non-pictorial, text information in which each alphanumeric character, graphic or symbol is defined by a small number of matrix elements using different combinations of light-emitting diodes (LEDs), fibre optics, lightbulbs or other illumination devices within the display area.









An electronic graphic display sign is defined as a sign or portion thereof that displays electronic, static images, static graphics or static pictures, with or without information, defined by a small number of matrix elements using different combinations of light-emitting diodes (LEDs), fibre optics, light bulbs or other illumination devices within the display area where the message sequence accomplished change is immediately or by means of fade. repixalization or dissolve modes.

#### Video Display Signs



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Video display signs are defined as those signs or portions thereof which change their message or background in a manner or method of display characterized by motion or pictorial imagery, which may or may not include text and depicts action or a special effect to imitate movement, the presentation of pictorials or graphics displayed in a progression of frames which give the illusion of motion, including but not limited to the illusion of moving objects, moving patterns or bands of light, or expanding or contracting shapes. not including changeable copy signs.

#### Standard

## <u>Highways Development and Protection</u> <u>Regulation</u>

Pursuant to Section 15 of the Highways Development and Protection Regulation AR 326/2009, Alberta Transportation does not permit signs exhibiting any of the following characteristics:

- Any sign that displays an intermittent flashing, rotating or moving light;
- Any sign which is flood-lighted in such a manner as to cause a visual distraction to the motoring public;
- Any yard lights, area lighting or other lights that, in the opinion of the Operations Manager, are excessively distracting to the public or create a traffic hazard;
- Any sign that has moving or rotating parts; or
- Any sign that bears a legend giving a command to stop, stop ahead, look or exercise caution, etc., or any legend that in any way imitates a standard or commonly used traffic control device or highway traffic sign.

With the advancement of electronic technology, electronic message signs are capable creating intermittent flashing/changing messages or rotating images (animated backgrounds) or where the background can be changed or light intensified. Such signs can be a substantial distraction to motorists and a source of glare, which creates a traffic safety issue. The brightness from electronic message signs can also overwhelm driver's perception of critical regulatory, warning and guide signage or other traffic control devices.

## <u>Electronic Message Signs Not Permitted in</u> <u>Most Situations</u>

For the above reasons, Alberta Transportation does not permit the use of electronic message signs within the development control zone of rural provincial highways.

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The development control zone is defined under the *Highways Development and Protection Regulation* for provincial highways. The classes of provincial highways are shown in the Roadside Management Classification Map as amended from time to time and published on Alberta Transportation's website.

Within the corporate limits of urban municipalities (cities, towns, villages), the municipality is responsible for development approval outside the highway right-of-way for all classes of provincial highways. Along within urban municipality roads corporate limits. the municipality for development responsible approval beyond the Transportation Utilities Corridor (TUC). As such, Electronic Message Signs located within corporate limits (outside the provincial highway right-of-way and beyond the TUC boundaries) are subject to municipal approval.

Electronic message signs featuring a continuous loop or animated images are strictly prohibited along provincial highways except in urban areas (within corporate limits) where the speed limit is less than 80 km/h.

Electronic message signs are also strictly prohibited within 800 m of the centrepoint of an interchange, where the information load on drivers is already high (due to other traffic control devices), and where drivers frequently perform lane changing maneuvers (i.e., merging and weaving conditions).

<u>Situations Where Electronic Message Signs</u> <u>May Be Permitted</u>

An electronic message sign that operates only as a changeable copy sign (usually LED) may be permitted as a part of a larger sign outside the highway right-of-way, such as to convey the price of fuel on gas station on-premise signs. An electronic changeable copy sign would be permitted if the operation of the message panel is only changed occasionally (a motorist driving at the posted speed limit could only see one static message during the drive by). An electronic changeable copy sign panel forming a component of an on-premise sign cannot exceed 25% of the overall size of the sign.

An electronic changeable copy sign may be permitted as part of a community Welcome sign (inside or outside the highway right-of-way) provided it does not exceed 15% of the overall sign size.

Conditions under which an electronic message sign panel is allowed (as a part of a larger sign) are:

- The sign panel does not contain or display flashing, intermittent, or moving lights, including animated or scrolling text.
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- The sign content remains fixed/static for a minimum message display duration, where:

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 In lower speed areas, the formula above should be used with a minimum sight distance to sign of 350 m.

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Shown below are some examples of signs that may be permitted:







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#### <u>Policy Recommendations for Rural and</u> <u>Urban Municipalities</u>

Rural municipalities authorize developments within the development control zones of minor highways and urban municipalities authorize developments within development control zones of highways within urban boundaries of cities, towns, and villages. Alberta Transportation encourages both rural and urban municipalities not to permit electronic message signs adjacent to provincial highway right-of-way, especially those that function as graphic and/or video display signs. If electronic message signs are permitted, it is encouraged that the conditions outlined in this recommended practice be considered. Care should be taken to ensure electronic signs do not diminish the conspicuity of nearby traffic control devices, and to maintain appropriate spacing between electronic message signs (so that only one can be seen at a time).

If, in the opinion of the Highway Operations Manager, an electronic message sign permitted by a municipality constitutes a distraction to highway traffic and would compromises traffic safety, the Highway Operations Manager will work with the municipality to have the sign adjusted, removed or relocated.

### <u>Special Situations for Traffic Management</u> <u>Purposes</u>

Alberta Transportation's electronic dynamic message signs for communicating pertinent safety messages and for traffic management functions are permitted within highway right-of-way. Information displayed on these electronic dynamic message signs are governed by strict departmental operating guidelines.

#### References to Standards

Highways Development and Protection Regulation	
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Town of

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# Bylaw 917/16 LAND USE BYLAW

Schedule A

Approved July 25, 2016

Consolidation of Amendments proposed for Public Hearing June 26, 2018

# **AMENDMENTS TO LAND USE BYLAW #917/16**

All amendments to the Land Use Bylaw of the Town of Rimbey #917/16 must be passed as a bylaw. Any bylaw requires three (3) separate hearings by Town Council under Section 187 of the Alberta Municipal Government Act (MGA), and a public hearing must be held by Council prior to Second Reading of the proposed bylaw under Section 692 of the MGA.

Bylaw #	Bylaw # Date Affected Section		Description	
928/16	2017.01.09	12.7(5)(a)(ii) 12.7(5)(a)(iii) 12.7(5)(a)(iv)	Manufactured home park setbacks.	
929/16	2017.03.13	11.5(1) 11.5(2)	Signage on roadways, boulevard, sidewalks and land owned by the Development Authority.	
932/17	2017.05.08	11.6(1) 12.2(1) 12.9 12.10	Deletion of Country Residential Estate district. Creation of Residential Estate district and Country Residential district.	
940/18	2 2 (22)		Addition of "brewery, winery and distillery" and "brewpub".	
941/18	2018.04.10	2.2(30) 12.11.1 12.12.1	Addition of "commercial recreation and entertainment facility".	
944/18	TBD	2.2 (10), (29), (30), (31), (32), (33), (36), (37), (57), (58), (59), (76), (79), (109), (110), (134), (141), (142), (147), (175)	Addition of definitions	
		2.2 (40), (41), (64), (126)	Deletion of definitions	
		3.2(1)(a), 3.2(1)(i), 3.2(1)(j), 3.2(1)(k), 3.2(1)(n), 3.2(1)(p)	Development Not Requiring Permits	
		<mark>4.3</mark>	Decision Process – Development Authority	
		<mark>4.4</mark>	Decision Process – Subdivision Authority	
		<mark>4.5(4)</mark>	Public Advertisement	
		<mark>5.13(3)</mark>	Appeal period	
		7.1(6) and 7.1(7)	<b>Enforcement</b>	
		8.1(2), 8.1(9), 8.1(10), 8.1(11)	Accessory Buildings	
		8.2(1), 8.2(2) and 8.2(3)	Air supported and fabric-covered structures	
		<mark>8.17(15)</mark>	Landscaping	
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#### **PART 1 - ENACTMENT**

#### 1.1 TITLE

The title of this Bylaw shall be the Land Use Bylaw of the Town of Rimbey.

#### 1.2 PURPOSE

The purpose of this Bylaw is to regulate and control the use and development of land and buildings within the Town to achieve the orderly and economic development of land, and for that purpose, amongst other things:

- (1) to divide the Town into districts;
- (2) to prescribe and regulate for each district the purposes for which land and buildings may be used;
- (3) to establish a method of making decisions on applications for development permits including the issuing of development permits;
- (4) to provide the manner in which notice of the issuance of a development permit is to be given; and
- (5) to establish the number of dwelling units permitted on a parcel of land.

#### 1.3 APPLICATION

This Bylaw shall apply to the whole of the Town of Rimbey being all lands and buildings contained within its corporate limits.

#### 1.4 EFFECTIVE DATE

- (1) This Bylaw comes into effect upon the date of its third reading.
- (2) Land Use Bylaw No.762-04, as amended, is hereby repealed.

#### 1.5 CONFORMITY WITH THE BYLAW

(1) No person shall commence any development within the Town except in conformity with this Bylaw.

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(2) Compliance with the requirements of this Bylaw does not exempt any person from the requirements of any adopted Statutory Plan.

#### 1.6 OTHER LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENTS

- (1) In addition to this Bylaw, an applicant is responsible for complying with any other applicable federal, provincial, or municipal legislation or law. The applicant is also responsible for complying with the conditions of any caveat, covenant, easement or other instrument affecting a building or land.
- (2) The Town is not responsible for nor does the Town have any obligation whatsoever to determine what other legislation may apply to a development, nor to monitor or enforce compliance with such legislation.
- (3) The Development Authority shall not approve an application for a development permit that is not in conformity with the Town's Statutory Plans.

#### 1.7 SEVERABILITY

(1) In the event any portion of this Bylaw is found invalid by a Court of Law or is overturned by a superior jurisdiction, the validity of the remaining portions of the Bylaw shall not be affected.

#### 1.8 TRANSITION

(1) An application for a Subdivision, Development Permit or amendment to this Bylaw commenced prior to the coming into force of this Bylaw shall be evaluated under the provisions of the Town's Land Use Bylaw No.762-04, as amended.

#### **PART 2 – INTERPRETATION**

#### 2.1 RULES OF INTERPRETATION

- (1) Where a word is used in the singular, such a word may also mean plural.
- (2) Where a masculine or impersonal pronoun or adjective is used, such a word may also mean the feminine or impersonal pronoun or adjective.
- (3) Where a word is used in the present tense, such a word may also mean the future tense.
- (4) The word "person" includes a corporation as well as an individual.
- (5) The words "shall" and "must" require mandatory compliance except where a variance has been granted pursuant to the Act or this Bylaw.
- (6) Words, phrases, and terms not defined in this part may be given their definition in the Act or the Alberta Building Code. Other words shall be given their usual and customary meaning.
- (7) Where a regulation involves two or more conditions or provisions connected by the conjunction "and" means all the connected items shall apply in combination; "or" indicates that the connected items may apply singly; and "and/or" indicates the items may apply singly or in combination.
- (8) All units of measure contained within this Bylaw are metric (SI) standards, and are rounded to the nearest decimal place. For the purpose of convenience, the following conversion factors are provided:

Metric	Imperial
1 square metre (m <sup>2</sup> )	10.8 square feet (ft <sup>2</sup> )
1 hectare (ha)	2.47 acres (ac)
1 kilometre (km)	0.6 mile (mi)
1 metre (m)	3.3 feet (ft)
1 centimetre (cm)	0.4 inch (in)
1 millimetre (mm)	0.04 inches (in)
1 kilogram (kg)	2.2 pounds (lb)

#### 2.2 **DEFINITIONS**

For the purposes of this Bylaw and any amendments made hereto, the definitions set out in the following shall be used. When no definition is provided hereunder, the Town's dictionary of choice shall be used.

- (1) "abattoir" means a building and/or site used as a slaughterhouse, where animals are killed and butchered for human or animal consumption;
- (2) "abut" or "abutting" means immediately contiguous or physically touching, and, when used with respect to a lot or site, means that the lot or site physically touches upon another lot or site, and shares a property line or boundary line with it;
- (3) "accessory building" means a building separate and subordinate to the principle building, the use of which is incidental to that principle building and is located on the same lot. A garage attached to a principle building is deemed to be part of the principle building;
- (4) "accessory use" means any use in a building and/or on a parcel of land which is supplementary or subordinate to the principle use located in the same building and/or on the same parcel of land;
- (5) "Act" means the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000, as amended;
- (6) "adjacent" means land that is contiguous to a particular parcel of land and includes land that would be contiguous if not for a highway, road, river or stream;
- (7) "adult entertainment" means any building used as "retail" in which books and/or items for a mature audience are displayed and sold, or a building that shows mature films or live entertainment;
- (8) "agricultural operation" means an agricultural operation as defined in the Agricultural Operation Practices Act;
- (9) "agricultural sales and/or service" means a building or site used for "retail" but in which the goods for sale are vehicles, equipment, or machinery for use in the agricultural industry, and/or the servicing of vehicles, equipment, or machinery related to the agricultural industry;
- (10) "Air supported and fabric-covered structure" means a building where the outer shell is supported by artificially produced and constantly maintained air pressure above local atmospheric level or the outer shell pliable membrane across rigid trusses. This may also be known as a tent structure, but it is not the same as a tent garage.
- (11) "amusement arcade" means a building and/or site which operates mechanical and/or electronic games, and rides, for entertainment purposes;
- (12) "animal kennel" means a building and/or site used for the breeding, care, supervision, and/or housing of animals on either a short or long term basis;
- (13) "animal shelter" means a building and/or site used for the temporary accommodation and/or impoundment of animals;
- (14) "art gallery" means a building used for the display and "retail" of works of art;

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- (15) "auction mart" means a building and/or site used for "retail" but in which goods are sold by an auctioneer and where goods are sold to the highest bidder;
- (16) "automotive sales and/or rental" means a building or site used for "retail" but in which the goods for sale, and/or lease are automobiles, trucks, boats, trailers, recreational vehicles, or other similar personal vehicles;
- (17) "automotive supply store" means a building or site used for "retail" but in which the goods for sale are related to the use and operation of automobiles, trucks, boats, trailers, recreational vehicles, or other similar personal vehicles;
- (18) "automotive service and/or paint shop" means a building or site used for the repair, servicing, and/or painting of motor vehicle, boats, trailers, recreational vehicles, or other similar personal vehicles and may include the sale of automotive fuels, lubricating oils or other like automotive fluids;
- (19) "bakery" means a building used for baking food as well as the "retail" of said food;
- (20) "balcony" means a horizontal structure, with a railing, adjoining a building above the first storey floor level, and intended for use as a private outdoor amenity space with access only from within the building.
- (21) "basement" means the portion of a development which is wholly or partially below grade, having above grade no more than 1.8 m of its clear height lying below the finished level of the floor directly above;
- (22) "bed and breakfast" means a home based business in which an owner occupying a singledetached dwelling provides temporary accommodation with one meal provided to registered patrons in exchange for compensation;
- (23) "brewery, winery and distillery" means a use where beer, wine, spirits and other alcoholic beverages are manufactures and that may have areas and facilities for the storage, packaging, bottling, canning and shipping of the products made;
- (24) "brewpub" means a restaurant or drinking establishment where beer, wine or alcoholic spirits are produced on-site for consumption within the development and for retail sale. The facility must be appropriately licensed by the Alberta Liquor and Faming Commission;
- (25) "building" includes anything constructed or placed on, in, over or under land but does not include a highway or road or a bridge that forms part of a highway or road;
- (26) "bulk fuel and/or fertilizer sales and storage" means the storage of and "retail" of large quantities of fuel and/or fertilizer;
- (27) "c-can" means a specific type of portable storage container which is a metal freight container that is used for the temporary storage of materials and equipment. See portable storage container definition;
- (28) "campground" means the use of a site managed for the short term stay of tents, campers, and/or recreational vehicles, but which is not used as year round storage or accommodation;
- (29) "cannabis" means cannabis plant, fresh cannabis, dried cannabis, cannabis oil and cannabis plant seeds and any other substance defined as cannabis in the Cannabis Act (Canada) and it's

- regulations, as amended from time to time and includes edible products that contain cannabis.
- (30) "cannabis accessory" means cannabis accessory including but not limited to, rolling paper or wraps, holders, pipes, water pipes, bongs and vaporizers, or any other thing described in the Cannabis Act (Canada) that is used in the consumption or production of cannabis."
- (31) "cannabis lounge" means a development where the primary purpose of the facility is the sale of cannabis to the eligible public, for the consumption within the premises that is authorized by provincial or federal legislation. This use does not include cannabis production and distribution;
- (32) "cannabis production and distribution facility" means a development used principally for one or more of the following activities relating to cannabis:
  - (a) The production, cultivation, and growth of cannabis;
  - (b) The processing of raw materials
  - (c) The making, testing, manufacturing, assembling, or in any way altering the chemical or physical properties of semi-finished or finished cannabis goods or products
  - (d) The storage or shipping of materials, goods or products, or;
  - (e) The distribution and sale of materials, goods and products to cannabis retail sales stores or to individual customers
- (33) "cannabis retail sales" means a retail store licensed by the Province of Alberta where:
  - (a) where cannabis is sold for consumption off the premises,
  - (b) where consumption of cannabis must not occur, and
  - (c) that may include the ancillary retail sale or rental of merchandise;
- (34) "car/truck wash" means the use of a building and/or site for the cleaning of motorized vehicles either manually or through an automated process;
- (35) "cemetery" means a site used for the burying of the remains of animals and/or humans;
- (36) "Certificate of Compliance" means the endorsement by the Development Officer on a survey document indicating that the building locations on a lot are in compliance with this Bylaw.
- (37) "Child Care Facility" means a development intended to provide care, educational activities and supervision for groups of seven or more children under thirteen (13) years of age during the day or evening, but does not include overnight accommodation, and is intended to be operated for at least twelve (12) consecutive weeks each year. This includes daycares, preschools, out-of-school care, and other programs where the primary purpose is the care of children.
- (38) "commercial recreation and entertainment facility" means a facility or establishment that provides recreation or entertainment for gain or profit but does not include a casino or adult entertainment establishment;

- (39) "club" means a building and/or site used for the private meeting and social activities of members of a private organization and which may include space for eating, drinking, and congregating;
- (40) "community centre" means a building and/or site open to the general public and used for recreational, educational, social and/or cultural activities;
- (41) "confined feeding operation" means a confined feeding operation as defined in the Agricultural Operation Practices Act;
- (42) "contracting services" means a building or site used for the operation and storage of materials and/or vehicles related to the industries of construction, painting, plumbing, heating, electrical, landscaping, drilling and excavation, paving, maintenance and cleaning;
- (43) "convenience store" means "retail" but where the gross floor area does not exceed 186.0 m2 in gross floor area;
- (44) "corner lot" means a lot having boundary lines on two or more roads or highways, or with a road and a highway, at their intersection or junction. Corner lot also means a lot having a boundary line at a point where a road or highway changes direction by a minimum of 45 degrees within the boundaries of the lot;
- (45) "Council" mean the Council of the Town of Rimbey;
- (46) "coverage" means the sum of the floor areas at grade of all buildings, both principle and accessory, on a lot divided by the area of the lot;
- (47) "date of issue" means the date on which the notice of a decision of the Development Authority is published or mailed;
- (48) "day care centre, adult" means a building and/or site used to provide care and supervision of four or more adults who are over the age of 15 years, by a person not related to the adult for periods no longer than 24 consecutive hours;
- (49) "day care centre, child" means a building used to provide care and supervision of four or more children who are under the age of 15 years, by a person not related to the children for periods no longer than 24 consecutive hours;
- (50) "deck" means a means an uncovered horizontal structure with a surface height greater than 0.6m (2 ft) above grade at any point, and intended for use as a private outdoor space;
- (51) "development" means:
  - (a) an excavation or stockpile and the creation of either of them, or
  - (b) a building or an addition to or replacement or repair of a building and the construction or placing of any of them in, on, over or under land, or
  - (c) a change of use of land or a building or an act done in relation to land or a building that results in or is likely to result in a change in the use of the land or building, or
  - (d) a change in the intensity of use of land or a building or an act done in relation to land or a building that results in or is likely to result in a change in the intensity of use of the land or building; and without restricting the generality of the foregoing, includes:

- in the case of a lot used for residential purposes, alterations made to a building or an additional building on the lot whether or not the building is a dwelling or part of a dwelling unit,
- (ii) in the case of a lot used for other than residential purposes, alterations or additions made to a building on the lot or a use of the lot which would increase either the capacity of the building or the intensity of use of the lot,
- (iii) the display of advertisements or signs on the exterior of a building or on any land,
- (iv) the deposit of earth, debris, waste materials, refuse, or any other material on any land, including land already being used for that purpose, or if the natural topography or drainage is altered,
- (v) the removal of topsoil from land,
- (vi) the recommencement of the use to which land or a building has been previously put if that use has been discontinued for a period of more than six months,
- (vii) the use of land for storage purposes or for the repair of equipment, vehicles or other kinds of machinery, or
- (viii) the removal or demolition of a building;
- (52) "development authority" means the development authority of the Town as established by this Bylaw;
- (53) "development permit" means a document authorizing a development issued pursuant to this Land Use Bylaw;
- (54) "discretionary use" means the use of land or a building provided for in this Land Use Bylaw for which a development permit may be issued at the discretion of the development authority upon an application having been made;
- (55) "driveway" means a vehicle access route on the parcel which provides access to the driving surface;
- (56) "dwelling unit" means a complete dwelling or self-contained portion of a dwelling, set or suite of rooms which contains sleeping, cooking and separated or shared toilet facilities, intended for domestic use, and used or intended to be used permanently, semi-permanently, or seasonally as a residence for a household, and which is not separated from direct access to the outside by another separate dwelling unit;
- (57) "Essential Public Service" means a fire station, police station or similar service.
- (58) "family care facility" means a development which provides resident care service in a dwelling unit to six (6) or fewer individuals. These individuals may be handicapped, aged, disabled, or in need of adult supervision and are provided service and supervision in accordance with their individual needs. Family care facilities include boarding homes for children and group homes;
- (59) "family day home" means a dwelling unit used for the temporary supervision or care for a maximum of six (6) children 0-12 years old, including the residents' own children. In a family day home a maximum of three (3) children may be under 36 months with a maximum of two (2) children may be under 24 months. These regulations are the same for Before/After School Care or Private Babysitting service.

- (60) "farming" means the raising or production of crops, or animals, and includes a single residence for the farmer, but does not include a "Confined Feeding Operation" as defined by the Agricultural Operation Practices Act (Chapter A-7, R.S.A. 2000) and all regulations and amendments passed thereto;
- (61) "financial services" means a building used as a bank, credit union, or any other similar monetary enterprise;
- (62) "floor area" means the total area of all floors of all buildings including accessory buildings located on any lot, excluding the area of basement floors, EXCEPT THAT basement suites in apartment buildings shall be included in the calculation of floor area;
- (63) "floor/area ratio" means the ratio or decimal resulting from dividing the floor area of all buildings by the total site area of the parcel of land on which the buildings are located;
- (64) "fragmented parcel" means a parcel of land that is separated from the balance of a quarter section by a natural barrier such as a river or a coulee, or by a physical barrier such as a road or highway;
- (65) "front line" means the boundary line of a lot lying adjacent to a highway or road. In the case of a corner lot, the shorter of the two boundary lines adjacent to the highway or road shall be considered the front line;
- (66) "front yard" means a yard extending across the full width of a lot from the front line of the lot to the nearest wall of the main building situated on the lot. For the purposes of lakefront lots, the front line of the lot shall be considered to be closest to the lake;
- (67) "funeral Home" means a building and/or site used for the organization of funerals, the preparation of the deceased for burial or cremation, and/or the holding of funeral services;
- (68) "gambling and gaming hall" means a building used as a gaming establishment which offers games of chance including slot machines, table games, video lottery terminals, and/or a bingo hall;
- (69) "garage" means a building or portion thereof which is designated and used for the storage, marking or the maintenance of personal vehicles.
- (70) "gas bar" means a site or portion thereof used for the sale of gasoline, propane and other fuels, the sale of lubricating oils and other automotive fluids or motor vehicle accessories but does not include automotive service establishments;
- (71) "golf course" means a site used for the purposes of playing golf and which may include a clubhouse as an accessory use;
- (72) "grade" means the average elevation at the finished level of the ground, excluding an artificial embankment, at any point immediately adjacent to the building. Grade may have been established in conjunction with a subdivision grade plan prepared by a civil engineer.
- (73) "greenhouse" means a building and/or site used to grow and "retail" flowers, trees, shrubs, vegetables, and/or other plants;
- (74) "grocery store" means a building used for "retail" but which sells primarily food items for consumption off-site, and which has a gross floor area greater than 450 m<sup>2</sup>;

- (75)—"group home" means a building and/or site use for residential purposes for individuals who require supervision because of their age, disability, or need for rehabilitation, and where qualified staff are present at all times;
- (76) "group home" means a building and/or site use in a residential setting for individuals who require supervision because of their age, disability, or need for rehabilitation, and where qualified staff are present at all times;
- (77) "habitable floor space" means any room or enclosed space used or useable for human occupancy, including but not limited to kitchens, bedrooms, living rooms, family rooms and dens, bathrooms, laundries, pantries, foyers, hallways/entry ways, and areas containing infrastructure/servicing (furnace, circuit panel, water heater, etc.) but excludes any room or space not intended primarily for human occupancy including but limited to storage areas/cellars and undeveloped basements;
- (78) "head shop" means a retail outlet which specializes in drug paraphernalia related to consumption of cannabis, other recreational drugs and new age herbs, as well as counterculture art, magazines, music, clothing and home décor. This does not include cannabis retail sales or cannabis production and distribution facility;
- (79) "height" means the vertical distance between the grade and the highest point of a building that is not a stairway entrance, a ventilating fan, a skylight, a steeple, a chimney, a smoke stack, a fire wall, or a flagpole, or similar device not structurally essential to the building;
- (80) "highway" means a highway as defined in the Public Highways Development Act, R.S.A. 2000;
- (81) "Home occupation" means any occupation, trade, profession, or craft carried on by an occupant of a residential building as a use secondary to the residential use of the building, and which does not change the character thereof or have any exterior evidence of such secondary use;
- (82) "hospital" means a building and/or site used for medical care, examination, treatment, surgery and recovery of patients and which may include an extended stay;
- (83) "hotel" means a building used for short term stays through the provision of rooms or suites where rooms are accessed from a common interior corridor, and which may also contain commercial uses such as restaurants, or convention space;
- (84) "Housing, apartment (low rise)" means a residential use consisting of more than four dwelling units, but which has a height less than 15 metres, but shall not mean row housing;
- (85) "Housing, apartment (high rise)" means a residential use consisting of more than four dwelling units, but which has a height greater than 15 metres, but shall not mean row housing;
- (86) "housing, duplex" means a building with two dwelling units that have sharing one common wall in the case of side-by-side units, or having the dwelling area located above the dwelling area of the other in the cases of vertical units, each with a private entry;
- (87) "housing, fourplex" means a building that contains four dwelling units;

- (88) "housing, manufactured home" means a transportable factory built residential building containing one dwelling unit suitable for long term occupancy, designed to be movable, transported on its own wheels and chassis or other means and arriving at a site ready for occupancy except for incidental operations such as placement on foundation supports and connection to utilities. Manufactured homes shall have pitched roofs and eaves and shall conform to CAN/CSA Z240 MH Series and A277 certified standards;
- (89) "housing, mixed use" means a building and/or site which has a combination of uses but which typically entails "retail" or "office" uses on the ground floor and residential uses on the upper floors;
- (90) "housing, mobile" means a factory constructed detached dwelling unit, with an integral frame, readily relocatable singly or in double modules. Due to the age of the home they do not meet the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) A277 Standard or building code standards;
- (91) "housing, modular" means a building containing one dwelling unit, built in a factory and transported to a site to be permanently installed on a foundation., and which appears indistinguishable in design and finish from a stick-built house, and does not includes "housing, manufactured home" or "housing, mobile";
- (92) "housing, row house" means a building with one of three or more dwellings joined side by side or side to back. Can also include townhouse, garden homes and townhouses attached to high-rise buildings. Have no dwellings above or below them;
- (93) "housing, secondary suite" means a self-contained living space either located in the principle building or on the same site as the principle building. Secondary suites have a separate entrance, cooking, sleeping and bathing facilities and are no larger than 70 m<sup>2</sup>. Secondary suites shall include basement suites and garage suites;
- (94) "housing, single detached" means a residential building containing one dwelling unit which is intended as a permanent residence. Single detached dwellings must be of new construction and be physically separate from any other residential building. Single detached dwellings do not include a manufactured home;
- (95) "housing, triplex" means a building that contains three dwelling units;
- (96) "internal local roads" includes all roads within subdivisions, and all service roads adjacent to major two-lane highways, minor two-lane highways, and multi-lane highways;
- (97) "landfill" means a site operated by the Town for controlled waste management where waste collected within the municipality is recycled or permanently disposed of;
- (98) "lane" means a right-of-way on which motorized vehicles are normally allowed to operate which is 10 m or less in width;
- (99) "lake" means a body of water, free from large quantities of aquatic vegetation, and characterized by relatively large open water and deep water zones compared with the shore zone; and, as defined by the Council of the Town of Rimbey;

- (100) "library" means a building which primarily loans reading and/or visual material to the general public;
- (101) "livestock" means livestock as defined in the Agricultural Operation Practices Act;
- (102) "liquor store" means a building and/or site used for "retail" but in which the goods sold are liquor/alcohol for human consumption;
- (103) "lot" means:
  - (a) a quarter section,
  - (b) a river lot or a lake lot shown on an official plan referred to in the Surveys Act that is filed or lodged in a Land Titles Office,
  - (c) a part of a parcel of land described in a certificate of title if the boundaries of the part are described in the certificate of title other than by reference to a legal subdivision, or
  - (d) a part of a parcel of land described in a certificate of title if the boundaries of the part are described in the certificate of title by reference to a plan of subdivision;
- (104) "maintenance" means the upkeep of the physical form of any building which does not require a permit pursuant to the Safety Codes Act. Maintenance will include painting, replacing flooring, replacing roofing materials, but will not include any activity that will increase the habitable floor area of any dwelling unit or the internal volume of any building;
- (105) "major" means, when added as a prefix or suffix to a use, a use which, due to its nature or relatively larger scale, will or could have, in the sole opinion of the Development Authority, an impact on surrounding uses, or which may be intended to serve an area larger than the immediate or local area;
- (106) "Manufacturing, processing, packaging or assembly of goods or materials" means a building and/or site where materials are merged to assemble a product and where the product is then packaged for distribution;
- (107) "may" is an operative word meaning a choice is available, with no particular direction or guidance intended;
- (108) "meat processing plant" means the processing and distributing of animal carcasses to retailers, but does not include a kill floor;
- (109) "medical clinic" means a building used for the provision of physical and mental health services on an outpatient basis. Such services may be of a preventative, diagnostic, treatment, therapeutic, rehabilitative or counselling nature. Health services may include dental offices, physical therapy, pharmacy, counselling, doctor's offices, chiropractic offices and medical cannabis clinics;
- (110) "medical cannabis clinic" means any business or enterprise whether or not operated for profit intended to serve as a means of distributing or providing cannabis for medical purposes as defined by provincial or federal legislation;
- (111) "MGA" means the Municipal Government Act (Chapter M-26, R.S.A. 2000) and all regulations and amendments passed pursuant thereto;

- (112) "mini storage" means a building and/or site used for containing separate secured indoor storage units, designed to be rented or leased for private storage of personal goods;
- (113) "minor" means, when added as a prefix or suffix to a use, a use which, due to its nature or relatively smaller scale, will or could have, in the sole opinion of the Development Authority, a limited impact on surrounding uses, or which may be intended to serve a small or local area;
- (114) "motel" means a building or group of buildings on a parcel of land designed and operated for the provision of rooms or suites for temporary sleeping accommodation where each room has its own exterior access, and may include a restaurant and/or convention services;
- (115) "municipality" means the Town of Rimbey;
- (116) "museum" means a building and/or site used for the display of artefacts for cultural and educational purposes;
- (117) "nightclub" means a building and/or site featuring live entertainment such as music and dancing, and in which alcohol and food may also be served to patrons;
- (118) "non-conforming building" means a building:
  - (a) that is lawfully constructed or lawfully under construction at the date a land use bylaw affecting the building or the land on which the building is situated becomes effective, and
  - (b) that on the date this land use bylaw becomes effective does not, or when constructed will not, comply with this land use bylaw;
- (119) "non-conforming use" means a lawful specific use:
  - (a) being made of land or a building or intended to be made of a building lawfully under construction, at the date a land use bylaw affecting the land or building becomes effective, and
  - (b) that on the date this land use bylaw becomes effective does not, or in the case of a building under construction will not, comply with this land use Bylaw;
- (120) "office" means a building primarily used for the provision of professional, management, administrative and consulting services but does not include the use as "retail";
- (121) "open space" means land and water areas which are retained in an essentially undeveloped state and often serve one or more of the following uses: conservation of resources; ecological protection; recreation purposes; historic or scenic purposes; enhancement of community values and safety; maintenance of future land use options;
- (122) "owner" means:
  - (a) in the case of land owned by the Crown in right of Alberta or the Crown in right of Canada, the Minister of the Crown having the administration of the land, or
  - (b) in the case of any other land, the person shown as the owner on the Land Title.
- (123) "parcel of land" means the aggregate of one or more areas of land described in a certificate of title or described in a certificate of title by reference to a plan filed or registered in a land titles office:

- (124) "park" means any parcel of land which is for use by the general public for recreational activities, sporting, or gathering, and which may be left in a natural state or may include manmade features including area for sporting activities, playgrounds, picnic areas, and/or walking trails;
- (125) "parking facility" means a building and/or site used for vehicular parking as a principal use;
- (126) "pawn shop" means a building and/or site used for "retail" but in which the goods for sale are second hand personal items;
- (127) "permitted use" means the use of land or a building provided for in a land use Bylaw for which a development permit shall be issued upon application having been made, provided that all of the regulations of this Bylaw, and all of the matters left to the discretion or the satisfaction of the Development Authority, have been satisfied to the satisfaction of the Development Authority;
- (128) "personal service establishment" means a use relating to the care and appearance of the body or the cleaning and repair of personal effects. Typical uses include barber shops, beauty parlours, nail salons, tailors, dressmakers, shoe repair shops, dry cleaning establishments (pick-up and drop-off only), laundromats, photographic studios, personal fitness activity, and may include accessory retail sales. This use class does not include escort services, even as an accessory use;
- (129) "portable storage container" means a secure, steel/wood structure that is portable in nature (e.g. Sea Can, cargo container, shipping container etc.). See also "sea can" definition;
- (130) "porch" means means a structure abutting a dwelling having a roof but with walls that are open and unenclosed to the extent of at least 50% thereof except for removable screens and storm sashes or awnings, used as a private outdoor amenity space;
- (131) "principle building" means a building where the principle use of the site operates from;
- (132) "principle use" means the primary purpose or purposes for which a building or lot is used;
- (133) "public administration" means the use of a building and/or site for the operation and/or provision of services by the Municipal, Provincial, and/or Federal governments;
- (134) "Real Property Report" means a codified standard adopted by the Alberta Land surveyor's Association which contains: (a) the legal description of the property and the municipal address; (b) the dimensions and bearings of all property boundaries as determined by an actual field survey in accordance with the Surveys Act; (c) the designation of adjacent properties, roads, lanes, etc.; (d) the location and description of all pertinent improvements located on the property along with their dimensions and clearances to the property boundaries. The projections of overhangs or eaves are also shown; (e) the location of any easements which may affect the property; (f) the location and dimensions of any visible encroachments onto or off of the property; (g) a list of the registered encumbrances as noted on the title to the property at the date of the survey; (h) a certification by an Alberta Land Surveyor duly signed.
- (135) "rear line" means the boundary line of a lot lying opposite to the front line of the lot and/or farthest from a highway or road;

- (136) "rear yard" means a yard extending across the full width of a lot from the nearest wall of the main building situated on the lot, to the rear line of the lot;
- (137) "recreational facility" means a building and/or site used for sports or other active recreational activities and may include health and fitness clubs, racquet courts, dance studios, martial arts schools, basketball and volleyball courts, hockey arenas, football and soccer field, and or other similar sporting fields but not including an outdoor golf course;
- (138) "recycling depot" means a facility used for the purchasing, collection, sorting, packaging, and temporary storage of empty bottles, cans, and containers or other recyclable and reusable materials and where storage is contained within an enclosed building;
- (139) "religious institution" means a building used for the congregation, meeting, study, and prayer related to any religious faith;
- (140) "repair shop" means a building and/or site used for the maintenance, and repair of any goods and/or equipment excluding motor and/or recreational vehicles;
- (141) "reserve land" means environmental reserve, conservation reserve, municipal reserve, community services reserve, school reserve or municipal and school reserve;
- (142) "Residential Care Facility" means a private or publicly funded seniors lodge, nursing home, extended or congregate care facility.
- (143)—"retaining wall" means a structure constructed to withstand lateral pressure in order to hold back earth, loose rock, or similar materials;
- (144) "restaurant" means a use where food is prepared and served on the premises for sale to patrons, and which may or may not be licensed to serve alcohol, and may include entertainment which is accessory to the preparation and service of food;
- (145) "restaurant, drive-thru" means a building where food is prepared and sold for consumption to patrons and which offers service through a drive up window;
- (146) "retail" means a use that focuses on the display and sale of goods, wares, or merchandise.

  This use includes, but is not limited to drug stores, clothing stores, sporting goods stores and other similar uses, but does not includes retail stores where the majority of total sales are generated through the sale of adult-oriented materials (clothing, videos, magazines, etc.);
- (147) "retaining wall" means a structure constructed to withstand lateral pressure in order to hold back earth, loose rock, or similar materials;
- (148) "riding arena, private" means a building or structure in which equestrian, athletic or recreational activities are carried out on the lot upon which the arena is located;
- (149) "road" means a right-of-way on which motorized vehicles are normally allowed to operate, or a road as defined in the Act, but does not include either a highway or a lane;
- (150) "salvage yard" means a building and/or site used for the storage and deconstruction of scrap materials;
- (151) "school" means a use operated by a School Board that provides grade and secondary school instruction to pupils through courses prescribed or approved by the Provincial Government;

- (152) "screening" means a fence, wall, berm, hedge or other barrier providing visual and/or acoustic separation of sites;
- (153) "sea can" see c-can;
- (154) "setback" means the perpendicular distance that a development must be set back from the front, side or rear property boundaries of the parcel as specified in the particular District in which the development is located;
- (155) "shall" is an operative word which means the action is obligatory;
- (156) "shoreline" means the bank of the body of water as determined pursuant to the Surveys Act;
- (157) "should" is an operative word which means that, in order to achieve local goals and objectives it is strongly advised that the action be taken. Exceptions shall be made only under extenuating circumstances;
- (158) "side line" means the boundary line of a lot lying between a front line and a rear line of a lot. In the case of a corner lot, the longer of the two boundary lines adjacent to the highway or road shall be considered a side line;
- (159) "side yard" means a yard extending from the front yard of a lot to the rear yard of the lot and lying between the side line of the lot and the nearest wall of the main building;
- (160) "sign" means any word, letter, model, picture, symbol, device or representation used as, or which is in the nature of, wholly or in part, an advertisement, announcement or direction. Any structure, or portion thereof, which is used primarily to carry, hold, maintain, support or sustain a sign is construed as being part of the sign, and except as provided for in this Bylaw, is subject to all regulations governing signs;
- (161) "site" means an area of land designed to accommodate, and intended to be rented for, a tent or recreational vehicle or cabin;
- (162) "solar collector" means any device used to collect sunlight that is part of a system used to convert radiant energy from the sun into thermal or electrical energy.
- (163) "subdivision and development appeal board" means a subdivision and development appeal board appointed pursuant to Town Bylaw and the Act;
- (164) "subdivision authority" means the Subdivision Authority established pursuant to the Act through the Town's Subdivision Authority Bylaw;
- (165) "substandard lot" means any lot which is smaller, in area or in any dimension, than the minimum area or dimension stipulated in the regulations of the District in which the lot is located;
- (166) "temporary development" means a development for which a development permit has been issued and which exists for a limited time only;
- (167) "theatre" means a building and/or site used to show entertainment including films, live theatre, or musical performances;

- (168) "tourist information centre" means the use of a building and/or site to dispense information to the travelling public regarding the Town and may also include washrooms, picnic facilities, or other similar amenities;
- (169) "trucking establishment" means any building and/or site where commercial vehicles may park for a short or long term stay and which may include a "convenience store," "restaurant," and/or "gas bar";
- (170) "undeveloped lot" means a lot which does not contain a dwelling or any other building, but which may contain utility services;
- (171) "unique site requirements" are a set of site locational requirements which have been demonstrated to the Town's satisfaction to be necessary in order for the development of a commercial or industrial use to be carried out;
- (172) "use" means the utilization of a building or parcel of land for a particular type of operation;
- (173) "utility" means a utility as defined in the Act, as amended;
- (174) "utility installations" means a building and/or site for use by a utility company maintains to maintain or shelter any equipment used in connection with the utility;
- (175) "Variance" means an alteration or change to a standard prescribed by this Bylaw that is authorized by the Development Authority or the Board.
- (176) "veterinary clinic" means a building and/or site used for the medical care and treatment of animals on either a short term or long term basis;
- (177) "warehouse" means a building and/or site used for the storage of materials, goods, and products which will ultimately be distributed and for sale at "retail" stores;
- (178) "wrecking yard" means land and buildings that are used for the storage and dismantling of old or wrecked vehicles and / or machinery for the purpose of recycling their components;
- (179) "yard" means a part of a parcel of land upon or over which no building is to be erected unless otherwise provided for in this Bylaw.

#### PART 3 – GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

#### 3.1 CONTROL OF DEVELOPMENT

- (1) No development shall be undertaken within the Town unless an application for it has been approved and a development permit has been issued.
- (2) In the event of a state of emergency (local or provincial) declared pursuant to the Emergency Management Act, RSA 2000, c.E-6.8. as amended, or as a result of such an emergency, such other temporary development or class of temporary development as Council may declare may be approved in any land use district without compliance with the land use bylaw regulations.

#### 3.2 DEVELOPMENT NOT REQUIRING A DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

- (1) The following development shall not require a development permit:
  - (a) The carrying out of works of maintenance or repair to any building or internal alteration, provided that such works do not include:
    - (i) structural alterations; or,
    - (ii) major works of renovation that would require a building permit under the Safety Codes Act.
  - (b) Activities as exempted by Section 618 of the Act;
  - (c) The use of any such buildings referred to in Section 3.1(2) above, for the purpose which construction was commenced.
  - (d) The use of land for a farm operation on land situated in the Urban Holdings district, provided that the use or building conforms to the minimum setback requirements specified in the Land Use Bylaw. Notwithstanding this section, all dwellings are subject to obtaining a development permit.
  - (e) The erection, construction, or maintenance, improvement or alteration of gates or fences or other means of enclosure less than 1.0 m in height in front yards or in side yards abutting a road, and less than 2.0 m in rear yards or in other side yards, and the maintenance, improvement and other alterations of any gates, fences or walls or other means of enclosure. Notwithstanding, barbs and page wire fences are only permitted in the Urban Holding and Industrial Land Use Districts.
  - (f) All types of fences and windbreaks in the Urban Holding district.
  - (g) A temporary building, the sole purpose of which is incidental to the erection or alteration of a building, for which a permit has been issued under this Bylaw;
  - (h) The maintenance and repair of public works, services and utilities carried out by or on behalf of federal, provincial and municipal public authorities on land which is publicly owned or controlled;

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- (i) The development of Town owned structures or public works, services and utilities. Notice of such structures shall be provided to adjacent landowners for information purposes.
- (j) Development within a basement which does not change or add to the uses in a dwelling, which do not require a building permit under the Safety Codes Act;
- (k) All accessory buildings which are less than 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> in area. and which conform to the setback requirements of the Land Use District.
- (I) The demolition or removal of any building or structure for which erection a development permit would not be required pursuant to Subsections (d) to (l) above.
- (m) Dugouts in the Urban Holdings district provided that they conform to the regulations specified in this Land Use Bylaw.
- (n) Fire pits provided that they conform to the regulations specified in this Land Use Bylaw;
  - (i) the combustion area is contained and screened,
  - (ii) the outside diameter is no more than 1.0 metres (three feet),
  - (iii) the pit is set back from buildings and fences in accordance with the Alberta Fire Code,
  - (iv) only clean wood is burned, and
  - (v) the location and use does not reduce the quiet enjoyment of neighbouring property.
- (o) Landscaping provided that the grades and overland water flows are not substantially altered.
- (p) The construction of a deck, provided that the deck is uncovered, and the walking surface is less than 60 cm (2 feet) above grade. and it conforms to the regulations specified in this Land Use Bylaw.

#### 3.3 NON-CONFORMING BUILDINGS AND USES

(1) Non-conforming buildings and non-conforming uses shall be treated in accordance with the Act, and any amendments thereto.

#### 3.4 DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL AUTHORITIES

- (1) The Development Authority is hereby established by Bylaw pursuant to the Act.
- (2) The Development Authority shall exercise development powers and duties on behalf of the Town.
- (3) The Development Authority shall be the Development Officer, or where the context of this Bylaw permits, the Council.

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### PART 4 – DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION PROCESS

### 4.1 APPLICATION FOR DEVELOPMENT

- (1) An application for a development permit shall be completed and submitted to the Development Authority in writing, in the form required by the Development Authority, and shall be accompanied by:
  - (a) A site plan showing the legal description; the front, rear, and side yards, if any; any provision for off-street loading and vehicle parking; and access and egress points to the site;
  - (b) The presence of abandoned oil and gas wells in accordance with the Subdivision and Development Regulation;
  - (c) The location and dimensions of all existing and proposed buildings, structures, or uses on the property;
  - (d) Statement of existing and proposed services (i.e. on-site or municipal);
  - (e) Identification of existing and proposed road infrastructure that will provide access to the development;
  - (f) A statement of the current and proposed use on the lands; and
  - (g) The authorization of the registered landowner.
- (2) The Development Authority may also require additional information in order to assess the conformity of a proposed development with this Bylaw before consideration of the development permit application shall commence. Such information may include floor plans, elevations and sections of any proposed buildings; drainage, grading and landscaping plans; and, in the case of the placement of an already constructed or partially constructed building on a parcel of land, information relating to the age and condition of the building and its compatibility with the District in which it is to be located. In addition, such additional information may include assessment by a registered professional engineer of any potential flooding or subsidence hazard that may, in the sole opinion of the Development Authority, affect the subject site.
- (3) Each application for a development permit shall be accompanied by a fee as established by Council.
- (4) All applications for development permits on sites within an area covered by an intermunicipal development plan shall be referred to the other municipality for comments and recommendation.
- (5) The Development Authority may make a decision on an application for a development permit notwithstanding that any information required or requested has not been submitted.

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(6) In the case where an application for a development permit has been refused pursuant to this Bylaw or ultimately after appeal to the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, the submission of another application for a permit on the same property and for the same or similar use of the land by the same or any other applicant need not be accepted by the Development Authority for at least six (6) months after the date of the previous refusal.

### 4.2 REFERRAL OF APPLICATIONS

- (1) The Development Authority may refer for comment any matter or any application for a Development Permit to any authority he deems necessary.
- (2) Notwithstanding 4.2(1), the Development Authority may refer to any adjacent municipality for consideration and recommendation, any matter or any application for a Development Permit that relates to lands that abut the municipal boundary.
- (3) Notwithstanding 4.2(1), the Development Authority may refer development in proximity to a Highway:
  - (a) Applications for development located within 0.8 km of the right of way of a multi-lane highway or a major two-lane highway where the proposed development would have direct access from the highway shall be referred to Alberta Transportation for comment prior to any decision by the Development Authority;
  - (b) All applications for development located, within 150 m of the right of way of a minor two-lane highway where the proposed development would have direct access from the highway may be referred to Alberta Transportation for comment prior to any decision by the Development Authority.
- (4) Having received a reply on a matter referred to any authority, the Development Authority shall make a decision giving due consideration to the recommendations and comments received.
- (5) After thirty (30) days from the date of referral, the application may be dealt with by the Development Authority whether or not comments have been received.

# 4.3 DECISION PROCESS - DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

- (1) In making a decision, the Development Authority may approve the application unconditionally, approve the application subject to those conditions considered appropriate, approve the application permanently or for a limited period of time as specified in the approval, or refuse the application.
- (2) The Development Authority may require that as a condition of issuing a development permit,

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the applicant enter into an agreement in accordance with Section 650 of the to construct or pay for the construction of roads, pedestrian walkways or parking areas which serve the development or which connect the walkway with another walkway system that serves or is proposed to serve an adjacent development, to install or pay for the installation of public utilities other than telecommunications systems or works, to pay an off-site levy, and/or to give security to ensure that the terms of the agreement noted herein are carried out.

- (3) In the case where a proposed specific use of land or a building is not provided for in any District in the Bylaw, the Development Authority may determine that such use is similar in character and purpose to the definition of a permitted or discretionary use prescribed for a particular District.
- (4) The Development Authority may approve an application for a development permit for new development or an application for a development permit that authorizes a non—conforming building to be enlarged, added to, structurally altered is to be a rebuilding, an enlargement, an addition, or a structural alteration of a non-conforming building, if, even though the proposed development does not comply with the regulations of this Bylaw, if, in the opinion of the Development Authority:
  - (a) the proposed development would not: (i) unduly interfere with the amenities of the neighbourhood, or (ii) materially interfere with or affect the use, enjoyment or value of neighbouring parcels of land, and
  - (b) the proposed development conforms to the use prescribed for that land or building in this Bylaw.
- (5) Upon receipt of an application, the Development Authority must review the application for completeness within 20 days of the application being received. The Development Authority shall provide the applicant either:
  - (a) A complete certificate, if in the opinion of the Development Authority, the application contains the information necessary to review the application;
  - (b) An incomplete certificate if in the opinion of the Development Authority, the application is incomplete. An incomplete certificate shall specify:
    - (i) the additional information that the Development Authority will require in order for the application to be considered complete;
    - (ii) the deadline for submission of the additional information or at such other later date as agreed between the applicant and the Development Authority; and
    - (iii) any other information identified as being necessary by the Development Authority
  - (c) Applications that have been issue an incomplete certificate, will be
    - (i) Issued a complete certificate shall be issued once the Development Authority receives the necessary information.
    - (ii) deemed refused if an applicant fails to submit all the outstanding items indicated

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as being outstanding in the incomplete certificate by the deadline set in the incomplete certificate, If an application is deemed refused the Development Authority shall issue a Development Permit refusal. The refusal must give reasons for the refusal.

- (d) Despite the issuance of a complete certificate or incomplete certificate, the Development Authority may request additional information from the applicant if, in the course of reviewing the application, the Development Authority determines that additional information is necessary to review the application.
- An application for a development permit shall, at the option of the applicant, be deemed to be refused when if a decision thereon on the application is not made by the Development Authority within forty (40) days after receipt of the complete application by the Development Authority. The person claiming to be affected by the deemed refusal may appeal in writing as provided for in Part 4 of this Bylaw as though he has received a refusal at the end of the forty (40) day period. The Development Authority and the applicant, may in a written agreement extend the 40 day period in which the Development Authority is to make a decision on the application.
- (7) A Development Authority may suspend or revoke a development permit in writing to the applicant at any time:
  - (a) Where the permit was issued on the basis of incorrect information, fraud, nondisclosure, or misrepresentation on the part of the applicant; or
  - (b) Where the permit was issued in error.
- (8) Temporary Developments where a development permit application in a land use district is for a temporary development, If an application is made for a development that is identified as a temporary development in a land use bylaw, the Development Authority:
  - (a) May consider and decide upon approve a development for a specific period of time, not exceeding one year;
  - (b) Shall impose a condition on such a permit that the Town is not liable for any costs involved in the cessation or removal of the development at the expiration of the time period stated in the permit; and
  - (c) May require the applicant to post acceptable security guaranteeing the cessation or removal of the development. The amount of the security shall be to the greater of 25% of the value of the structure or \$1,000.

### 4.4 DECISION PROCESS – SUBDIVISION AUTHORITY

(1) Upon receipt of an application for subdivision, the Subdivision Authority must review the application for completeness twenty (20) days of the application being received. The Subdivision Authority shall provide the applicant either:

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- (a) A complete certificate, if in the opinion of the Subdivision Authority, the application contains the information necessary to review the application;
- (b) An incomplete certificate if in the opinion of the Subdivision Authority, the application is incomplete. An incomplete certificate shall specify:
  - (i) the additional information that the Subdivision Authority will require in order for the application to be considered complete;
  - (ii) the deadline for submission of the additional information or such other later date as agreed between the applicant and the Subdivision Authority; and
  - (iii) any other information identified as being necessary by the Subdivision Authority
- (c) Applications that have been issue a an incomplete certificate, will be
  - (i) Issued a complete certificate once the Subdivision Authority receives the necessary information.
  - (ii) deemed refused if an applicant fails to submit all the outstanding items indicated as being outstanding in the incomplete certificate by the deadline set in the incomplete certificate. If an application is deemed refused the Subdivision Authority shall issue a notice to the applicant that the subdivision application has been refused refusal. The refusal must give reasons for the refusal.
- (d) Despite the issuance of a complete certificate or incomplete certificate, the Subdivision Authority may request additional information from the applicant if, in the course of reviewing the application, that the Subdivision Authority determines that additional information is necessary to review the application.
- (9) An application for a subdivision shall, at the option of the applicant, be deemed to be refused when if a decision thereon on the application is not made by the Development Authority within forty (40) days after receipt of the complete application by the Development Authority. The person claiming to be affected by the deemed refusal may appeal in writing as provided for in Part 4 of this Bylaw as though he has received a refusal at the end of the forty (40) day period. The Development Authority and the applicant, may in a written agreement extend the 40 day period in which the Development Authority is to make a decision on the application.

#### 4.5 VARIANCE AUTHORITY

- (1) Notwithstanding 4.3(3) the Development Authority may approve an application for a development permit for a development that is a Permitted or Discretionary Use, but that does not otherwise comply with the provisions of this Bylaw, if in the opinion of the Development Authority:
  - (a) The proposed development would not unduly interfere with the amenities of the neighbourhood.
  - (b) The proposed development conforms with the use prescribed for that land or building in this Bylaw;

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- (2) Notwithstanding 4.4(1) the Development Authority shall not grant a variance from the regulations prescribing height, if the height variance results in an increase in floor area, lot coverage, floor area ratio (FAR), or density.
- (3) In addition to the considerations provided under 4.4(1), a variance may only be granted if, in the opinion of the Development Authority:
  - (a) The variance requested maintains the intent and purpose of the Municipal Development Plan;
  - (b) The variance requested maintains the intent and purpose of this Bylaw;
  - (c) The variance is desirable for the appropriate and orderly development or use of the land; and
  - (d) The variance, in the opinion of the Development Authority, is truly minor in nature.
- (4) All requests for a variance shall be accompanied by a letter from the applicant clearly stating the reasons for the variance, outlining the applicable criteria identified in 4.4(3), and the nature of the hardship incurred if the variance is not granted.
- (5) If a variance is granted pursuant to this Section, the Development Authority shall specify its nature in the Development Permit approval.
- (6) The maximum variance that may be granted by the Development Authority is 20%.

### 4.6 DEVELOPMENT PERMITS AND NOTICES

- (1) Except for those permits described in Section 4.5(3) hereof, a permit granted pursuant to this Part does not come into effect until fourteen (14) days after the date a decision or development permit is publicized as described in 4.5(4). Any development proceeded with by the applicant prior to the expiry of this period is done solely at the risk of the applicant.
- (2) Where an appeal is made pursuant to Part 4 of this Bylaw, a development permit which has been granted shall not come into effect until the appeal has been determined and the permit has been confirmed, modified or nullified thereby.
- (3) When a permit has been issued for the development of a permitted use, and no provisions of this Bylaw have been relaxed or varied, or when Council makes a decision on a development permit application within the DC District, no notification shall be given of the decision except to the applicant.
- (4) When a permit other than a permit described in Section 4.5(3) hereof has been issued, the

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Development Authority shall advertise in accordance with the Advertisement Bylaw. -the Development Authority shall immediately:

- (a) Post a notice of the decision conspicuously on the property for which the application has been made; and/or
- (b) Mail a notice in writing to all adjacent land owners who, in the sole opinion of the Development Authority, may be affected; and/or
- (c) Publish a notice of the decision in a newspaper circulating in the Town, stating the location of the property for which the application has been made and the use approved.
- (5) If the development authorized by a permit is not commenced within twelve (12) months from the date of the issue of the development permit, and completed within three (3) years of the date of issue, the permit is deemed to be void, unless an extension to this period is granted by the Development Authority.
- (6) A decision of the Development Authority on an application for a development permit shall be given in writing and a copy of it sent to the applicant.
- (7) When the Development Authority refuses an application for a development permit, the decision shall contain reasons for the refusal.

### 4.7 DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENTS

- (1) The Town may register a caveat pursuant to the provisions of the Land Titles Act and the Municipal Government Act in respect of an agreement under this Section against the Certificate of Title for the land that is the subject of the development, which said caveat shall be discharged when the agreement has been complied with.
- (2) The Town may require conditions consistent with section 4.1(1) or any other conditions as deemed appropriate, the applicant to enter into an agreement to construct or pay for the construction of public roadways or parking facilities, to install or pay for the installation of utilities and/or to pay an off-site levy imposed by bylaw. This may involve the applicant posting security with respect to the development and paying for construction, where the development requires a road or traffic infrastructure improvement specifically to accommodate the development. The applicant for a development permit may be required to provide dust control adjacent to existing residences located on roads impacted by the development. The Development Authority may require that commercial vehicular traffic be limited to certain roads when gaining access to and from a site.

### PART 5 – DEVELOPMENT APPEAL PROCESS

#### 5.1 APPEAL PROCEDURE

- (1) The Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, as established by Town Bylaw, shall hear and make a decision on an appeal where a Development Authority:
  - (a) Refuses or fails to issue a development permit to a person within forty (40) days of receipt of the application, or
  - (b) Issues a development permit subject to conditions, or
  - (c) Issues an order under Part 6 of this Bylaw; and
    - (i) The person applying for the permit or affected by the order, or any other person affected by an order, decision or development permit of a Development Authority appeals to the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board.
- (2) Notwithstanding Subsection (1) above, no appeal lies in respect of the issuance of a development permit by the Council within a DC District, or for a permitted use unless the provisions of this Bylaw were relaxed, varied or misinterpreted.
- (3) An appeal shall be made by serving a written notice of appeal and submitted the applicable fee to the Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board within fourteen (14) twenty-one (21) days after:
  - (a) The date the order, decision or permit issued by the Development Authority was publicized in accordance with this Bylaw; or
  - (b) The forty (40) day period referred to in Section 3.3(5) of this Bylaw has expired.

### 5.2 APPEAL HEARING

- (1) Within thirty (30) days of receipt of a notice of appeal, the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board shall hold an appeal hearing respecting the appeal.
- (2) The Subdivision and Development Appeal Board shall give at least five (5) days' notice in writing of the appeal hearing to:
  - (a) The appellant;
  - (b) The Development Authority from whose order, decision or development permit the appeal is made;
  - (c) Those adjacent land owners who were notified under this Bylaw and any other person who, in the opinion of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, are affected by the order, decision or permit; and
  - (d) Such other persons as the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board specifies.

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- (3) The Subdivision and Development Appeal Board shall make available for public inspection before the commencement of the appeal hearing all relevant documents and materials respecting the appeal including:
  - (a) The application for the development permit, its refusal and the appeal therefrom; or
  - (b) The order of the Development Authority,
  - (c) As the case may be.
- (4) At the appeal hearing referred to in subsection (1), the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board shall hear:
  - (a) The appellant or any other person acting on his behalf;
  - (b) The Development Authority from whose order, decision or development permit the appeal is made, or if a person is designated to act on behalf of the Development Authority, that person;
  - (c) Any other person who was served with notice of the hearing and who wishes to be heard or a person acting on his behalf; and
  - (d) Any other person who claims to be affected by the order, decision or permit and that the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board agrees to hear or a person acting on his behalf.

### 5.3 APPEAL DECISION

- (1) The Subdivision and Development Appeal Board shall give its decision in writing together with reasons for the decision within fifteen (15) days of the conclusion of the appeal hearing.
- (2) If the decision of the Development Authority to approve a development permit application is reversed by the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, the development permit shall be null and void.
- (3) If the decision of the Development Authority to refuse a development permit application is reversed by the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, the Development Authority shall forthwith issue the development permit in accordance with the decision of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board.
- (4) If the decision of the Development Authority to approve a development permit is varied by the Development Appeal Board, the Development Authority shall forthwith issue the development permit in accordance with the decision of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board.

- (5) A decision made under this part of the Bylaw is final and binding on all parties and all persons subject only to an appeal upon a question of jurisdiction or law pursuant to the Act. An application for leave to the Court of Appeal shall be made:
  - (a) to a judge of the Court of Appeal; and
  - (b) within thirty (30) days after the issuance of the order, decision, permit or approval sought to be appealed.

### PART 6 – BYLAW AMENDMENT PROCESS

#### 6.1 APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT

- (1) A person may apply to have this Bylaw amended by applying in writing, furnishing reasons in support of the application and paying the fee therefore required.
- (2) Council may at any time initiate an amendment to this Bylaw by directing the Development Authority to initiate an amendment.
- (3) All applications for amendment to the Land Use Bylaw shall be made to the Council and shall be accompanied by the following, namely:
  - (a) An application fee according to the governing fee schedule as amended from time to time by resolution of Council shall be submitted for each application, but if the proposed amendment is adopted by Council, Council may determine that the whole or part of the application fee may be returned to the applicant;
  - (b) A title search for the land affected or other documents satisfactory to the Development Authority indicating the applicant's interest in the said land;
  - (c) Drawings drawn to the satisfaction of the Development Authority, which shall be fully dimensioned, accurately figured, explicit and complete; and
  - (d) Any other information deemed necessary by the Development Authority.
- (4) Notwithstanding Subsection (3)(a) above, Council may waive payment of an application fee or any part thereof.
- (5) During deliberation on the Bylaw amendment application, Council may refer the application to such agencies as it considers necessary for comment.
- (6) Council may request such information as it deems necessary to reach a decision on the proposed amendment.

### 6.2 PUBLIC HEARING PROCESS

- (1) All amendments to this Bylaw shall be made by Council, by Bylaw, and in conformity with the requirements of the Act with regard to the holding of a Public Hearing.
- (2) Prior to any Public Hearing, the Town shall give notice in accordance with the Act.

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(3) First reading of a proposed amendment is given before the Public Hearing, and Council may require that the applicant pay a fee for advertising according to the governing Land Use Bylaw advertising fee schedule as amended from time to time by resolution of Town.

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### **PART 7 – ENFORCEMENT**

### 7.1 CONTRAVENTION

- (1) Where a Development Authority finds that a development or use of land or buildings is not in accordance with:
  - (a) The Act or the regulations made thereunder, or
  - (b) A development permit or subdivision approval, or
  - (c) This Bylaw;

The Development Authority may, by notice in writing, order the owner, the person in possession of the land or buildings, or the person responsible for the contravention, or all or any of them to:

- (d) Stop the development or use of the land or buildings in whole or in part as directed by the notice, and/or
- (e) Demolish, remove or replace the development, and/or
- (f) Take such other measures as are specified in the notice;
  - (i) So that the development or use of the land or buildings is in accordance with the Act, the regulations made thereunder, a development permit, subdivision approval or this Bylaw, as the case may be.
- (2) Where a person fails or refuses to comply with an order directed to him under Subsection (1) above or an order of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board within the time specified, the Development Authority may, in accordance with Section 542 of the Act, with the support of a Peace Officer or Enforcement Officer, enter upon the land or building and take such action as is necessary to carry out the order. A person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of their development permit is guilty of an offence and is liable upon summary conviction of a fine.
- (3) Where the Development Authority carries out an order, the Council shall cause the costs and expenses incurred in carrying out the order to be placed on the tax roll as an additional tax against the property concerned, and that amount shall be collected in the same manner as taxes on land.
- (4) A person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and is liable upon summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$10,000.00 or to imprisonment for not more than one year, or to both fine and imprisonment, pursuant to Section 566 of the Act.
- (5) A Development Authority may suspend or revoke a development permit which has not been complied with, following notification, stating the reasons for such action.

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(6) In addition to the process and penalties described above, the Development Authority, Peace Officer, Bylaw Officer or any other person identified as a designated officer Peace Officer by the CAO Council for the purposes of this Section, shall be authorized to inspect any development to confirm compliance, and if not in compliance to issue violation tickets in respect to any contravention of this Bylaw.

### (7) Violation Tickets:

- (a) The Development Authority, Peace Officer, Bylaw Officer or any other person identified by the CAO for the purposes of this section, may direct a Peace Officer for the purposes of this Section, to issue a violation ticket to any person alleged to have breached any provision of this Bylaw.
- (b) The violation ticket shall specify the alleged offence committed by the person to whom the violation ticket is issued and require voluntary payment, or the option of a court appearance on a date specified, and will be dealt with thereafter at the court's discretion.
- (c) Persons contravening any provision of this Bylaw to whom violation tickets are issued shall be liable for a penalty of \$500.00 for a first offence and \$1000.00 for a second or subsequent offence within the same calendar year. Each day that a breach of the Bylaw has occurred may be considered to be a separate offence.
- (d) The violation ticket shall be served upon the alleged offender personally, or if the defendant cannot be conveniently found, by leaving it for the defendant at the defendants place of residence with a person on the premises who appears to be at least 18 year of age. If payment is made within the time limit, then such payment shall be accepted in lieu of prosecution for the offence.
- (e) If a person who has been served with a violation ticket fails to pay the fine specified therein, then the right of the alleged offender to settle the alleged offence without a court appearance shall no longer apply and prosecution for the alleged offence shall proceed.

### **PART 8 – GENERAL REGULATIONS**

### 8.1 ACCESSORY BUILDINGS AND USES

- (1) No person shall construct or utilize an accessory building except in compliance with this section.
- (2) All accessory buildings shall be located at least 2.0 m from any principal building, unless under 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and on a non-permanent foundation
- (3) An accessory building shall not be used as a dwelling unit. and shall not contain sanitation facilities.
- (4) An accessory building that contains sanitation facilities shall contain a sump and be designed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (5) An accessory building shall not be constructed within the required front yard setback area of any district.
- (6) Accessory buildings shall be constructed with exterior finish materials that compliment those of the principal building.
- (7) An accessory building shall not be located on an easement or utility right-of-way.
- (8) An accessory building shall not be developed or approved on a lot prior to the issuance of a development permit for the principal building or use on the lot.
- (9) Decks, balconies, sunrooms and the like shall not be constructed on top of an accessory building unless the setbacks of the accessory building comply with the allowable setbacks for the principal building in that district.
- (10) Accessory buildings under 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> in size and decks which are uncovered, and the walking surface is less than 60 cm (2 feet) above grade do not have to meet the setback requirements for the District in which is it located.
- (11) An accessory building, over 13.4m<sup>2</sup>, is required to meet the setback requirements for the District in which it is located.
- (12) Any building or use which is accessory to a lawful use in any land use designation is deemed to be permitted in all land use districts in Part 12.

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### 8.2 AIR SUPPORTED AND FABRIC-COVERED STRUCTURES

- (1) All air supported and fabric-covered structures over 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and will be erected for more than (3) three days require a development permit.
- (2) Air supported and Fabric-Covered Structures used for recreational purposes will be permitted as a discretionary main building.
- (3) All other Air Supported and Fabric-Covered Structures will be permitted as a discretionary accessory building.

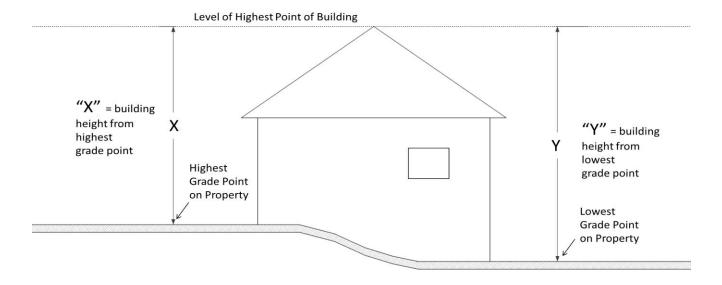
### 8.3 BARE LAND CONDOMINIUM

- (1) Structures constructed on bare land condominium units shall comply with the general regulations of this bylaw, including the regulations for the land use district in which the unit is located.
- (2) For the purposes of this Bylaw, a bare land condominium plan is a plan of subdivision.

### 8.4 BUILDING HEIGHT

- (1) If the height of a building is required to be measured or determined, it shall be measured by calculating the average vertical distance between the natural grade, or the average natural grade in the case of a sloping grade, and the highest point of the building as determined under Subsection (2).
- (2) In determining the highest points of a building, the following structures shall not be considered to be part of the building: an elevator housing; mechanical housing; roof stairway entrance; ventilations; a skylight; a steeple; a smokestack; a parapet wall, or a flagpole or similar device not structurally essential to the building.

### FIGURE 8.4.1 – BUILDING HEIGHT CALCULATIONS



Height Average = (X+Y)/2

### 8.5 CORNER AND DOUBLE FRONTING PARCELS

- (1) In all districts, a site abutting onto two streets or more shall have a front yard setback on each street in accordance with the front yard regulations of this Bylaw.
- (2) In all cases, the location of building on corner sites shall be subject to approval of the Development Authority who may, at their discretion, relax the front yard setback requirements taking into account the location of existing adjacent buildings or the permitted setback on adjacent sites where a building does not exist.
- (3) On corner parcels contiguous to a highway the Alberta Infrastructure Highway "Minimum Site Triangle" Design Guidelines shall apply.

### 8.6 CURB CUTS

- (1) The nearest edge of a proposed curb cut to the nearest curbline of the street intersection shall not be less than 12.0 m.
- (2) The maximum width of the curb cut shall not exceed 9.1 m in industrial districts and 6.0 m in all other districts, unless otherwise specified by the Development Authority for reasons of public safety or convenience.

# 8.7 DESIGN, CHARACTER AND APPEARANCE OF BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES

- (1) The purpose of this Section is to provide the Town with controls and guidance in order to ensure that aesthetically attractive and compatible development is provided throughout the Town.
- (2) The quality of exterior treatment and design of all buildings shall be to the satisfaction of the Development Authority for permitted uses and discretionary uses.
- (3) Pursuant to Subsection (2), the Development Authority shall consider, but not be limited to the following criteria when evaluating the design, character and appearance of development proposals in all Districts.
  - (a) General Guidelines:
    - (i) The design, character and appearance of all buildings must be compatible with any other buildings existing in the vicinity unless the building is setting a new standard of design and character for the land use district or a particular location of it;
    - (ii) The design of the building or development must be consistent with the purpose and intent of the land use district in which it is located;
    - (iii) The building shall comply with any provisions of a statutory plan or architectural control guidelines adopted by Council.
  - (b) Guidelines for Commercial and Industrial Development:
    - The harsh contrasts of very large or massive buildings mixed with small buildings can be softened by using similar sizes and shapes of massing elements, like roof lines, exterior design and treatment;
    - (ii) Blank, unfinished walls give a very bland appearance to the streetscape. Particular attention should be given to reduce large vacant spaces between buildings which are left open to public view;
    - (iii) Rooftop mechanical equipment should be hidden from view from public streets and from adjacent buildings;

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- (iv) Utility installations and buildings should be located in such a manner so as to be compatible with adjacent buildings and development. This may be achieved by placing utility installations within buildings wherever possible, or development utility buildings which blend into the surrounding area;
- (v) Natural features are an important part of the urban environment and should be given a high priority in developing a site. This may be achieved by preserving existing trees wherever possible;
- (vi) Corner sites at the intersection of major streets should be given special consideration. Sight lines for drivers and more pedestrian space are features which should be incorporated into the design of buildings on corner lots;
- (vii) Buildings should provide weather protective overhangs at outdoor pedestrian areas and at building entrances. The overhangs can be achieved through the use of cantilevers, awnings and canopies;
- (viii) Long buildings along the street front should include a public route through the building which can be accessed by pedestrians to parking areas or simply to reduce having to walk around the building;
- (ix) Large pedestrian areas or parcels should be designed for safety and at a pedestrian scale. The combination of landscaping and pedestrian walkway connections from the parking area to the shopping areas can act as a windbreak, slow the traffic in the parking area, and soften the harsh visual impact of large asphalt areas;
- (x) The site illumination of commercial and industrial sites should not shine into residential windows;
- (xi) On-site parking, loading and shipping areas are less attractive elements of a streetscape and should be hidden from public roadways by buildings, screening and landscaping;
- (xii) Outdoor storage and garbage collection areas are generally unsightly and undesirable elements from public roadways and should be screened or hidden behind buildings. Existing storage and garbage collection areas should be screened from roadways by using berms, walls and landscaping.
- (c) Guidelines for Residential Development:
  - (i) Visual privacy of internal living space and areas should be maintained in new and existing developments. The use of berms, landscaping and the orientation of the dwellings and the living space windows can improve the visual privacy between developments;
  - (ii) Identical or similar housing styles, models, designs and colors should be discouraged. The same housing color, design or treatment should not be used for any more than three adjacent dwellings;
  - (iii) Corner lot houses should be generally lower lying houses as height and mass is emphasized beside a void such as a road.

- (iv) Any accessory building built on a lot, such as a detached garage or garden shed should be of proportional mass, roof line and treatment as the principal building.
- (v) Developments should be encouraged to possess good proportion in the front elevations through the use of such elements as dormers, bay windows, shutters, brickwork, roof lines and variations of window sizes.

### 8.8 DEVELOPMENTS ON OR NEAR SLOPES

- (1) Notwithstanding the yard requirements prescribed in the land use districts, no permanent buildings shall be permitted within 20.0 m of the top of the bank of any waterbody and no development shall be permitted within 20.0 m of the top or bottom of an escarpment bank or slope where the grade exceeds 15% (fifteen percent).
- (2) The Development Authority may require greater setback than is prescribed in Section 8.7(1).
- (3) Notwithstanding that a proposed development conforms in all respects with this Bylaw, including Sections 8.7(1) and 8.7(2), where the application is for development on lands that are or may be subject to subsidence, the Development Authority shall not issue a development permit unless the applicant can demonstrate that preventative engineering and construction measures can be instituted to make the parcel suitable for the proposed development.
- (4) Subject to Section 8.7(3), the Development Authority may, at their discretion, reduce the setback requirements established pursuant to Sections 8.7(1) and 8.7(2) if the applicant provides satisfactory proof of bank stability.

### 8.9 DEVELOPMENTS NEAR WATER

(1) Notwithstanding 8.13, the Development Authority may require reports to be submitted by qualified consultants to help determine the setback distance from water bodies. The setback may be reduced if supported by a report submitted by a qualified engineer.

#### 8.10 DWELLING UNITS ON A PARCEL

- (1) The number of dwelling units allowed on any single parcel shall be one, except where additional dwellings are:
  - (a) Contained in a building designed for, or divided into, two or more dwelling units and is located in a land use district which permits multiple units; and

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(b) A building defined in the Condominium Property Act (Chapter C-22, R.S.A. 2000) and all regulations and amendments thereto and is the subject of an approved condominium plan registered under that Act.

### 8.11 EMERGENCY ACCESS TO BUILDINGS

- (1) Sites shall be so designed that, in the opinion of the Development Authority, appropriate access for firefighting equipment is afforded to all buildings, moreover,
  - (a) In the case of industrial, commercial, multiple family, or public or quasi-public sites, the distance between the fire hydrant and any driveway or access point shall be a minimum of 3.0 m. In the case of single family sites, the distance between the fire hydrant and any driveway or access point shall be a minimum of 1.85m; and
  - (b) No person shall in any manner obstruct the fire access to any hydrant, valve or curb stop. No vehicle, building, structure, or vegetation higher than 0.5 m, shall be placed within 1.5 m from a hydrant.
- (2) On at least two sides, one of which shall be the longest side, of any building used as an apartment building and which exceeds two storeys in height, there shall be firm level areas accessible for firefighting equipment for at least 75% (seventy five percent) of the length of each of the two sides of the building. Such areas shall not be less than 4.25 m in width and not more than 3.0 m from the building, and no permanent structure or vehicular parking shall be permitted thereon.
- (3) A lane or lanes for the purpose of permitting the access of firefighting equipment to all major access points of shopping centre buildings shall be provided, and no permanent structures or vehicular parking may be permitted thereon.

### 8.12 COUNTRY ESTATE RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT

- (1) The size of a lot for an estate residential use shall be the minimum required to accommodate the proposed use as determined by the Development Authority and shall not be less than 0.4 ha or greater than 2.0 ha in size.
- (2) Estate residential development shall not be permitted within an area likely to be subject to hazards or high levels of noise, dust or odours from industrial, transportation or intensive agricultural operations or intensive livestock operations.
- (3) No subdivision shall be allowed and no development permit shall be issued for an estate residential use, until the Town has first reclassified the land to the Estate Residential District.
- (4) Each estate residential lot shall be connected to municipal sewer and water facilities.

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### 8.13 EXCAVATION, STRIPPING AND GRADING

- (1) For the purpose of this Section, excavation shall mean excavation other than for construction or building purposed, including, but not limited to, sand and gravel mining, topsoil stripping, and construction of artificial bodies of water.
- (2) An applicant for a development permit for the excavation, stripping or grading of land, which is proposed without any other development on the same land, shall include with his or her application the following information:
  - (a) Location of the lot, including the municipal address if any, and legal description;
  - (b) The area of the lot on which the development is proposed;
  - (c) The type of excavation, stripping or grading proposed, showing the dimensions of the operation or the area of the land and depth to which the topsoil is to be removed;
  - (d) Location on the lot where the excavation, stripping or grading is to be made on the lot; and
  - (e) The condition in which the excavation, stripping or grading is to be left when the operation is complete or the use of the area from which the topsoil is removed.
- (3) Where, in the process of development, areas require levelling, filling, or grading, the topsoil shall be removed before work commences, stockpiled, coverage of 0.15 m shall be provided upon occupancy of the development, and the affected area shall be graded and landscaped to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.

### 8.14 EXISTING SUBSTANDARD LOTS

(1) Development on existing substandard lots may be considered by the Development Authority who shall have due regard for compliance with the Safety Codes Act and its regulations prior to granting approval.

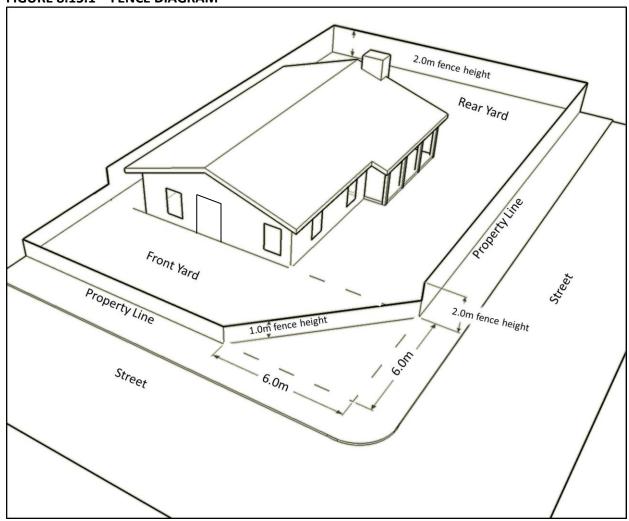
#### 8.15 FENCES

- (1) In any district, except as herein provided,
  - (a) No fence shall be constructed that is located on public property;
  - (b) No fence shall be constructed that is:
    - (i) For internal lots, no higher than 2.0 m for that portion of the fence that does not extend beyond the foremost portion of the principal building on the site and 1.0 m for that portion of the fence that does extend beyond the foremost portion of the principal building on the lot;

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- (ii) For corner lots, no higher than 2.0 m for that portion of fence that does not extend beyond the foremost portion of the principal building abutting the front yard on the narrow frontage and 2.0 m on the property line on the front yard abutting a public road and lane if, in the opinion of the Development Authority, it will not prejudice the safety and amenities of the adjoining lots;
- (iii) In the case of corner lots, no person shall construct a fence or other screening, including landscaping, more than 1.0 m high within the triangular area 6.0 m back from the intersecting front boundary lines of the lot, regardless of whether or not a corner cut-off has been taken; and
- (iv) Where lots have both their front and rear yards facing onto a street, special approval of the Development Authority must be obtained prior to the erection of any fences on such properties. Size and specifications for fences in these areas must conform with the overall standard set for the area by the Town.
- (2) Apartments or row houses adjacent to a single detached residential dwelling shall provide a wooden fence, or other such screening approved by the Development Authority, of not more than 2.0 m in height along the side abutting the single detached dwelling;
- (3) In the case of commercial, public and quasi-public uses abutting a residential area, a solid fence shall be provided of at least 1.5 m in height and no higher than 2.0 m along the sides abutting the residential area;
- (4) Notwithstanding Subsection (2) above, the maximum height of a fence in an Industrial or Urban Reserve District shall be determined by the Development Authority. Where a fence has been permitted to be higher than 2.0 m in an Industrial or Urban Reserve District, no barbed wire fences shall be permitted below a height of 2.0 m. This requirement may be relaxed by the Development Authority at his/her discretion in an area where residences would not be in close proximity to the fence proposed;
- (5) No electrification of fences shall be permitted; and
- (6) No barbed wire fences shall be permitted in residential districts.

### FIGURE 8.15.1 - FENCE DIAGRAM



### 8.16 FLOODPLAIN DEVELOPMENT

- (1) Notwithstanding Subsection 8.13 no new development or the expansion of existing development shall be allowed within the 1:100 year flood plain of any watercourse or water body as determined by Alberta Environment.
- (2) Development Permit Applications where a portion of a parcel in the 1:100 year floodplain, shall be accompanied by the following information requirements:
  - (a) Elevation of the site as prepared by a qualified surveyor or engineer;
  - (b) Proposed elevation of main floor of residential buildings as prepared by a qualified surveyor or engineer; and
  - (c) A statement and/or analysis, which demonstrates the suitability of the development to the site as compared to other locations on the parcel.

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### 8.17 LANDSCAPING

- (1) As a condition of the development permit, all landscaping and planting required must be carried out to the satisfaction of the Development Authority, and within one year of occupancy or commencement of operation of the proposed development. All plant material shall be hardy to the Town of Rimbey.
- (2) The Development Authority may require that landscaping and/or screening is provided in conjunction with any development, and is addressed as part of the Development Permit application. The intent of landscaping and screening is to contribute to a reasonable standard of appearance for developments, to provide a positive overall image for the Town.
- (3) Landscaping and screening requirements may be applied to commercial and industrial uses.
- (4) Garbage and waste material must be stored in weather and animal proof containers and screened from adjacent sites and public thoroughfares.
- (5) On corner parcels, setbacks for landscaping and fencing must be in accordance with Section 8.2.
- (6) Prior to issuing a development permit the Development Authority may require submission of a detailed landscape plan to a standard satisfactory to the Development Authority, outlining at a minimum the following:
  - (a) The location of the trees and shrubs to be planted, including distance between trees and the anticipated full growth radius at maturity;
  - (b) The number of trees and shrubs to be planted; and
  - (c) The common name of the trees and shrubs to be planted.
- (7) In addition to the landscaping standards specified in each Land Use District the Development Authority may require the applicant of any development permit to:
  - (a) Retain any natural feature in its original state including, but not limited to, the following:
    - (i) Any water feature, including swamps, gullies and drainage courses;
    - (ii) Land with a natural gradient of 15% or greater;
    - (iii) Land subject to flooding by a 1:100 year flood;
    - (iv) Land located within a minimum distance as determined by the Development Authority from the top of bank of any river, stream, creek, lake or other body of water;
    - (v) Any land deemed unstable by the Development Authority.
    - (vi) Conserve trees, shrubs or any other natural vegetation to the maximum extent possible.

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- (vii) Screen any objectionable effect or potential objectionable effect from adjacent properties;
- (viii) Retain topsoil on the site;
- (ix) Enhance the site by adding topsoil, grass, rock, gravel, vegetation or other landscaping materials to complement the appearance of the site and the character of the neighbourhood; and
- (x) Restricting the amount and location of hard surfacing on the site.
- (8) Trees and Shrubs provided for landscaping shall meet the following minimum requirements:
  - (a) A minimum height of 1.8 m (6.0 ft.) for coniferous trees;
  - (b) A minimum height of 0.46 m (1.5 ft.) for coniferous shrubs;
  - (c) A minimum caliper width of 5.08 cm (2 in) at 0.46 m (1.5 ft.) above ground level for deciduous trees; and
  - (d) A minimum height of 0.61 m (2 ft.) for deciduous shrubs.
- (9) Unless otherwise specified in this Bylaw a minimum of thirty-three percent (33%) of the total amount of trees and shrubs provided shall be coniferous.
- (10) All trees shall be separated a minimum distance from each other to allow sufficient space for the tree's maximum potential growth radius at maturity and to ensure healthy, uninhibited growth.
- (11) All landscaping requirements must be completed within one (1) year of completion of construction or the commencement of the use, whichever occurs first.
- (12) The owner of the property, or his/her assignees or successor(s), shall be responsible for the proper up keep and maintenance of the required landscaping. If the required landscaping does not survive, the applicant/owner must replace it with a similar type of species and with a similar caliper, width and height or to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (13) The Development Authority may, as a condition of a development permit, require submission of a security up to the value of the estimated cost of providing the proposed landscaping to ensure that such landscaping is carried out with reasonable diligence. The condition of the security is that, if the landscaping is not completed in accordance with this Bylaw and development permit within one (1) growing season after completion of the development, then the specified security amount shall be made available to the Town to use to ensure the landscaping is installed according to the Town's standards.
- (14) A minimum of 30% soft surfaced green landscaped features (i.e. grass, shrubs and trees) shall be maintained in all residential front yards.
- (15) Development Permits are required for all retaining walls over 60 cm (2 feet).

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### 8.18 LIMITED ACCESS TO MAJOR ROADS

- (1) No access for vehicles will be permitted from an arterial road as designated by the Municipal Development Plan, or Area Structure Plans to:
  - (a) Any residential site, unless the access serves three or more dwelling units; or
  - (b) Any site, unless turning space is provided on the site such that vehicles entering upon the site may turn before re-entering the street; or
  - (c) Any site where, in the opinion of the Development Authority, there would be an excessive number of access points approved by Alberta Transportation.
- (2) Access to Highways 20, 20A and 53 shall be limited to arterial roads, collector and services roads, and where no service roads are provided, access shall be limited to those access points approved by Alberta Transportation.

### 8.19 OBJECTIONABLE ITEMS IN YARDS

- (1) No person shall keep or permit in any part of a yard in any residential district:
  - (a) Any dismantled or wrecked vehicle for more than fourteen (14) successive days; or
  - (b) Any object or chattel which, in the opinion of the Development Authority, is unsightly or tends to adversely affect the amenities of the district; or
  - (c) Any excavation, storage or piling up of materials required during the construction stage unless all necessary safety measures are undertaken, and the owner of such materials or excavations assumes full responsibility to ensure the situation does not prevail any longer than reasonably necessary to complete a particular stage of construction work; or
  - (d) Any vehicle not parked on a prepared hard surface (i.e. concrete pad or gravel) in the front yard; or
  - (e) A commercial vehicle loaded or unloaded of a maximum weight in excess of 2000 kg; or
  - (f) A commercial vehicle in a front yard; or
  - (g) A recreational vehicle in the front yard of a laned subdivision.
  - (h) Contravene the Town of Rimbey Nuisance Community Standards Bylaw.
- (2) No person maintaining more than one recreation vehicle or more than two (2) motor vehicles in a residential district shall allow them to be kept in a manner which, in the opinion of the Development Authority is unsightly or tends to adversely affect the amenities of the district.
- (3) In commercial districts garbage shall be stored in weatherproof containers screened from adjacent sites and public thoroughfares to the satisfaction of the Development Authority and shall be in a location easily accessible for pickup.

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#### 8.20 ON-SITE AND OFF-SITE SERVICES AND IMPROVEMENTS

- (1) Where any on-site services or improvements, or any off-site local improvements are required to service a proposed development, a person shall not begin the excavation for the foundation nor commence the development until the Development Authority or is satisfied that such services will be provided or improvements will be undertaken.
- (2) No development permit shall be issued for a development to be served by private sewer and water systems until the systems have been approved by the appropriate Municipal or Provincial authorities having jurisdiction.

### 8.21 PROJECTIONS OVER YARDS

- (1) The following encroachments into required front, side and rear yard setbacks in land use districts may be permitted for canopies, balconies, eaves, box-outs, chimneys, gutters, sills, steps/stairs, and, in addition, cantilevers may be permitted to encroach into the front and rear yards only:
  - (a) Front Yard: 2.0 m for balconies; and 1.0 m for cantilevers, eaves, gutters, landings, and window sills (see Figure 8.20.1).
  - (b) Rear Yard: 2.0 m for balconies; and 1.0 m for box-outs, cantilevers, eaves, gutters, landings, and window sills (see Figure 8.20.2).
  - (c) Side Yard (Interior): 1.0 m for balconies; and 0.6 m for box-outs, eaves, gutters, landings and window sills (see Figure 8.20.1).
  - (d) Side Yard (Exterior): 1.0 m for balconies; and 0.6 m for box-outs, cantilevers, eaves, gutters, landings and window sills (see Figure 8.20.2).
- (2) For multi-attached dwellings, balconies and decks may be extended to the lot line or common wall, provided that the common wall is extended for separation/privacy.
- (3) No projection will be permitted if, in the opinion of the Development Authority, it may interfere with a loading space, parking area, driveway, or other vehicle or pedestrian circulation or access.
- (4) No projection will be permitted into the side yard required for vehicular access to the rear yard, unless a minimum vertical height of 3.0 m from finished grade to the lowest point of the projection is maintained.
- (5) The projection length limitations are as follows:
  - (a) The individual projection maximum length shall not exceed 3.0 m; and

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b) The sum of all projections maximum length shall not exceed one-third (1/3) of the length of the building wall (not including the garage walls). This does not apply to front or rear yards.

FIGURE 8.21.1: PERMITTED PROJECTIONS - FRONT AND INTERIOR SIDE YARD SETBACKS

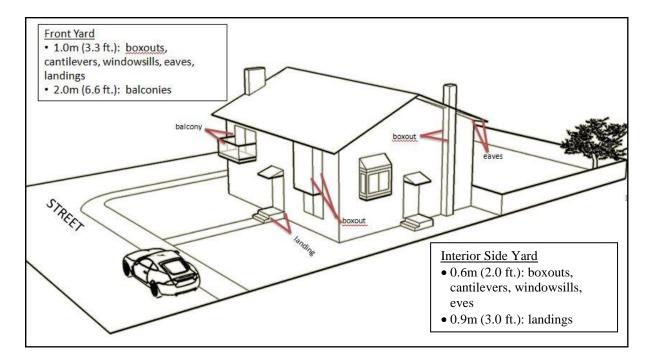
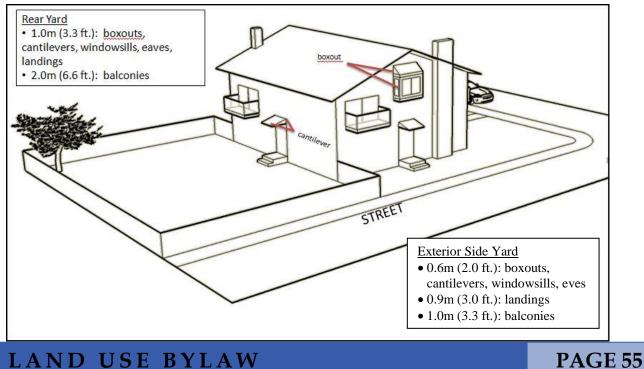


FIGURE 8.21.2: PERMITTED PROJECTIONS – REAR AND EXTERIOR SIDE YARD SETBACK



#### 8.22 PUBLIC LANDS AND TOWN BOULEVARDS

- (1) There shall be no unauthorized encroachments onto municipal property, including parks and road rights-of-way. Where an encroachment exists without Town approval, the owner shall be required to remove the encroachment at his/her own expense, or seek permission from the Town CAO or Council for the encroachment to remain.
  - (a) There shall be no encroachments into Alberta Transportation Highway Right-Of-Ways without written approval from Alberta Transportation.
- (2) All developments on lands owned by the Town of Rimbey shall not require a development permit.
- (3) Notwithstanding Subsection (1) above, the owner(s) of a lot may develop the boulevard abutting their property by excavating, backfilling, levelling or consolidating to final grade, and seed or perform other works that may be necessary to develop a turf boulevard provided that all work shall be entirely at the owner's expense.
- (4) Any development, planting or other development not authorized by a development permit shall be done at the owner's risk, and any damage to municipal services caused by the growth, removal or maintenance of such development shall be the responsibility of the owner.
- (5) Every owner or occupant of land shall be responsible for maintaining any development allowed under this Section, and for controlling the weeds on boulevards owned by the Town abutting their property.

### 8.23 PUBLIC UTILITY BUILDINGS AND EASEMENTS

- (1) Notwithstanding other regulations in this Bylaw, a person erecting a public utility facility or placing utility equipment on a site shall cause it to be placed in a location and with yard setbacks which are satisfactory to the Development Authority.
- (2) Utility lots, utility buildings and publicly owned buildings may be permitted in any district except as specifically regulated elsewhere in this bylaw.
- (3) Subject to the conditions of a utility easement, no permanent structure other than a fence shall be constructed or placed on that utility easement unless:
  - (a) In the opinion of the Development Authority the said structure does not restrict access to the utility easement for the purpose of installation and maintenance of the utility; and
  - (b) Written consent has been obtained from the person whose use the easement has been granted.

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#### 8.24 RELOCATION OF BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES

- (1) No person shall:
  - (a) Place on a lot a building which has previously been erected or placed on a different lot; or
  - (b) Alter the location on a lot of a building which has already been constructed on that lot,
  - (c) Unless the Development Authority approves the placement or alteration.
- (2) An approval shall not be granted under Subsection (1) above unless the Development Authority is satisfied that:
  - (a) The placement or location of the building would meet the requirements of the Bylaw; and
  - (b) The building and the lot meet the requirements of this Bylaw and the land use district in which it is proposed to be located.
- (3) Before considering any application for a Moved-in Building and in addition to the requirements of Section 8.22(1) and Section 8.22(2), the Development Official shall require a development permit application that includes:
  - (a) Recent colour photographs of all elevations including additions;
  - (b) A statement of the age, size, and structural condition of the building; and
  - (c) Documentation from a certified safety code officer that the building meets the requirements of the Safety Codes Act or, if it does not, how the building will be brought up to these requirements.
- (4) As a condition of issuing a development permit approval for a Moved-In Building, the Development Authority shall require a letter of undertaking (agreement) and the posting of security in the form of an irrevocable letter of credit or cash, in the amount of the total estimated costs to relocate the building, to be provided prior to the issuance of a building permit and the building being moved on site. This security will ensure that any required modifications to the design, construction, siting, finishing and cladding of the relocated building are completed.
- (5) The conditions shall be completed within one year of the issuance of the development permit, as determined by the Development Authority.
- (6) The security will be released once all the conditions have been completed by the applicant to the satisfaction of the Development Authority, and are met within the time frame as set out in the development permit.

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- (7) Upon expiry of the Development Permit, if the required work has not been completed to Town's satisfaction, the Town may use the security to have the work completed and bring the building into compliance.
- (8) The applicant shall be advised not less than 30 days prior to the expiration time set out in the development permit, that action will be undertaken by the Town to use the security in completing the required renovations if they have not been completed by the expiration date. Only Council may direct Administration to delay action to complete the requirements of the permit.

#### 8.25 RESIDENTIAL AND INDUSTRIAL USES ADJACENT

- (13) In considering subdivision or development permit applications for residential uses adjacent to existing industrial developments or industrial uses adjacent to existing residential developments, the Development Authority may impose conditions addressing:
  - (a) Providing proper services and access to the site,
  - (b) Screening, aesthetics and landscaping,
  - (c) Control of signage,
  - (d) Noise control,
  - (e) A development agreement, with the need to provide security, and
  - (f) Any other issue deemed necessary by the Development Authority.

### **8.26 TEMPORARY STRUCTURES**

- (1) A temporary structure may not be erected without permission of the Development Authority which may be granted as follows:
  - (a) In a residential district provided that:
    - (i) No such temporary structure shall be more than 3.0 metres in height or set back less than 1 metre from the side and rear property lines; and
    - (ii) The owner enters into an agreement to remove such a structure in accordance with the terms and conditions stipulated by the Development Authority;
    - (iii) There shall be no more than one temporary structure per site;
    - (iv) A temporary structure must be placed in the rear yard only;
    - (v) In the case of a pre-manufactured temporary structure, the elevations shall be subject to approval of the Development Authority; and
    - (vi) The structure is completed in accordance with the terms stipulated by the Development Authority, provided that the temporary structure development permit shall expire at the end of one year, unless renewed by the Development Authority for a further term, and that such temporary structure must comply with this Bylaw.
- (2) Temporary Structures include, but are not limited to:

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- (a) Portable Storage Containers, including c-cans;
- (b) Tent Garages.
- (3) If an owner fails to comply with the terms and conditions of a temporary structure development permit, the Development Authority may remove or cause to be removed such structure as the case may be, the costs of which shall be charged against the lands upon which the temporary structure is situated and shall be payable by the owner to the Town on demand.
- (4) A temporary structure shall not be used as a dwelling.

### PART 9 – SPECIFIC USE REGULATIONS

### 9.1 BED AND BREAKFAST ESTABLISHMENTS

- (1) Bed and Breakfast Accommodation shall be reviewed as Home Business permit.
- (2) All persons operating bed and breakfast facilities must provide evidence of compliance with municipal, provincial and/or federal regulations in regard to their operation.
- (3) A bed and breakfast is an accessory use to a main residential use.
- (4) A Development Authority may permit a Bed and Breakfast Accommodation use only if in the opinion of the Development Authority it will:
  - (a) Be restricted to the dwelling unit;
  - (b) Not change the principal character or external appearance of the dwelling involved; except where minimal exterior modification of the structure or grounds are compatible with the character of the area or neighborhood and pursuant to a Development Permit;
  - (c) Not create a nuisance by way of noise, parking or traffic generation;
  - (d) Not employ anyone but the residents of the dwelling;
  - (e) Be limited to one (1) identification sign no more than 0.3 m<sup>2</sup> in size and displayed from within the establishment;
  - (f) Not occupy more than three (3) bedrooms;
  - (g) Be limited to one meal provided on a daily basis to registered guests only; and
  - (h) One on-site parking stall shall be provided for each bedroom provided for compensation and shall meet the signage requirements of this Bylaw.

### 9.2 CANNABIS PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION FACILITY

- (1) Cannabis facilities must have a licence issued by the Health Canada.
- (2) The following regulations apply to cannabis facilities:
  - (a) An ancillary building or structure used for security purposes may be located on the parcel containing the use as an accessory building which meets the regulations of this Land Use Bylaw.
  - (b) Facilities must include equipment designed and intended to remove odours from the air where it is discharged from the facility as part of a ventilation system.
  - (c) Facilities must not be within 100 metres of a residential district measured from the building containing the use to the nearest property line of a parcel designated as a residential district.

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- (3) An application for a Development Permit for Cannabis Production and Distribution Facility requires a Development Permit shall be made to the Development Authority and shall include reports prepared by the appropriate professionals for the following:
  - (a) the incineration of waste products and air borne emission, including smell;
  - (b) the quantity and characteristics of liquid and waste material discharged by the facility;
  - (c) the method and location of collection and disposal of liquid and waste material.
  - (d) Additional information as required by the Development Authority.
- (4) The operator of a Cannabis Production and Distribution Facility must ensure that nuisances, including odour, are addressed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.

### 9.3 CANNABIS RETAIL SALES

- (1) Cannabis stores and where all cannabis that is offered for sale or sold must be from a federally approved and licensed facility.
- (2) Cannabis stores must be licensed by the Alberta Government.
- (3) Cannabis stores must be a stand-alone use, which means it cannot be combined with another use, such as a convenience store. However, cannabis stores can occur in a multitenant building or as part of a mixed-use development.
- (4) The operator of a Cannabis Retail Sales must ensure that nuisances, including odour, are addressed to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (5) Cannabis stores shall not be located within 100 metres of any other Cannabis Store, when measured from the closest point of a parcel of land containing a Cannabis Store to the closest point of another parcel of land containing a Cannabis Store with the following exceptions:
  - (a) A proposed cannabis store is at the same location as an existing retail store that currently sells cannabis-related paraphernalia as its main merchandise,
  - (b) There is only one other cannabis store within the minimum separation distance,
  - (c) A proposed cannabis store is located on a different street or on the opposite side of the same street as the existing cannabis store,
  - (d) A major road, expressway or river separates the proposed cannabis store from the existing cannabis store,
  - (e) A proposed cannabis store is located in an enclosed shopping centre, or
  - (f) An existing approved cannabis store proposes to relocate to a new location within 100 metres of its original location, provided that it does not move within the separation distance of a different cannabis store.
- (6) Cannabis stores shall not abut a Liquor Store.

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- (7) Cannabis stores shall not be located within 100 metres of the following:
  - (a) A building containing a public school, private school, or a boundary of the parcel of land which the facility is located, or
  - (b) All properties which are designated as School Reserve or municipal and school reserve on the certificate of title.
  - (c) A provincial health care facility, or a boundary of the parcel of land on which the facility is located, or
  - (d) Emergency shelter.

#### 9.4 CHILD CARE FACILITIES AND FAMILY DAY HOMES

- (1) Child Care Facilities:
  - (a) Shall follow the Child Care Licensing Regulations that may provide programming for the social, creative, educational and physical development of children;
  - (b) Shall have privacy screening or other buffering techniques designed to limit impact on other uses or the surrounding residential properties;
  - (c) In any Residential District:
    - (i) Shall not change the principal character or external appearance of the dwelling in which it is located;
    - (ii) Shall have an outdoor play area designed and secured according to Provincial regulations and must be shown on the plan submitted for a development permit; and
    - (iii) Shall provide parking according to the regulations outlined in *Part 10 Parking & Loading Facilities* of this Bylaw. In addition, a drop-off area shall be provided at the rate of one (1) drop-off space for every five (5) children, or at the discretion of the Development Authority.
- (2) A Family Day Home/ After School Care:
  - (a) shall not be located in a dwelling unit containing another Home Business;
  - (b) require privacy screening that prevents visual intrusion into any outdoor play areas; and

### 9.5 GAS BAR

- (1) Must not have a canopy that exceeds 5.0 m in height when measured from grade;
- (2) Must have fully recessed canopy lighting;
- (3) May have an outdoor display of products related to the use, provided they are within 4.5 m of the building entrance or on gas pump islands;

### 9.6 HOME OCCUPATIONS

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- (1) All home businesses shall:
  - (a) require a development permit; and,
  - (b) be considered temporary uses.
- (2) Only one Home Business permit shall be issued per residence. Multiple Home Businesses may be allowed under the single permit provided that the requirements are not exceeded by the combined businesses.
- (3) Uses that are not considered Home Businesses include, but are not limited to:
  - (a) Adult Entertainment Facilities;
  - (b) Auto Body and Paint Shop, Auto Detailing Facility, Automotive, Equipment and Vehicle Services, Automotive Services, and Automotive Specialty;
  - (c) Cannabis Retail Sales, Cannabis Production and Distribution;
  - (d) Child Care Facilities;
  - (e) Escort Services; or
  - (f) Veterinary services.
- (4) The Development Authority has the discretion to refuse a Home Business permit application if the proposed use would be better suited in a commercial or industrial district.
- (5) All home occupations shall comply with the following general regulations:
  - (a) All home occupations shall be operated as a secondary use only and shall not change the principal character and external appearance of the dwelling in which it is located.
  - (b) One professionally manufactured non-illuminated fascia sign or nameplate to identify a home occupation not greater than 0.3 square metres (3.2 square feet) in an area placed within the dwelling unit or any accessory building is permitted.
  - (c) A home occupation, whether or not a development permit has been issued, shall be reviewed by the Development Officer, when complaints are registered against a home occupation by an affected landowner. A development permit issued for a home occupation is liable to recall and cancellation on the basis of non-compliance on 60 days notice.
- (6) Home occupations shall meet all the requirements of 8.5(5) and shall comply with the following regulations:
  - (a) The home occupation shall be operated by the permanent resident(s) of the principal dwelling and shall employ no more than one non-resident, on-site employee.
  - (b) There shall be no more than four (4) home occupation clients or customers on site during any period of 24 hours for a minor home business.
  - (c) The home occupation shall not occupy more than 30% of the gross floor area of the principal dwelling.

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- (d) Any storage of materials or goods related to the home occupation must be located within the principal dwelling and/or accessory structure and no exterior storage is permitted.
- (e) The home occupation shall have no more than two (2) home occupation vehicles used in conjunction with the home occupation, parked and maintained on site. There shall be no heavy vehicles (> 4,500 kg or 9,900 lbs) parked on-site of a home occupation.

### 9.7 KENNEL REGULATIONS

- (1) An Animal Shelter, Veterinary Clinic, Veterinary Hospital or Commercial Kennel may need to provide soundproofing pens, rooms, exercise runs, or holding stalls to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (2) An Animal Shelter, Veterinary Clinic, Veterinary Hospital or Commercial Kennel shall meet public health regulations and be kept in a manner satisfactory to the health regulatory authority.
- (3) Commercial Kennel, including any outdoor runs or exercise areas shall be located a minimum of 3m from any Property Line.
- (4) Commercial Kennel including any outdoor runs or exercise areas may be required to be visually screened from existing dwellings on adjoining parcels to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (5) All exterior exercise areas (runs) shall be enclosed with a fence acceptable to the Development Authority with a minimum Height of 1.8 m.
- (6) All exterior exercise areas (runs) shall be sited behind the Principal building.
- (7) The Development Authority may regulate the hours that the animals are allowed outdoors.

### 9.8 MANUFACTURED HOMES

- (1) Development Permits for a Manufactured home units shall have:
  - (a) Third party certification from an accredited inspection agency including the Canadian Standard Association (CSA), Intertek or Quality Auditing Institute (QAI).
  - (b) Alberta Municipal Affairs Label.
  - (c) Model number.
  - (d) Manufactured home unit serial number.
- (2) All accessory structures, such as patios, porches, additions and skirtings, shall be
  - (a) Factory-prefabricated units or the equivalent thereof, and so designed and erected as to harmonize with the manufactured home units,
  - (b) Considered as part of the main building, and

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- (c) Erected only after obtaining a Development Permit.
- (3) A manufactured home unit shall be skirted from the floor level to the ground level. The skirting shall compliment the external finish of the manufactured home unit.
- (4) The maximum permitted floor area of porches and additions shall be no more than 50% of the floor area of the manufactured home unit.
- (5) No accessory building or use, other than parking spaces, shall be located in the front yard of a manufactured home unit.
- (6) Furniture, domestic equipment, or seasonally-used equipment shall be stored in adequate covered storage or screened area, either individually on the stall or lot or communally, which storage facility shall conform to the regulations passed under the Safety Codes Act.
- (7) The following regulations apply to all manufactured home units:
  - (a) The hitch and wheels are to be removed from the manufactured home unit.
  - (b) All manufactured home units shall be placed on a foundation or base.
  - (c) The lot or stall is to be fully landscaped within one (1) year from the date of issuance of the development permit for the manufactured home unit.
- (8) The following regulations also apply to manufactured home parks developed after 2015:
  - (a) The stalls shall be located at least 3.0 m from a property boundary line. This 3.0 m wide strip shall be landscaped and/or fenced to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
  - (b) All roadways shall be constructed and maintained to the satisfaction of the Development Authority. Minimum right-of-way width shall be 12 m with a paved carriage way of at least 8 m.
  - (c) A safe, convenient, all season pedestrian walkway of at least 1.0 m in width shall be provided for access between individual manufactured home units, the park roadways, and all community facilities provided for park residents.
  - (d) Visitor parking spaces shall be located at convenient locations throughout the manufactured home park, and shall not be used for the storage of boats, trailers, etc.
  - (e) The design of manufactured home parks shall be to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
  - (f) All municipal utilities shall be provided underground to stalls.
  - (g) A minimum of 5% of the gross site area shall be devoted to recreational use.
  - (h) All areas not occupied by manufactured home units and their additions, roadways, footpaths, driveways, permanent buildings and any other developed facilities shall be fully landscaped to the satisfaction of the Development Authority. Screen fences or walls shall be erected where deemed necessary by the Development Authority around maintenance yards, refuse collection points and playgrounds.

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- (i) No part of the park shall be used for non-residential purposes except such uses as are required for the direct servicing and well-being of the park residents and for the management and maintenance of the park.
- (j) Manufactured home park facilities shall be arranged to create a homelike atmosphere. This objective may be achieved by variations in street pattern, block shapes, and the location of manufactured home unit stalls.
- (k) Each stall shall be clearly marked off by means of stakes, countersunk steel posts, fences, curbs or hedges.
- (I) Street lighting shall be to the same standard as that in a conventional residential neighbourhood.
- (m) Only one main, free-standing, identification sign of residential character and appearance may be erected at the entrance to a manufactured home park, unless the Development Authority is of the opinion that a second and similar sign shall be allowed under exceptional circumstances relating to the layout, location and size of the park in relation to surrounding areas. The sign or signs shall be of a size, type and construction acceptable to the Development Authority. Directional signs within the manufactured home park must be integrated in design and appearance, be kept in scale with the immediate surroundings and constructed of durable material.
- (n) Manufactured home units shall be separated from each other by at least 3.5 m. Any porch or addition to the manufactured home unit shall be regarded as part of the manufactured home unit for the purpose of this separation.
- (o) The minimum distance between a manufactured home unit and the front, side, or rear lines of its stall shall be 3.0 m.
- (p) The minimum lot area of the manufactured home park shall be 2.0 ha (4.9 ac.).
- (q) The maximum permissible density for a manufactured home park shall be 20 manufactured home units per gross developable hectare (8 per ac.) of the lot being developed at each stage of development.
- (r) The minimum area for a manufactured home stall shall be 370 m<sup>2</sup>.

# 9.9 RIDING ARENA, PRIVATE

- (1) A Development Permit is required for a Riding Arena, Private.
- (2) A Riding Arena, Private shall be an Accessory use on a Lot with a Principal residence.
- (3) A Riding Arena, Private shall not have a building or structure larger than 1,500 m2 (16,146 ft²) in area.
- (4) A Riding Arena, Private shall be used solely by the occupants of the residence and/or by not more than four (4) non-resident users per day in addition to the residents.
- (5) The Approving Authority may require a manure management plan as a condition of development permit.

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### 9.10 SOLAR COLLECTORS

- (1) A solar collector may be located on the roof or wall of a building or structure.
- (2) A solar collector mounted on a roof with a pitch of less than 4:12, may project:
  - (a) A maximum of 0.5 m from the surface of a roof, when the solar collector is located 5.0 m or less from a side lot line, measured directly due south from any point along the side lot line; and
  - (b) In all other cases, maximum of 1.3 m from the surface of a roof.
- (3) A solar collector mounted on a roof with a pitch of 4:12 or greater, may project a maximum of 1.3 m from the surface of a roof.
- (4) A solar collector mounted on a roof must not extend beyond the outermost edge of the roof.
- (5) A solar collector that is mounted on a wall:
  - (a) Must be located a minimum of 2.4 m above grade; and
  - (b) May project a maximum of:
    - (i) 1.5m from the surface of that wall, when the wall is facing a rear lot line; and
    - (ii) In all other cases, 0.6 m from the surface of that wall.
- (6) A solar collector mounted on a structure must meet yard setback and district height regulations.

### 9.11 USES PERMITTED IN ALL LAND USE DISTRICTS

- (1) The following Uses are permitted in all Land Use Designations:
  - (a) Public utility;
  - (b) Road;
  - (c) Highway; and
  - (d) Park.

# 9.12 WRECKING YARD (AUTO AND EQUIPMENT WRECKAGE SITE)

(1) Wrecking Yards shall have a minimum area of 1.0 ha and a maximum area of 4.0 ha for storage, and must be completely fenced and screened by a type of fence approved by the Development Authority to a height of 2.4 m.

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(2) All vehicles within a Wrecking Yards shall be stored within the enclosure and maintenance of the site shall be in accordance with any standards deemed necessary by the Development Authority.

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### PART 10 – PARKING & LOADING FACILITIES

#### 10.1 PARKING FACILITIES – GENERAL REGULATIONS

- (1) Parking stalls and loading spaces shall be clearly marked in the parking facility. Such marking shall be regularly maintained to ensure legibility to users and shall be to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (2) All off-street parking facilities shall be so constructed that:
  - (a) Necessary curb buts are located and flared to the satisfaction of the Development Authority;
  - (b) Every off-street parking space provided, and the access thereto, shall be hard-surfaced if the access is from a street or lane which is hard-surfaced;
  - (c) Parking facilities used at night shall have adequate lighting for the entire parking facility. Such lighting shall be directed away from adjacent residential properties and other properties where in the opinion of the Development Authority they would have adverse effects;
  - (d) Grades and drainage shall dispose of surface water. In no case shall grades be established that would permit surface drainage to cross any sidewalk or site boundary without the approval of the Development Authority or Municipal Planning Commission; and
  - (e) Parking for the physically handicapped shall be provided as provincial regulations require and shall be considered as part of the number of stalls required for the project.
- (3) Where a proposed development will, from time to time, require pick-up or delivery of commodities, adequate space for the loading and unloading of same shall be provided and maintained on the site to the satisfaction of the Development Authority or Municipal Planning Commission.
- (4) Pursuant to 10.1(3), the Development Authority shall consider the following criteria when reviewing off-street loading regulations:
  - (a) Off-street loading spaces shall have dimensions of not less than 4.0 m in width and 8.0 m in length;
  - (b) Have overhead clearance of not less than 5.3 m above grade;
  - (c) Have vehicular access to and exit from a street or lane wither directly or by a clearly defined traffic aisle;
  - (d) Be sited at an elevation or elevations convenient to a major flood level in the building or to a utility elevator serving each major flood level;

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- (e) Be so graded and drained as to dispose of all surface water. In no case shall grades be established that would permit drainage to cross site boundaries or sidewalks without the approval of the Development Authority or Municipal Planning Commission;
- (f) Be paved or hard-surfaced where an off-street parking facility is required to be paved or hard-surfaced;
- (g) Have adequate lighting to the satisfaction of the Development Authority or Municipal Planning Commission; and
- (h) Be screened on each side adjoining or fronting on any property in a residential district by a wall, fence, earth berm or hedge of not less than 2.0 m in height, to the satisfaction of the Development Authority or Municipal Planning Commission.

### **10.2 PARKING AREAS**

(1) Unless otherwise approved by the Development Authority, each development shall provide on its site a parking area containing, at a minimum, the number of parking spaces as calculated in Table 10.2.1.

**Table 10.2.1 – Parking Requirements** 

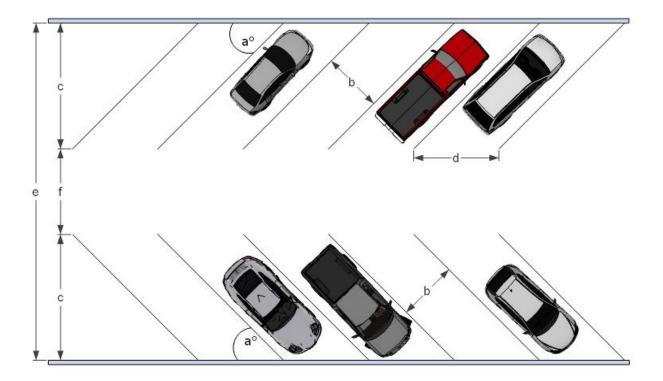
Use of a Building or Site	Minimum Number of Parking Spaces
Residential Uses	
Multi-family dwellings	2 per dwelling unit
Seniors apartments	1 per dwelling unit, or as required by the
	Development Authority
Boarding houses	1 per bedroom
Senior citizen homes	1 per dwelling unit
Secondary suites	1 per bedroom
All other dwellings	2 per dwelling unit
Manufactured home parks	In addition to 2 per dwelling unit, 1 visitor
	parking space per 4 manufactured home
	units
Commercial and Industrial Uses	
Cannabis Production Facilities	1 per 100 m <sup>2</sup> (1,076 ft <sup>2</sup> ) of gross floor area
	for the first 2,000 m <sup>2</sup> , and then 1 per each
	subsequent 500 m <sup>2</sup>
Eating and drinking	1 per 5 seating spaces
establishments	
Eating and drinking	1 per 13 m <sup>2</sup> (140 ft <sup>2</sup> ) of gross leasable area
establishments (take out)	plus 1 per 3 employees on maximum shift
Drive thru restaurants	2 per drive thru window
Other drive thru businesses	2 per drive thru window
Hotels and motels	1.5 per rentable unit
Bed and breakfast	1 per bedroom
Home occupations	1 in addition to the requirements for the
	residential use
All other commercial uses	1 per 28 m <sup>2</sup> (301.4 ft <sup>2</sup> ) of gross leasable area
All industrial uses	1 per 46 m² (495 ft²) of gross leasable area
Institutional Uses	
Places of Public Assembly	1 per 5 seating spaces
Schools (elementary/junior high)	2 per classroom
High schools	3 per classroom
Commercial schools	1 per student
Hospitals and similar uses	2 per bed
Nursing homes	0.75 per bed

- (a) In the case of a use not specifically mentioned, the required number of on-site parking spaces shall be the same as for a similar use as determined by the Development Authority.
- (b) Where a development contains more than one use as listed, the required number of parking spaces shall be the sum of the requirements for each of the uses listed.
- (c) Where a fractional number of parking spaces are required, the next highest number of spaces shall be provided.
- (d) If the Development Authority approves, one or more developments or uses may pool their minimum required parking spaces within one or more communal parking areas and may thereby collectively fulfill the requirements of this Bylaw.
- (2) At the discretion of the Development Authority, minimum parking requirements may be relaxed for existing buildings where historical site design is not being altered, and cannot accommodate the required number of parking stalls.
- (3) At the discretion of the Development Authority, a developer may pay money to the Town in lieu of providing parking spaces. The amount of money will be determined by Council and be based on the amount of money needed to acquire land and to develop the required number of parking spaces on adjacent lands.
- (4) Surfacing and Drainage
  - (a) All parking areas shall be clearly marked, landscaped and adequately lit with lighting away from adjacent sites, adequately graded and drained to dispose of all stormwater run-off, contain the necessary curb cuts, and surfaced in a manner to match the road or lane from which the parking area gains access.
  - (b) The approach or access to every off-street parking area shall be surfaced in the same manner as the adjoining road from which access is gained.
  - (c) Drainage shall only be allowed to cross sidewalks if approved by the Development Authority.
- (5) All parking areas shall conform to the requirements shown in Table 10.2.2 and Figure 10.2.3.

**Table 10.2.2 – Required Parking Stall Dimensions** 

(a)	(b)	façade	(d)	façade	(f)
Parking	Width of	Stall Depth	Width of Space	Overall	Width of
Angle	Space in	Perpendicular	Parallel to	Depth in	Manoeuvring
(in degrees)	m (ft)	to Aisle	Manoeuvring	m (ft)	Aisle in m (ft)
			Aisle in m (ft)		
0	2.7 (9)	2.7 (9)	7.0 (23)	9.1 (30)	3.6 (12)
30	2.7 (9)	5.2 (17)	5.5 (18)	14.0 (46)	3.6 (12)
45	2.7 (9)	5.9 (19)	4.0 (13)	15.2 (50)	4.0 (13)
60	2.7 (9)	6.1 (20)	3.1 (10)	18.3 (60)	6.1 (20)
90	2.7 (9)	6.1 (20)	2.7 (9)	19.5 (64)	7.3 (24)

Figure 10.2.1 – Parking Guide to Correspond with Table



#### 10.3 OFF-STREET LOADING AREAS

- (1) Where a proposed development will, in the opinion of the Development Authority, require pick-up or delivery of commodities, adequate space for the loading and unloading of same shall be provided and maintained on the site.
- (2) When required by the Development Authority, loading spaces shall:
  - (a) Have dimensions of not less than 3.5 m (11.5 ft.) in width, 7.5 m (24.6 ft.) in length, and 4.0 m (13.1 ft.) in height above grade;
  - (b) Have vehicular ingress to, and egress from, a road or lane either directly or by a clearly defined traffic aisle such that no backing or turning movements of vehicles going to or from the loading space shall cause interference with traffic in the abutting road or lane;
  - (c) Be sited at an elevation or elevations convenient to a major floor level in building or to a utility elevator serving each major floor level;
  - (d) Be so graded and drained as to dispose of all storm water runoff. Drainage shall only be allowed to cross sidewalks if approved by the Development Authority;
  - (e) Be surfaced in the same manner as the adjacent road or lane; and
  - (f) Be screened on each side adjoining any Residential District by a wall, fence, earth berm or hedge of not less than 1.5 m (4.9 ft.) and not more than 2.0 m (6.6 ft.) in height.
- (3) The number of loading spaces required to be provided in a development shall be as follows:
  - (a) For a retail, industrial, warehouse, or similar development,
    - (i) One (1) space for a development of less than 460 m<sup>2</sup> (4951.6 ft<sup>2</sup>) of gross leasable area, plus
    - (ii) One (1) space for the next 1840 m<sup>2</sup> (19,805.6 ft<sup>2</sup>) of gross leasable area or fraction thereof in a development, plus
    - (iii) One (1) additional space for each additional 2300 m<sup>2</sup> (24,757.0 ft<sup>2</sup>) of gross leasable area or fraction thereof in a development.
  - (b) For an office use, place of public assembly, convalescent home, institution, club or lodge, school or any similar use, one (1) space for a development of less than 2800 m² (30,139.9 ft²) of gross floor area, and one (1) additional space for each additional 2800 m² (30,139.9 ft²) of gross floor area or fraction thereof.
  - (c) For multi-family dwellings, one (1) space for each twenty (20) dwelling units or fraction thereof
  - (d) Any other building or use shall provide loading spaces as required by the Development Authority.
  - (e) Where a fractional number of loading spaces are required, the next highest number of spaces shall be provided.

# PART 11 – SIGNS

# 11.1 PURPOSE

- (1) The purpose of this Chapter is to regulate the development and display of signage within the Town of Rimbey. This Chapter provides signage development standards related to:
  - (a) Location.
  - (b) Type.
  - (c) Quantity.
  - (d) Height.
  - (e) Size.

#### 11.2 **DEFINITIONS**

- (1) For the purpose of this Part the following definitions shall apply, in addition to those contained in Section 2.2:
  - (a) "A-Frame Sign" means a temporary, movable, self-supporting A-shaped sign consisting of two flat surfaces joined at the upper end and resting on the ground
  - (b) "Awning Sign" means a non-illuminated sign painted on the fabric surface supported by an exterior wall of a building
  - (c) "Billboard" means a structure, primarily self-supporting, which is used for the display of general advertising, the subject matter of which is not necessarily related to the use or ownership of the property on which the structure is located
  - (d) "Building Face" means the total area of the wall of a building
  - (e) "Copy" means the text, illustrations and symbols that make up the message on a sign
  - (f) Dynamic Sign means a sign or portion of a sign with features that move or appear to move or change, whether the apparent movement or change is in the display, the sign structure itself, or any other component of the sign. A Dynamic Sign includes any display that incorporates a technology or other method allowing the image on the sign face to change, such as rotating panels, LED lights manipulated through digital input, or "digital ink". A Dynamic Sign does not include a sign whose message or image is changed by physically removing and replacing the sign or its components.
  - (g) "Electronic Message Centre" means a sign or component of a sign on which the copy can be changed by electrical or electronic means.
  - (h) "Freestanding Sign" means a sign on a standard or column permanently attached to the ground and which is not connected in any way to any building or other structure
  - (i) "Identification Sign" any sign which is used to display the address, and name of a building or parcel of land
  - (j) "Illuminated Sign" means any sign illuminated either directly from a source of light incorporated in or connected with the sign, or indirectly from an artificial source

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- (k) "Portable Sign" means a sign, excluding A-board and temporary signs that can be carried or transported from one site to another
- (I) "Projecting Sign" means a sign, which is attached to a building or structure so that part of the sign projects beyond the face of the building or structure
- (m) "Real-Estate Sign" means any temporary sign which advertises for the sale, lease, or rent of a building or parcel of land
- (n) "Roof Sign" means any sign placed on or over a roof
- (o) "Rotating Sign" means any sign or part of a sign which moves in a clockwise or counterclockwise motion
- (p) "Sign" means any word, letter, model, picture, symbol, device or representation used as, or which is in the nature of, wholly or in part, an advertisement, announcement or direction. Any structure, or portion thereof, which is used primarily to carry, hold, maintain, support or sustain a sign is construed as being part of the sign, and except as provided for in this Bylaw, is subject to all regulations governing signs.
- (q) "Sign Area" means the total surface area within the outer periphery of the said sign, and in the case of a sign comprised of individual letters or symbols, shall be calculated as the area of a rectangle enclosing the letters or symbols. Frames and structural members not bearing advertising matter shall not be included in computation of surface area.
- (r) "Sign Height" means the vertical distance measured from natural grade at the base of the sign to the highest point of such sign.
- (s) "Temporary Sign" means a sign or banner that is not permanently installed or affixed, advertising a product, activity or event on a limited time basis and does not include a portable sign.
- (t) "Third Party Sign" typically associated with a "Billboard Sign" means a sign, which directs attention to a business, commodity, service, or entertainment conducted, sold or offered at a location other than the premise on which the sign is located
- (u) "Vehicle Sign" means a sign mounted, posted or otherwise adhered on or to a motor vehicle, including but not limited to trailers, wagons, tractors, and recreational vehicles
- (v) "Wall Sign" means a sign placed flat and parallel to the face of the building so that no part projects more than one foot from the building
- (w) "Window Sign" means a sign which is painted on or affixed to a window and faces towards an adjacent sidewalk or roadway

### **11.3 SIGNS**

- (1) Sign Development Permit Required:
  - (a) Except as stated in Section 10.3(2), no sign shall be erected or altered on land or affixed to any exterior surface of a building or structure unless a sign permit for this purpose has been issued by the Development Authority
  - (b) Unless otherwise specified in this Bylaw a permit is required for the following signs:
    - (i) Free standing sign
    - (ii) Wall sign
    - (iii) Canopy sign
    - (iv) Rotating sign
    - (v) Projecting sign
    - (vi) Roof sign
    - (vii) Billboard sign
    - (viii) Portable sign
- (2) Sign Permit Not Required: Unless otherwise specified in this Bylaw no sign development permit is required for the following signs:
  - (a) Signs posted or displayed within the interior space of a building
  - (b) Signs posts or displayed in or on an operating motor vehicle if the vehicle is not temporarily or permanently parked solely for the purpose of displaying the sign
  - (c) A statutory or official notice of a function of the Town
  - (d) Signs posted by a municipal, provincial, or federal government agency
  - (e) Traffic and directional signs authorized by the Town and/or Alberta Provincial Authorities
  - (f) The erection of campaign signs for federal, provincial, municipal, or school board elections on private properties for no more than thirty (30) days, or such other time as regulated under provincial or federal legislation provided that
    - (i) Such signs are removed within ten (10) days of the election date
    - (ii) The consent of the property owner or occupant is obtained
    - (iii) Such signs do not obstruct or impair vision or traffic
    - (iv) Such signs are not attached to utility poles
    - (v) Such signs indicate the name and address of the sponsor and the person responsible for removal
  - (g) A non-illuminated sign that is posted or exhibited solely for the identification of the address or name of the land or building on which it is displayed including signs identifying the occupants, if the sign:
    - (i) Does not exceed 1.0 m<sup>2</sup> in area, and
    - (ii) Is posted only at each entrance from which access from a public roadway To the building is provided

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- (iii) Does not advertise for a home-based business or bed and breakfast establishment
- (h) A non-illuminated sign that is posted or exhibited for sale, lease or rentals of land or a building if the sign:
  - (i) Is 3.0 m<sup>2</sup> of less in area
  - (ii) Is posted only on each side of the building or land facing a different public roadway
- (i) Window Sign
- (j) An A-Frame sign:
  - (i) Provided it is advertising for goods or services which are located for sale or offered on the same lot or on a sidewalk adjacent to the same lot
  - (ii) Does not obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic
- (k) A non-illuminated sign of a building contractor relating to construction work in progress on the land on which such signs are erected, provided that:
  - (i) Such signs are removed within fourteen (14) days of occupancy, and
  - (ii) Such sign are limited in size to a maximum of 3.0 m², and in number to one sign for each boundary of the property under construction which fronts onto a public street.
- (I) A non-illuminated temporary sign advertising a garage sale, estate sale or open house. Such signs may be posted for a maximum period of 48 hours, and may not exceed 1.0 m<sup>2</sup> in area or 1.0 m in height.

# 11.4 SIGNS DEVELOPMENT PERMIT SUBMISSION

- (14) An application for a Development Permit to structurally alter or erect a Sign that requires a Development Permit shall be made to the Development Authority and shall include the following:
  - (a) A letter of consent from the registered owner of the land or building upon which the sign will be located.
  - (b) A letter outlining the contact information of the owner of the Sign.
  - (c) The location of all existing and proposed Signs on the building façade or on a site plan of the parcel indicating the front and side property lines, setbacks and distances from existing buildings.
  - (d) Two copies of a rendering / illustration of the proposed Sign with dimensions and total Sign Area, height of top and bottom of the Sign above average ground level and thickness of the Sign.
  - (e) Materials, finishes, colours, size of lettering and graphics.
  - (f) Mounting or installation details: the Development Authority may require that a structural drawing be prepared and sealed by a Professional Engineer.
  - (g) Mounting height or clearance to grade.
  - (h) The appropriate fee.

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### 11.5 PROHIBITED LOCATION

(1) No part of any sign, including any accessory components, shall be located on any roadway, boulevard, sidewalk. Only 'A-Frame' type signs may be permitted on a sidewalk abutting a business but must first receive the written consent of the Development Authority.

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(2) No part of any sign, including any accessory components, shall be located on any land owned by the Development Authority without a council motion granting use of the land prior to the Development Authority issuing a Development Permit.

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### 11.6 SIGN DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

(1) Unless provided elsewhere in this Bylaw, signs shall be erected in accordance with the standards specified in Table 11.6.1.

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Table 11.6.1 - Sign Development Standards

Туре	Land Use Designation and Development Standards																		
of Sign	PS		R1, R1A, R2, R3, RE, CR, MHP, MHS		C1			C2, M											
	#	Н	SA	#	Н	SA	#	Н	SA	#	Н	SA							
Freestanding Sign	1	4.0 m	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	1	1.5 m	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	1	10m	10 m <sup>2</sup>	1	10 m	12 m²							
Wall Sign	1	N/A	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	1	N/A	1.0 m <sup>2</sup>	1^	N/A	20 m²	1^	N/A	24 m²							
A-Frame Sign	1*	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>	Not Permitted		1*	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>	1*	1.0 m	0.7 m <sup>2</sup>								
Temporary Sign	1	4.0 m	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>	Not Permitted		1	6.0 m	9.0 m²	1	6.0 m	9.0 m <sup>2</sup>								
Canopy Sign	1*	2.5 m**	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	Not Permitted		1*	2.5 m**	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	1*	2.5 m**	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>								
Dynamic Sign	1	2.5 m	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	Not Permitted		1	2.5 m	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	1	2.5 m	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>								
Rotating Sign	Not p	ermitted		Not Permitted		1	10 m	10 m <sup>2</sup>	1	12 m	15 m²								
Projecting Sign	Not p	ermitted		Not Permitted		1	2.5 m**	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>	1	2.5 m**	1.5 m <sup>2</sup>								
Roof Sign	Not P	ermitted		Not Permitted		Not Permitted		Not Permitted		Not Permitted		Not Permitted		1	7.5 m	10 m²	1	10 m	15 m²
Billboard Sign	Not P	ermitted		Not Permitted		1	10 m	10 m²	1	9.5 m	12 m²								
Portable Sign	Not P	ermitted		Not	Permitted		1	2.5 m	3.0m <sup>2</sup>	1	2.5 m	3.0 m <sup>2</sup>							

#### Key

- # = Refers to the maximum Number of Signs permitted per lot
- $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathsf{H}}} = \mbox{\ensuremath{\mathsf{Refers}}}$  to the maximum Sign Height permitted
- SA = Refers to the maximum Sign Area permitted
- ^ = Refers to the maximum number of permitted signs per each side of a building facade
- \* = Refers to the maximum number of permitted signs per business on a lot
- \*\* = Refers to the minimum vertical clearance from grade or, if applicable, a sidewalk to the bottom of the sign

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- (2) In addition to the standards specified in Table 3, the following regulations will also apply:
  - (a) Awning/Canopy Sign
    - (i) No portion of the canopy/awning shall be closer than 600 mm to a vertical line drawn from the adjacent curb.
  - (b) Billboard Sign
    - (i) Where a billboard shares a lot with a building, no billboard shall be located in the front or side yard which runs parallel to an adjacent roadway.
    - (ii) Billboards shall be spaced at a distance of 90 metres from one another.
    - (iii) Where a portable sign is serving as a billboard it shall be spaced 45 metres from other portable or permanent signs serving as billboards.

### (c) Dynamic Signs

- (i) No Dynamic Sign may be erected except as permitted in this Section;
- (ii) The Development Authority shall only approve a Dynamic Sign as a portion of a permitted Community, Canopy, Free Standing or Fascia Sign.
- (iii) A Dynamic Sign may display public service announcements, but shall not include third party advertising or sponsor recognition except when it is located on a site in a Public Service (PS) district.
- (iv) Dynamic Signs shall only be permitted as a discretionary use in Commercial, Industrial and Public Service Districts, and must meet the following requirements:
  - not be located within 30.0 m radius of a residential district, and when site or lot of a proposed dynamic sign location is adjacent to a residential district, notification will be sent within a 100.0 m radius of the proposed site,
  - (2) be limited to one sign per building or site, with the exception of Public Service sites over 17 ha will be limited to two (2) signs provided that one of the signs must be a fascia sign and the other must be a portion of a freestanding sign, and further provided that the two (2) signs must be at least 50.0 m apart,
  - (3) not be located on a lot within a 50.0 m radius of the boundary of a lot containing an existing dynamic sign,
  - (4) comprise of not more than 25% of the total freestanding or fascia sign area.
- (v) A development permit for a dynamic sign shall be valid for a maximum of two (2) years, at which time a new permit must be applied for. The conversion of an existing sign to a dynamic sign shall require a development permit.
- (vi) Any digital sign located within 50 m of a residential district may be subject to restricted operating hours at the discretion of the Development Authority.
- (vii) The use, size and location of digital signs must comply with all other relevant municipal and provincial regulations.
- (viii) The sign panel does not contain or display flashing, intermittent, or moving lights, including animated or scrolling text.

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- (ix) A sign panel provided as a public service showing the time and temperature shall not be considered a flashing or moving sign.
- (x) The sign content remains fixed/static for a minimum message display duration, where: Min. Display Duration (sec) = Sight distance to sign (m)/ Speed limit (m/sec).
  - (1) In lower speed areas, the formula above should be used with a minimum sight distance to sign of 350 m.
  - (2) In areas with speed limit ≥80 km/h, the minimum message display duration is 60 seconds, unless the sight distance to the sign is less than 1 kilometre
- (xi) When a message is changed electronically, it must be accomplished within an interval of 0.1 seconds or less so that an approaching driver cannot perceive any blanking of the display screen.
- (xii) There shall be no visual effects between successive displays.
- (xiii) The sign panel must contain a default design that will freeze the sign panel message in one position if a malfunction occurs.
- (xiv) The sign panel shall be equipped with a control system that automatically adjusts light emission level to ambient light conditions so as not to cause glare or excessive brightness.
- (xv) In no case shall the light level of any sign panel exceed 300 nits (candelas per square metre) between the time of sunset and sunrise, nor 5,000 nits at other times.
- (xvi) The sign must not diminish the conspicuity of nearby traffic control devices.
- (xvii) In cases where the sign is adjacent to an Alberta Transportation right-of-way, Alberta Transportation shall have the ongoing discretion to require the brightness, frequency, colours or other qualities of the sign panel be adjusted in order to address safety concerns.
- (xviii) All dynamic sign applications fronting onto Alberta Transportation roadways shall be circulated to Alberta Transportation for comment.

### (d) Freestanding Signs

- (i) No freestanding sign shall be located within 10 m of the intersection of lanes/streets, or a street or lane.
- (ii) For any lot located in the C2 or M designations, one Freestanding Sign shall be permitted for every 90 metres of frontage.
- (iii) Illuminated Freestanding Signs shall be permitted only in C1, C2 and M designations.
- (iv) Copy is permitted on both sides of Freestanding Signs, including signs angled up to 90 degrees, therefore allowing the Sign Area to be double the permitted Sign Area.
- (v) Freestanding Signs shall not be located closer than 1.0 m to any front, rear, or side property line.
- (vi) In accordance with Alberta Transportation's setback requirements where abutting a highway.

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#### (e) Wall Signs

- (i) Wall signs shall be restricted to the first storey of the building in the R1, R2, R3, MHP, MHS, RCE, PS zone designations.
- (ii) Wall signs shall not project more than 0.4 m horizontally from the Building Face to which it is attached.
- (iii) Illuminated Wall Signs shall be permitted only in C1, C2, and M designations.

### (f) Portable Signs

- (i) Copy is permitted on both sides of Projecting Signs, therefore allowing the Sign Area to be double the permitted Sign Area.
- (ii) Maximum one (1) Portable Sign shall be displayed per lot.
- (iii) Portable Signs shall not be located within a required off street parking space or a driveway.

### (g) Projecting Signs

- (i) Copy is permitted on both sides of Projecting Signs, therefore allowing the Sign Area to be double the permitted Sign Area.
- (ii) The height of a Projecting Sign shall refer to the minimum vertical clearance from grade or, if applicable, a sidewalk, and shall be a minimum of 2.5m.

### (h) Temporary Signs

- i) Large Temporary Signs relating to the sale or renting of land, the sale of goods or livestock, the carrying out of building or similar work, or announcement of any local event must obtain a development permit and meet the following conditions:
  - (1) Maximum two (2) Temporary Signs not exceeding a total Sign Area of 9.0 m<sup>2</sup>;
  - (2) Copy is permitted on both sides of the Temporary Sign, including signs angled up to 90 degrees, therefore allowing Sign Area to be double the permitted Sign Area;
  - (3) The maximum Sign Height shall not exceed 6.0 m;
  - (4) The Temporary Sign shall be removed by the advertiser within fifteen (15) days of the completion of the event, sale, or works to which such signs relate.

#### (i) Signage for a Bed and Breakfast

- (i) Each Bed and Breakfast homestay shall provide one (1) on-site Freestanding Sign for the purpose of identification and shall be regulated in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (1) The sign shall be located within the front yard and must be visible from a public road;
  - (2) The sign be attached to either existing fencing or on independent posts to the satisfaction of the Development Authority;

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(3) The sign shall be constructed using high density plywood or solid wood and shall be finished with high density reflective finish or equivalent, with dye cut lettering or silk screen lettering.

### 11.7 ADDITIONAL SIGN REGULATIONS

- (1) All signs requiring a sign permit shall follow the development permit process as specified under Section 4.1 of this Bylaw.
- (2) Council may require the removal of any sign, which is in its opinion, has become unsightly, or is in such a state of disrepair as to constitute a hazard.
- (3) Quality, aesthetic character and finishing of sign construction shall be to the satisfaction of the Development Authority.
- (4) Where, in the opinion of the Development Authority, a proposed sign in a Commercial or Industrial District might be objectionable to a resident in any adjacent residential district, the Development Authority may impose such other regulations as they feel would protect the interests of residents.
- (5) Flashing, animated or interiorly illuminated signs shall not be permitted in any district where in the opinion of the Development Authority they might:
  - (a) Affect residents in adjacent housing, or residential districts;
  - (b) Interfere with or obstruct a motor vehicle driver's vision or interpretation of oncoming traffic signs or traffic signal lights.
- (6) Notwithstanding Subsection (5), no person shall exhibit or place an illuminated sign, rotating sign or dynamic sign that permits or provides for:
  - (a) A current interrupting or flashing device, unless there is a continuous source of concealed illumination on the translucent portions of the sign;
  - (b) A flashing beacon of a type that is the same or similar to those used by emergency vehicles;
  - (c) A flashing device, animator or revolving beacon within 50.0 m of the intersection of two or more public roadways;
  - (d) A device described in 11.7(5) that would be directly visible from any residential building within a distance of 50.0 m of the sign.
- (7) No person shall erect or place a sign so that it would be considered, in the opinion of the Development Authority, to be a traffic hazard or an obstruction to the vision of persons driving motor vehicles.
  - (a) Billboard signs, and electronic signs, dynamic signs and rotating signs which are visible from Highway 20, Highway 20A and Highway 53, but located outside of the Highway

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Right-Of-Way, may shall be circulated to Alberta Transportation for comment. at the discretion of the Development Authority.

- (8) Notwithstanding section 11.7(7) no the Development Authority may not approve any signs located within an Alberta Transportation Highway Right-Of-Way without written approval from Alberta Transportation.
- (9) The area around sign structures shall be kept clean and free of overgrown vegetation, and free from refuse material.
- (10) The Development Authority may at their discretion require an engineer-approved plan prior to the issuance of a sign permit in order to ensure the safety of a sign, awning or canopy design and placement.
- (11) Notwithstanding Section 4.1 of this Bylaw, the Development Authority may, with respect to an application for a sign permit,
  - (a) Grant a sign permit to an applicant subject to such conditions considered necessary to ensure this Bylaw is complied with;
  - (b) Refuse the application.

### (12) Offensive Signage

(a) No sign shall be erected which promotes intolerance, hatred or ridicule of any race, religion or other segment of society.

### PART 12 – DISTRICTS AND REGULATIONS

### 12.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF DISTRICTS AND DISTRICT REGULATIONS

(1) Land use district and land use regulations shall be set forth in Part 12 and may be amended in the same manner as any other Part or Section of this Bylaw.

### 12.2 LAND USE DISTRICTS

(1) The Town is hereby divided into the following districts:

Designation Name	Designation Acronym
Low Density Residential	R1
Low Density General Residential	R2
High Density Residential	R3
Manufactured Home Park	МНР
Manufactured Home Subdivision	MHS
Residential Estate	RE
	932/17
Country Residential	CR
	932/17
Central Commercial	C1
Highway Commercial	C2
Industrial	М
Public Service	PS
Urban Holdings	UH
Direct Control	DC

### 12.3 LAND USE DISTRICT MAP

(1) Land use districts specified under 12.2 are described in the short form on the LAND USE DISTRICT MAP which is an integral part of this Bylaw.

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- (2) Throughout this Bylaw and amendments thereto, a District may be referred to either by its full name or its abbreviation.
- (3) The district regulations are delineated on the LAND USE DISTRICT MAP. Where uncertainty arises as to the precise location of the property of any district, the following rules shall apply:
  - (a) Where a boundary is shown as following a street, lane, stream or canal, it shall be deemed to follow the centreline thereof.
  - (b) Where a boundary is shown as approximately following a lot line, it shall be deemed to follow the lot line.
  - (c) In circumstances not covered by Subsections (a) and (b) above the location of the district boundary shall be determined by:
    - (i) Where dimensions are set out on the Land Use District Map, by the dimensions so set, or
    - (ii) Where dimensions are set out on the Land Use District Map with respect to such boundary, by measurement of and use of the scale shown on the Land Use District Map.
- (4) Where the application of the above rules does not determine the exact location of the boundary of a district, the Council either on its motion or upon written application being made to it by a person requesting the determination of the exact location of the boundary shall fix the portion of the district boundary in doubt or dispute in a manner consistent with the regulations of this Bylaw and the degree of detail as to measurements and directions as the circumstances may require.
- (5) After Council has fixed a district boundary pursuant to the provisions of subsection (3), the portion of the boundary so fixed shall not be thereafter altered except by an amendment to this Bylaw.
- (6) The Council shall maintain a list of its decisions with respect to boundaries or portions thereof fixed by it.

# 12.4 LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (R1)

### (1) Purpose

The R1 – Low Density Residential designation is intended to accommodate the development of low-density residential development on moderately sized lots throughout the community.

### (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.4.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the R1 designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.4.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
under	Bed and breakfast
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	Day care centre, adult
Housing, secondary suite	Day care centre, child
Housing, single-detached	Group home
Home based business	Housing, modular
Park	Religious institution
	Utility installations
	Solar Collectors

### (3) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.4.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area
Housing, single-detached	550 m <sup>2</sup>
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	550 m <sup>2</sup>

# (4) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

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### **Table 12.4.3**

Use	Minimum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, single-detached	15 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	15 metres

# (5) Lot Coverage

The maximum lot coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) shall be in accordance with the following table:

### **Table 12.4.4**

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, single-detached	40%
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	40%

### (6) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

### **Table 12.4.5**

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	6 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	6 metres

### (7) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.4.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	6 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	6 metres
Accessory buildings	1.5 metres

### (8) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.4.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached (side property line of a flanking street)	3.0 metres
Housing, single-detached (on one side of the lot where there is no road or lane access from the rear yard)	3.0 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	1.5 metres

### (9) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.4.8** 

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, single-detached	11 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.4.1	11 metres

### (10) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per **8.25.**
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

# 12.5 LOW DENSITY GENERAL RESIDENTIAL (R2)

### (1) Purpose

The R2 – Low Density General Residential designation is intended to provide opportunities for innovation in residential development. Through the provision of narrower lots the development of low density housing types will be provided at higher than conventional densities.

### (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.5.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the R2 designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.5.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	<ul> <li>Bed and breakfast</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>
Housing, duplex	<ul> <li>Day care centre, adult</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Housing, modular</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Day care centre, child</li> </ul>
Housing, single-detached	◆ Group home
Housing, secondary suite	<ul> <li>Housing, manufactured</li> </ul>
Home based business	<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>
Park	Religious institution
	Utility installations
	Solar Collectors

# (3) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area
Housing, duplex	200 m² (per unit)
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear	250 m <sup>2</sup>
lane)	
Housing, single detached (without adjacent	400 m <sup>2</sup>
rear lane)	

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Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	325 m²
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# (4) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

### **Table 12.5.3**

Use	Minimum and Maximum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, duplex	Minimum 7.5 metres but maximum 10.5
	metres
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear	Minimum/maximum of 7.5 metres
lane)	
Housing, single detached (without adjacent	Minimum/maximum of 10.5 metres
rear lane)	
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	Minimum 7.5 metres but maximum 10.5
	metres

### (5) Lot Coverage

The maximum coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) on a lot shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.4** 

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, duplex	55%
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear	55%
lane)	
Housing, single detached (without adjacent	55%
rear lane)	
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	55%

# (6) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.5** 

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	6 metres
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear lane)	6 metres
Housing, single detached (without adjacent rear lane)	6 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	6 metres

### (7) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	5 metres
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear	5 metres
lane)	
Housing, single detached (without adjacent	5 metres
rear lane)	
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	5 metres
Accessory buildings	1.5 metres

### (8) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	1.5 metres
Housing, single-detached (side property line of a flanking street)	3.0 metres
Housing, single-detached (on one side of the lot where there is no road or lane access from the rear yard)	3.0 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	1.5 metres

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### (9) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.5.8** 

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, duplex	11 metres
Housing, single detached (with adjacent rear lane)	11 metres
Housing, single detached (without adjacent rear lane)	11 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.5.1	11 metres

### (10) Design Regulations

- (a) Where a lot has access to an adjacent rear lane, no vehicular access to the lot shall be provided from the fronting public roadway.
- (b) Where there is a an attached garage accessed via the fronting public roadway, the garage shall not extend more than 1.0 metre in front of the living space of the dwelling.
- (c) Where there is an attached garage accessed via the fronting public roadway, the width of the garage facing the fronting roadway shall not exceed 50 percent of the total front façade/elevation of a dwelling.

### (11) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

# 12.6 HIGH DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (R3)

### (1) Purpose

The R3 - High Density Residential designation is intended to provide opportunities for the development of higher density residential. The intent of this zone is to encourage residential development at higher densities in close proximity to key nodes and/or corridors

# (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.6.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the R3 designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit

**Table 12.6.1** 

Pe	rmitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
	<mark>under</mark>	Bed and breakfast
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and over	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
•	Accessory Uses	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>
•	Housing, duplex	<ul> <li>Day care centre, adult</li> </ul>
•	Housing, triplex	Day care centre, child
•	Housing, fourplex	Group home
•	Housing, row housing	Home businesses
•	Housing, secondary suite	Housing, high rise apartment
•	Public parks and recreation areas	Housing, low rise apartment
		Religious institution
		Utility installations
		Solar Collectors

# (3) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be as specified in the following table:

**Table 12.6.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area (m2)
Housing, duplex	250 m <sup>2</sup>
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	500 m <sup>2</sup>
Housing, triplex	500 m <sup>2</sup>
Housing, fourplex	500 m <sup>2</sup>
Housing, row	120 m <sup>2</sup> (per unit)
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	500 m <sup>2</sup>

# (4) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.6.3** 

Use	Minimum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, duplex	7.5 metres
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	15 metres
Housing, triplex	15 metres
Housing, fourplex	15 metres
Housing, row	4 metres (per unit)
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	15 metres

# (5) Lot Coverage

The maximum coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) on a lot shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.6.4** 

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, duplex	50%
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	50%
Housing, triplex	50%
Housing, fourplex	50%
Housing, row	50%
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	50%

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# (6) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.6.5** 

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	6 metres
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	6 metres
Housing, triplex	6 metres
Housing, fourplex	6 metres
Housing, row	6 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	6 metres

# (7) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.6.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	5 metres
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	5 metres
Housing, triplex	5 metres
Housing, fourplex	5 metres
Housing, row	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	5 metres

# (8) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.6.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, duplex	1.5 metres
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	3 metres
Housing, triplex	1.5 metres
Housing, fourplex	1.5 metres
Housing, row	1.5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	1.5 metres

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# (9) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

#### **Table 12.6.8**

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, duplex	11 metres
Housing, low rise/high rise apartment	20 metres
Housing, triplex	11 metres
Housing, fourplex	11 metres
Housing, row	11 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.6.1	11 metres

### (10) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.7 MANUFACTURED HOME PARK (MHP)

## (1) Purpose

The MHP – Manufactured Home Park designation is intended to provide for and regulate the development of land for the use of manufactured homes on lots in comprehensively designed parks wherein no individually titled parcels have been created.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.7.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the MHP designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.7.1** 

Permitted Uses		Discretionary Uses	
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and	•	Additional Accessory Buildings
	<mark>under</mark>	•	Group homes
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and over	•	Home businesses
•	Accessory Uses	•	Utility installations
•	Housing, manufactured home	•	Solar Collectors
•	Housing, modular		
•	Park		

## (3) General Regulations

- (a) A Comprehensive site plan shall be required for manufactured home parks developed after 2015.
- (b) Prior to the development of a new Manufactured Home Park the applicant will submit to the Development Authority a comprehensive site plan and/or any other supporting documentation that will identify the following elements:
  - (i) Site area with lot lines of the manufactured home park and any titled lots clearly delineated.
  - (ii) Proposed layout and placement of individual housing units.
  - (iii) Internal and adjacent pedestrian or walkway connections.
  - (iv) Internal and adjacent roadways.
  - (v) Internal and perimeter landscaping.
  - (vi) Garbage areas.
  - (vii) Parking areas.
  - (viii) Recreational areas.
  - (ix) Storage areas.

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- (c) A development permit and move-in permit are required anytime a new manufactured home unit is moved onto a Manufactured Home Park site. Move-in permits shall require: the Manufactured home unit serial number, model number and Canadian Standard Association Certification.
  - (i) Third party certification from an accredited inspection agency including the Canadian Standard Association (CSA), Intertek or Quality Auditing Institute (QAI).
  - (ii) Alberta Municipal Affairs Label.
  - (iii) Model number.
  - (iv) Manufactured home unit serial number.
- (d) A move-out permits is required when units vacate a site. A new move-in permits shall not be issued until a move-out permit has been completed for the lot.
- (e) All permits are the responsibility of the Manufactured Home Park site.

#### (4) Manufactured Home Park Size

- (a) The gross density of a residential home park is 17 manufactured homes per hectare
- (b) A residential home park shall have a minimum park area of 2 hectares but a maximum park area of 4 hectares

#### (5) Setbacks

- (a) The minimum yard requirements for manufactured homes shall be at least:
  - (i) 3.5 m from a similar manufactured home unit.
  - (ii) 6.0 m from the rear lot line of the manufactured home park.

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(iii) 2.4 m from any internal access road or common parking area.

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(iv) 1.2 m from front lot line of the manufactured home park.

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## (6) Height

(a) The maximum height as specified in Section 12.8(10) shall apply.

#### (7) Design Regulations

- (a) All additions shall be designed in a manner that complements the manufactured homes.
- (b) Five percent of the gross area of a manufactured home park shall be developed for recreational use either in the form of indoor community building and/or outdoor recreational space.

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## (8) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10**.
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.8 MANUFACTURED HOME SUBDIVISION (MHS)

## (1) Purpose

The MHS – Manufactured Home Subdivision designation is intended to provide for and regulate the development of land for the use of manufactured homes on separately titled parcels.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.8.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the MHS designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.8.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Buildings 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Group homes
<ul> <li>First Accessory Buildings 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	Home businesses
<mark>over</mark>	Utility installations
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	Uses accessory to the above
<ul> <li>Housing, manufactured home</li> </ul>	Solar Collectors
Housing, modular	
Public parks and recreation areas	

#### (3) Manufactured Home Subdivision

The following development standards apply to areas where individually titled parcels have been created.

## (4) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be as specified in the following table:

**Table 12.8.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area (m2)
Housing, manufactured home	375 m <sup>2</sup>
All other principle uses	500 m <sup>2</sup>

## (5) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.3** 

Use	Minimum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, manufactured home	7.5 metres
All other principle uses	15 metres

## (6) Lot Coverage

The maximum coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) on a lot shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.4** 

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, manufactured home	50%
All other principle uses	50%

## (7) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.5** 

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, manufactured home	6 metres
All other principle uses	6 metres

## (8) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, manufactured home	3 metres
All other principle uses	5 metres

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#### (9) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, manufactured home	1.5 metres
All other principle uses	1.5 metres

## (10) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.8.8** 

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, manufactured home	5 metres
All other principle uses	11 metres

## (11) Design Regulations

- (a) All additions shall be designed in a manner that complements the manufactured homes.
- (b) Ten percent of the gross area of a manufactured home park shall be developed for recreational use either in the form of indoor community building and/or outdoor recreational space.

## (12) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16**.
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.9 RESIDENTIAL ESTATE (RE)

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## (1) Purpose

The RE – Residential Estate designation is intended to accommodate low-density residential development in a comprehensively designed naturalized environment.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.9.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the RE designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit

**Table 12.9.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Bed and breakfast
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	◆ Day care centre, adult
Housing, secondary suite	<ul> <li>◆ Day care centre, child</li> </ul>
Housing, single-detached	Group home
Park	Home businesses
	Religious institution
	Utility installations
	Solar Collectors

## (3) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area
Housing, single-detached	0.5 acres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	0.5 acres

## (4) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.3** 

Use	Minimum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, single-detached	15 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	15 metres

## (5) Lot Coverage

The maximum coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) on a lot shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.4** 

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, single-detached	50%
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	50%

## (6) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.5** 

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

## (7) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

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## (8) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.9.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

## (9) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

#### **Table 12.9.8**

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, single-detached	11 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	11 metres

## (10) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.10 COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL (CR)

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## (1) Purpose

The CR – Country Residential designation is intended to accommodate low-density residential development in a comprehensively designed naturalized environment but where minimal urban infrastructure and services are provided.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.10.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the RE designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit

**Table 12.10.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Bed and breakfast
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Accessory Uses</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Housing, modular</li> </ul>	Day care centre, adult
<ul> <li>Accessory buildings</li> </ul>	Day care centre, child
Housing, secondary suite	Group home
Housing, single-detached	Home businesses
Park	Religious institution
	Utility installations
	Solar Collectors

#### (3) Lot Area

The minimum lot area shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.2** 

Use	Minimum Lot Area
Housing, single-detached	2.5 acres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	2.5 acres

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## (4) Lot Frontage

The minimum lot frontage shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.3** 

Use	Minimum Lot Frontage (m)
Housing, single-detached	10 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	10 metres

## (5) Lot Coverage

The maximum coverage of buildings (principle and accessory) on a lot shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.4** 

Use	Maximum Lot coverage (%)
Housing, single-detached	50%
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	50%

## (6) Front Yard Setback

The minimum front yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.5** 

Use	Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

## (7) Rear Yard Setback

The minimum rear yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.6** 

Use	Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

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## (8) Side Yard Setback

The minimum side yard setback shall be in accordance with the following table:

**Table 12.10.7** 

Use	Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)
Housing, single-detached	5 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	5 metres

## (9) Height

The maximum building height shall be in accordance with the following table:

#### **Table 12.10.8**

Use	Maximum Building Height (m)
Housing, single-detached	11 metres
Other principle uses listed in Table 12.9.1	11 metres

## (10) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10**.
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.11 CENTRAL COMMERCIAL (C1)

## (1) Purpose

The C1 – Central Commercial designation is intended to provide for a wide variety of commercial, institutional and residential uses within the town centre. The intent is to foster mixed-use development and encouraging vibrancy in a manner that facilitates pedestrian movement.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.11.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the C1 designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

#### **Table 12.11.1**

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Adult entertainment
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	Automotive sales and/or rental
Art gallery	Automotive supply store
• Bakery	Brewery, winery and distillery
• Club	Brewpub
<ul> <li>Convenience store</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cannabis retail sales</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Dry cleaning/Laundromat services</li> </ul>	Car/Truck wash
<ul> <li>Financial Services</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Funeral home</li> </ul>	Commercial recreation & entertainment
<ul> <li>Grocery store</li> </ul>	facility
• Hotel	Contracting services
<ul> <li>Housing, mixed use</li> </ul>	◆ Day care, child
Office	<ul><li>Dynamic Sign</li></ul>
Medical clinic	Gas bar
• Motel	<ul><li>Head shop</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Personal Services</li> </ul>	Housing, apartment (low rise)
<ul> <li>Public administration</li> </ul>	Housing, apartment (high rise)
<ul> <li>Religious Institution</li> </ul>	Liquor store
<ul> <li>Restaurant</li> </ul>	Nightclub
• Retail	Parking facility
<ul> <li>Sign, excluding dynamic sign</li> </ul>	Pawn shop
• Theatre	Recycling depot
	Repair shop
	Restaurant – drive thru
	Solar Collectors

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Utility installations

## (3) Development Standards

The Development Standards for all uses listed in Table 12.11.1 shall adhere to the standards listed in Table 12.11.2.

**Table 12.11.2** 

Development Standard	Site Standard	
Minimum Lot Area (m²)	250 m <sup>2</sup>	
Minimum Lot Frontage (m)	6 m	
Maximum Lot Coverage (%)	80%	
Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)	nil	
Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)	6 m	
Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)	Nil	
Maximum Height	15 m	

## (4) Design Regulations

- (a) The façade of any principle building should be finished in brick, rock, stone, stucco, wood, glass, and/or precast concrete. Exterior finishes should require minimal maintenance but demonstrate high quality workmanship.
- (b) Buildings should be built to the property line in order to create a defined relationship with the public realm.
- (c) A minimum of 60% of the ground floor of any building should be finished in clear glazing to allow for natural surveillance, and to create an engaging and vibrant public realm. Reflective or tinted glazing should be discouraged.
- (d) The street wall, where it runs parallel to a roadway, should be designed to occupy 100% of a lot's frontage.
- (e) The provision of canopies or awnings are encouraged in order to provide weather protection for pedestrians.
- (f) No parking area shall be located within the front yard of any lot. Parking areas should be located within the rear yard, with vehicular access from an adjacent lane.
- (g) The ground floor of any residential building should be utilized for commercial purposes.
- (h) Additional design regulations may be required at the discretion of the Development Authority.

## (5) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.12 HIGHWAY COMMERCIAL (C2)

## (1) Purpose

The C2 – Highway Commercial designation is intended to accommodate the development of a wide array of commercial uses on lots adjacent to roadways that facilitate large volumes of automotive traffic.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.12.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the C2 designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

## **Table 12.12.1**

Pe	rmitted Uses	Di	scretionary Uses
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and	•	Additional Accessory Buildings
	<mark>under</mark>	•	Air supported structure and fabric-
•	First Accessory Building 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and over		covered structure
•	Accessory Uses	•	Any permitted use with a height
•	Auction mart		exceeding 10 metres
•	Automotive sales and/or rental	•	Adult entertainment
•	Automotive supply store	•	Amusement arcade
•	Bakery	•	Automotive service and/or paint shop
•	Car/Truck wash	•	Brewery, winery and distillery
•	Club	•	Brewpub
•	Convenience store	•	Cannabis retail sales
•	Dry cleaning/laundromat services	•	Child care facility
•	Financial Services	•	Commercial recreation & entertainment
•	Funeral home		facility
•	Gas bar		Contracting services
•	Grocery store		Dynamic Sign
•	Hotel	•	Daycare, child
•	Office	•	Gambling and gaming hall
•	Medical clinic	•	Head shop
•	Motel	•	Liquor store
•	Personal services	•	Nightclub
•	Public administration		Pawn shop
•	Religious Institution	•	Recycling depot
•	Restaurant	•	Repair shop
•	Restaurant – drive thru	•	Solar Collectors
•	Retail	•	Theatre

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• Sign, excluding dynamic sign	Trucking establishment
	Utility installations
	Warehouse

## (3) Development Standards

The Development Standards for all uses identified in Table 12.12.1 shall adhere to the standards listed in Table 12.12.2.

**Table 12.12.2** 

Development Standard	Site Standard
Minimum Lot Area (m²)	1000 m <sup>2</sup>
Minimum Lot Frontage (m)	6 m
Maximum Lot Coverage (%)	65%
Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)	8 m
Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)	5 m
Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)	3 m
Maximum Height	15 m

## (4) Design Regulations

- (a) The façade of any principle building should be finished in brick, rock, stone, stucco, wood, glass, and/or precast concrete. Exterior finishes should require minimal maintenance but demonstrate high quality workmanship.
- (b) Additional design regulations may be required at the discretion of the Development Authority.

## (5) Additional Regulations

- (a) No access to a lot shall be provided from Highway 20 or Highway 53 without obtaining the approval of Alberta Transportation.
- (b) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (c) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (d) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (e) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (f) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (g) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

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## 12.13 INDUSTRIAL (M)

## (1) Purpose

The M – Industrial designation is intended to accommodate the development of a wide array of industrial uses but which will not cause any objectionable or noxious conditions, be it noise, odour, dust, vibration or any other similar sensation, beyond the lot on which they are located.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.13.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the M designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

## **Table 12.13.1**

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Abattoir
<ul> <li>First Accessory Building 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and over</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Air supported structure and fabric-</li> </ul>
Accessory Uses	covered structure
<ul> <li>Agricultural sales and/or service</li> </ul>	Amusement arcade
Animal kennel	Adult entertainment
Animal shelter	Auction mart
Auction mart	Bulk fuel and/or fertilizer sales and
<ul> <li>Automotive sales and/or rental</li> </ul>	storage
<ul> <li>Automotive service and/or paint shop</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Cannabis facility</li></ul>
Automotive supply store	<ul><li>Dynamic Sign</li></ul>
Bakery	<ul> <li>Gambling and gaming hall</li> </ul>
Car/Truck wash	Liquor store
• Club	<ul> <li>Meat processing plant</li> </ul>
Convenience store	Recycling depot
Contracting services	Restaurant
<ul> <li>Dry cleaning/Laundromat services</li> </ul>	Restaurant, drive-thru
Gas bar	Salvage yard
Greenhouse	Solar Collectors
Manufacturing, processing, packaging or	Wrecking yard
assembly of goods or materials	
Mini storage	
Public Administration	
Repair shop	
<ul> <li>Sign, excluding dynamic sign</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Trucking establishment</li> </ul>	

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•	Warehouse	
•	Veterinary clinic	

## (3) Development Standards

The Development Standards for all uses identified in Table 12.13.1 shall adhere to the standards listed in Table 12.13.2.

**Table 12.13.2** 

Development Standard	Site Standard	
Minimum Lot Area (m²)	500 m <sup>2</sup>	
Minimum Lot Frontage (m)	15 m	
Maximum Lot Coverage (%)	50%	
Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)	6 m	
Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)	5 m	
Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)	3 m	
Maximum Height	15 m	

## (4) Design Regulations

- (a) The façade of any principle building should be finished in brick, rock, stone, stucco, wood, glass, and/or precast concrete. Exterior finishes should require minimal maintenance but demonstrate high quality workmanship.
- (b) No outdoor storage of goods, materials, or equipment shall be permitted within any portion of a front, side, or rear yard, which runs parallel to an adjacent roadway.
- (c) All loading facilities should be located and accessed from a side and/or rear yard.
- (d) Additional design regulations may be required at the discretion of the Development Authority.

## (5) Additional Regulations

- (a) No access to a lot shall be provided from Highway 20 or Highway 53 without obtaining the approval of Alberta Transportation.
- (b) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (c) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (d) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (e) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (f) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (g) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11**.

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## 12.14 PUBLIC SERVICE (PS)

## (1) Purpose

The PS – Public Services designation is intended to accommodate the development of uses which serve the public and which are of benefit to the community.

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.14.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the PS designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.14.1** 

Permitted Uses	Discretionary Uses
<ul> <li>First Accessory Buildings 13.4 m<sup>2</sup> and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Additional Accessory Buildings</li> </ul>
<mark>under</mark>	Animal shelter
• First Accessory Buildings 13.4 m <sup>2</sup> and	Campground
<mark>over</mark>	<ul> <li>Child care facility</li> </ul>
Cemetery	■ Day care centre, adult
Community centre	◆ Day care centre, child
Hospital	Golf course
Landfill	<ul> <li>Medical clinic</li> </ul>
Library	Retail
Museum	Restaurant
Park	• Sign
Public administration	Solar Collectors
Recreational facility	
<ul> <li>Residential care facility</li> </ul>	
• School	
Tourism information centre	
Utility installations	

## (3) Development Standards

The Development Standards for all uses identified in Table 12.14.1 shall adhere to the standards listed in Table 12.14.2.

**Table 12.14.2** 

Development Standards	Site Standard
Minimum Lot Area (m²)	500 m <sup>2</sup>
Minimum Lot Frontage (m)	15 m
Maximum Lot Coverage (%)	75%
Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)	7.5 m
Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)	5 m
Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)	3 m
Maximum Height	12.2 m

## (4) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in 3.3.
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10.**
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.15 URBAN HOLDINGS (UH)

## (1) Purpose

The UH – Urban Holdings designation is intended to retain land in an undeveloped manner for future urban expansion, while contemplating a limited number of interim uses, and allowing existing uses to remain until development proceeds

## (2) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

Table 12.15.1 outlines the permitted and discretionary uses contemplated in the UH designation where approval is subject to the issuance of an authorized development permit.

**Table 12.15.1** 

Pe	Permitted Uses		Discretionary Uses	
•	Accessory Uses	•	Animal shelter	
•	Agriculture, excluding intensive livestock	•	Campground	
	operations	•	Golf course	
•	Park	•	Sign	
•	Public administration	•	Solar collectors	
•	Stormwater Management Facility			
•	Utility installations			

## (3) Development Standards

The Development Standards for all uses identified in Table 12.15.2 shall adhere to the standards listed in Table 12.15.2.

**Table 12.15.2** 

Development Standards	Site Standard		
Minimum Lot Area (m²)	500 m <sup>2</sup>		
Minimum Lot Frontage (m)	15 m		
Maximum Lot Coverage (%)	75%		
Minimum Front Yard Setback (m)	7.5 m		
Minimum Rear Yard Setback (m)	5 m		
Minimum Side Yard Setback (m)	3 m		
Maximum Height	12.2 m		

## (4) Additional Regulations

- (a) Accessory uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.1.
- (b) Temporary uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations as per 8.25.
- (c) Non-conforming uses in this designation shall be subject to the regulations in **3.3.**
- (d) Parking and loading facilities in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **Part 10**.
- (e) Landscaping in this designation shall be provided in accordance with the regulations in **8.16.**
- (f) The construction of signs in this designation shall be in accordance with the regulations in **Part 11.**

## 12.16 DIRECT CONTROL (DC)

## (5) Purpose

The DC – Direct Control designation is intended to provide control over the use and development of land or buildings for which Council has determined that, because of unique land use characteristics, innovative ideas, or special environmental concerns, such development could not be effectively accommodated under any other land use designation in this Bylaw.

## (6) Permitted and Discretionary Uses

- (a) All permitted and discretionary uses shall be as prescribed in the previously written Statutory Plan.
- (b) In the absence of an adopted Area Structure Plan or Area Redevelopment Plan, any use which, in the opinion of the Development Authority, is compatible with the character of existing surrounding uses and adjacent designated Land Use Districts may also be allowed.

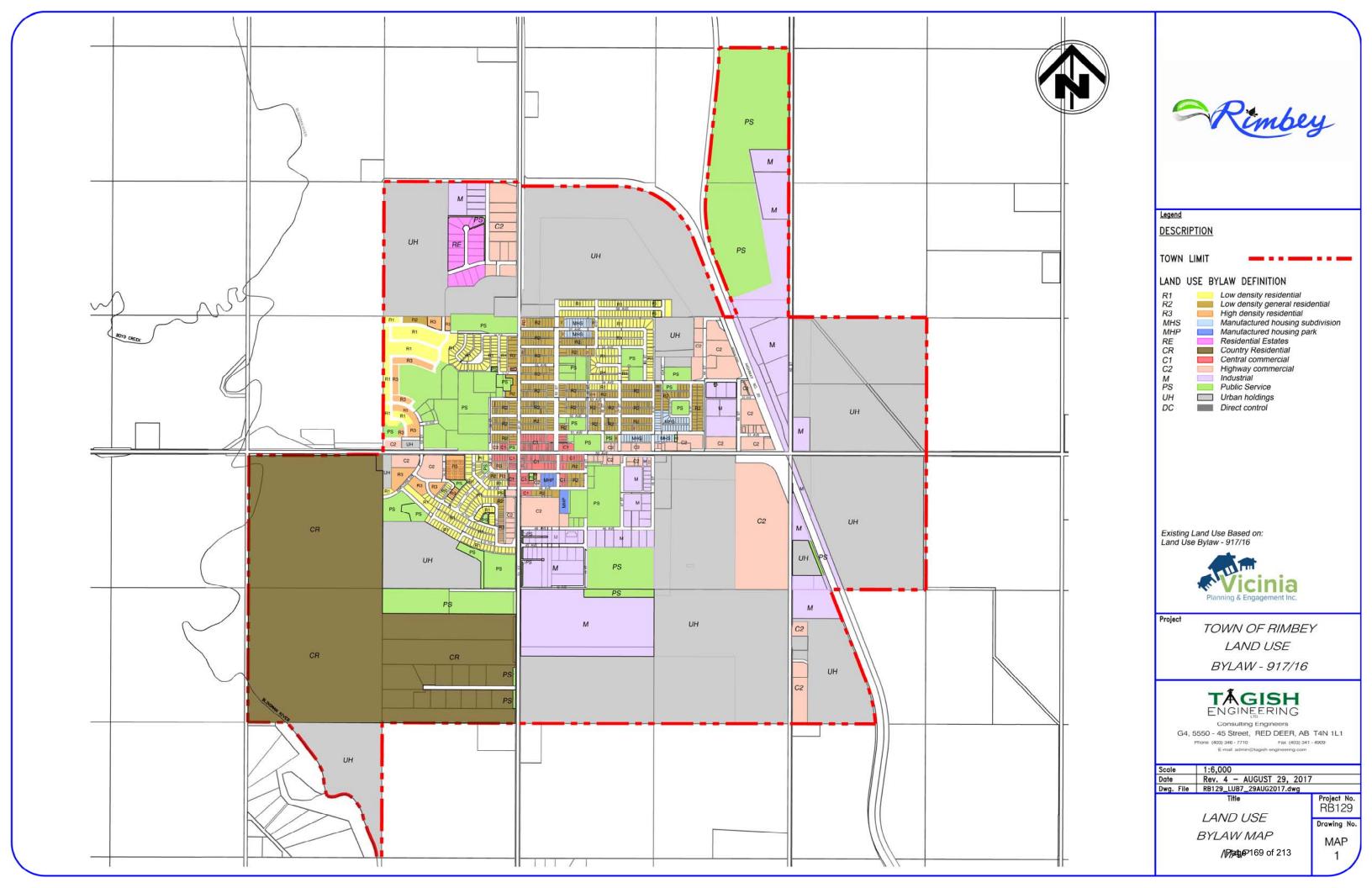
## (7) Development Standards

- (a) The Development Authority may require additional information to properly evaluate the proposed development in terms of its compliance with this Bylaw, and any applicable Statutory Plan.
- (b) All development shall comply with the lot sizes, building setback requirements and other development criteria as prescribed in any applicable Statutory Plan.

#### (8) Additional Regulations

- (a) All other development requirements shall be at the discretion of the Development Authority. In determining the appropriate requirements for a development in the DC District, the Development Authority shall have regard to any provisions in this Bylaw for similar uses or developments.
- (b) In the absence of an adopted Area Structure Plan or Area Redevelopment Plan, the regulations which will be applied to a development will be those which, in the opinion of the Development Authority, are compatible with the character of existing surrounding uses and adjacent designated Land Use Districts.

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Council Agenda Item	6.1	
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018	
Subject	944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16	
For Public Agenda Public Information		
Background	Bylaw 917/16, the Town of Rimbey Land Use Bylaw was approved by Council on July 25, 2016.	
	On May 8, 2018 Council completed a review of proposed Land Use Bylaw Amendments passing the following motion:	
	Motion:160/18	
	Moved by Councillor Coulthard to approve the review of the Land Use Bylaw as presented and to bring the suggested amendments as an Amendment to the Land Use Bylaw to the Regular Council Meeting scheduled for May 22, 2018.	
	In Favor  Mayor Pankiw  Councillor Coulthard  Councillor Curle  Councillor Payson  Councillor Rondeel	
	CARRIED	
	On May 22, 2018 Council passed first reading of Land Use Bylaw amendment 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16.	
Discussion	Council gave first reading to Bylaw 944/18 Bylaw Amend Land Use Bylaw 917/16 on May 22, 2018. Council set the Public Hearing date of June 26, 2018 and directed administration to circulate notice of Bylaw 944/18 to relevant agencies. Additionally, Council directed administration to advertise the public hearing in the Rimbey Review for 2 consecutive weeks prior to the Public Hearing.	
	Written submission were received from 6 residents, Alberta Transportation, and Alberta Health. No additional written submissions were received from agencies or members of the public.	
	The original comments from Alberta Transportation and 6 resident letters are attached. Alberta Health's comments have not been included at this time as their comments will be addressed upon review of the town's Nuisance Bylaw.	
	In addition Town Administration received legal review on section 4.3 Decision Process. This section has been modified to reflect these changes.	



	Items highlighted in yellow have been added.		
	Items which have a strike through will be deleted.		
Relevant	Land Use Bylaw 917/16		
Policy/Legislation	Municipal Government Act		
Attachments 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16 Agenda Item 4.1)			
	6 Letters from Residents (please see the attachment Alberta Transportation Comments (please see the 4.1)		
	Mark-up Land Use Bylaw 917/16 (please see the atta	chment from Agenda Item 4.1)	
Recommendation	1. Administration recommends Council give Second Reading for Bylaw 944/18 Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 917/16.		
Prepared By:			
	Elizabeth Armitage, MEDes, MCIP, RPP Planning and Development Officer	<u>June 21, 2018</u> Date	
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer		



Council Agenda Item	6.2		
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018		
Subject	Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw		
For Public Agenda	Public Information		
Background	At the Regular Meeting of Council held Tuesday, June 12, 2018 Council passed a motion to disband the Cemetery Board.		
	Motion 191/18  Moved by Councillor Coulthard to disband the Cemetery Board as no actions can be implemented until ratified by Council at a duly constituted meeting.		
	In Favor  Mayor Pankiw Councillor Coulthard Councillor Curle Councillor Payson Councillor Rondeel		
	CARRIED		
Discussion	Administration has prepared a new Town of Rimbey Cemetery Bylaw removing all information which pertained to the Cemetery Board and the Cemetery Board Terms of Reference.		
Attachments	Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries		
Recommendation	<ol> <li>Administration recommends Council give first reading to Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw.</li> <li>Administration recommends Council give second reading to Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw.</li> <li>Administration recommends Council unanimously consent to give third and final reading to Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw.</li> <li>Administration recommends Council give third and final reading to Bylaw 945/18 Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw.</li> </ol>		
Prepared By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Date		
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer		



WHEREAS

The Town of Rimbey is the owner and operator of both West Haven Cemetery and Mount Auburn Cemetery;

NOW THEREFORE The Municipal Council of the Town of Rimbey, duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

#### **SECTION 1 - Title**

1. This Bylaw may be cited as the Town of Rimbey Cemeteries Bylaw.

#### **SECTION 2 - Definitions**

In this bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires:

- a) "Artificial Ornaments" means any cut flowers, silk flowers or wreaths.
- b) "Burial" means the interment of human remains or cremated human remains in a grave.
- c) "Caretaker" means the employee(s) actually working at the cemetery under the instruction and supervision of the Chief Administrative Officer or Director of Public Works.
- d) "Cement Liner" means a concrete burial receptacle placed in the lot into which the casket is lowered. The liner is designed to support the weight of the earth and standard cemetery maintenance equipment to prevent the grave from collapsing.
- e) "Cemetery" means land that is set apart or used as a place for the burial of dead human remains or cremated human remains.
- f) "Council" mean the Council of the Town of Rimbey.
- g) "Flowering Ornamental" means any perennial, annual and biannual flowering plant.
- h) "Grave" means a lot or niche used as a place of burial.
- i) "Lot" means a lot as shown on a plan of subdivision on record in the Town Office.
- j) "Monument" means any structure in a cemetery erected or constructed on a grave or lot for memorial purposes.
- k) "Niche" means a compartment as shown on a Columbarium Map on record in the Town Office for the storage of cremated remains.
- I) "Town" means the Town of Rimbey.
- m) "Woody Ornamental" means any trees shrubs, creepers and climbers.

## SECTION 3 - Duties, Rights and Powers

- 1) Council of the Town of Rimbey shall have charge of the cemeteries.
- Council will provide direction, by way of resolution, for all items other than regular maintenance of the cemeteries.



- The Town shall maintain the cemeteries, ensuring the grass is mowed on a regular basis, grass is trimmed around all headstones, trees trimmed, and gates and fences are in good repair.
- The Town will have lots available for the burial of human remains at all times.
- 5) The Town shall have the authority to order that the graves in any particular section of the cemetery shall be laid in any direction the Town may consider suitable.
- 6) The Town shall have the authority to have removed any weeds or grass, funeral designs, or floral pieces which may become wilted or any other article or thing which is in their opinion unsightly.
- 7) If, in the opinion of the Town, any woody ornamentals situated on or about the cemeteries shall become by means of their roots or branches or in any other way detrimental to adjacent lots, walks or driveways, prejudicial to the general appearance to the grounds or dangerous or inconvenient to the public, the Town shall have the right to remove such woody ornamentals or any parts thereof.
- 8) The Town shall have the right to remove fences, borders, railings, walls, hedges, copings and other enclosures now in existence as they may deem advisable after sufficient notice of their intention to do so has been published in a newspaper circulated in the Town if the relatives are unknown.
- (a) No person shall disturb the quiet or good order of the cemetery by improper noise, improper conduct or otherwise.
  - (b) A member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Community Peace Officer, Chief Administrative Officer or Director of Public Works may evict therefrom, or deny entrance, to any person who contravenes paragraph (a) hereof.
- Whenever the owner of a lot neglects to make the required repairs or alterations to a lot within 30 days after receiving written notice from the Town to do so, the Town shall have the power to repair such lot and charge the cost thereof to the owner which may be recovered as a debt from the owner to the Town.

#### SECTION 4 - Lots & Niches

- The plans of subdivision of the lands made available for a burial purposes and the Columbarium Map now on record in the Rimbey Town Office, together with all subsequent plans of subdivision of such lands approved by the Town, shall be the plans of the cemetery herein referred to and all interments shall be made and records kept by the Rimbey Town Office in accordance with such plans. Copies of all such plans shall be made available for inspection free of charge at the Rimbey Town Office during normal office hours.
- The Town Office shall administer all sales of lots and niches and interments in the cemetery.
- The Town Office shall make all sales and receive all monies therefrom for all interments made in the cemeteries.
- 4) (a) Lots and Niches in the cemetery shall be sold by the Town upon the purchaser paying the amounts set forth in schedule "A" of the Fees for Services Bylaw.



- (b) The funds received by the Town for perpetual care will be invested by the Town and the interest therefrom shall be used to offset the maintenance of the Town of Rimbey's cemeteries.
- 5) Posts to mark the limits of the lots shall be permitted, provided that they are place within the limits of the lots and are level with and not projecting above the ground.

#### **SECTION 5 - Burials**

- No burial shall be permitted in the cemetery unless a proper burial permit is produced by the party applying for the burial. No interment shall be permitted until the Town is provided with the following particulars:
  - -Name of deceased.
  - -Name of Funeral Home or person responsible for the burial.
  - -Date and time of burial.
  - -Name and address of person to be billed for cemetery lot or niche and perpetual care fees.
- 2) The owner of a lot or niche, or the person instructing the Town to open a grave shall give complete and precise instructions regarding the location of the grave, and the Town shall not be responsible for any errors resulting from the lack of proper instructions.
- The use of a cement liner is mandatory.
- 4) (a) Graves shall be dug and interments made only by persons under the supervision and direction of the Town. The Cemetery Board may restrict any grave openings during the winter months, having consideration for weather and ground conditions. The deceased person/persons shall be place in the burial vault located in Mount Auburn Cemetery, at no charge, for such a period of time as is considered necessary by the Cemetery Board.
  - (b) No person or persons not under the control or supervision, in person or verbally, of the Town shall open any grave for the purpose of interring or disinterring a body. A proper permit must be provided by the party applying for interment or disinterment.
- 5) No grave for burial of a deceased person shall be less than 1 meter in depth from the surface of the ground surrounding the grave, from the top of the outermost receptacle.
- 6) No grave for the burial of a stillborn child shall be less than fifty (50) centimeters in depth from the surface of the ground surrounding the grave, from the top of the outermost receptacle.
- 7) No grave for the burial of cremated remains shall be less than fifty (50) centimeters in depth from the surface of the ground surrounding the grave.
- 8) In no case shall the cremated remains of more than four persons be interred in a full size lot and in no case shall the cremated remains of more than two persons be interred in a cremation lot or niche.



- 9) The body of an adult person shall not be interred in the same grave in which a body has previously been interred unless the first body has been buried at a depth of at least 250 centimeters from the surface of the ground to the bottom of the grave. The first interment must use a cement liner. In no case shall be bodies of more than two adult persons be interred in the same grave.
- 10) When more than one body is interred in the same grave, the last interment shall be at a depth of at least one (1) meter from the surface of the ground to the top of the outermost receptacle.
- 11) No second interment shall be permitted in any lot in the cemetery on which there are unpaid charges due and payable to the Town.
- 12) All work in the immediate vicinity of a grave shall be discontinued during the burial service.
- 13) All burials within the limits of the cemetery shall be under the supervision and control of the Town, as outlined by this Bylaw.
- 14) Notwithstanding the foregoing, cremated human remains may be scattered on the surface of common ground at no charge. In order that concise records may be kept, applicants for this service must first contact the Town Office and supply the Town will a copy of the Certificate of Cremation along with the information required in Section 4(1) of this bylaw.
- 15) For the purpose of the preceding clause, "Common Ground" shall mean that portion of the cemeteries described in the cemetery plan.

#### **SECTION 6 - Monument**

- All persons employed in the construction and erection of monuments or doing other work in the cemeteries whether employed by the Town or not shall be subject to the direction and control, directly or verbally, of the Town.
- No monument shall be erected in the cemeteries until the design, description, and materials have been approved by the Town, a permit for the erection of such monument has been issued and the prescribed fee for such permit as provided for in Schedule "A" of the Fees for Services Bylaw has been paid. Monuments which are placed without a permit will be removed.
- All monuments placed on Columbarium Niches shall be a standard 10x7 bronze wreath with bud vases.
- 4) Except in Mount Auburn Cemetery, all monuments shall be placed on the foundation provided by the Town and shall be confined within the boundaries of the respective lots, and all monuments shall not exceed 40.5 centimeters above the foundation, or not be within 5 centimeters of the edge of the foundation, provided by the Town.
- No monument shall be erected on Saturdays, Sundays, or holidays unless permission in writing has been granted by the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 6) Except in the Mount Auburn Cemetery, all persons erecting monuments shall ensure to the satisfaction of the Town that such monuments are firmly secured to the foundation.



- All persons erecting monuments shall ensure that the surrounding areas are left in the same conditions found.
- No work shall be done upon any monument, nor shall any monument be removed from any grave or lot without the permission of the Town.
- Concrete or stone slab covers over graves are prohibited.
- 10) The Town shall not be liable for damages resulting from theft, vandalism or damage whatsoever caused to monuments erected upon a lot.
- 11) The Town reserves the right to remove any monument at the owner's cost, with written notice.
- 12) Whenever the owner of a lot neglects to make the required repairs or alterations to a monument within 30 days after receiving written notice from the Town to do so, the Town shall have the power to repair such monuments and charge the cost thereof to the owner which may be recovered as a debt from the owner to the Town.
- Notwithstanding subsections 1-10, no upright marker shall be permitted in the West Haven Cemetery.

#### **SECTION 7 - Visitors**

 No person shall enter or remain in the cemeteries between the hours of 10:00 p.m. of any day and 6:00 a.m. of the following day.

#### **SECTION 8 – Vehicles in the Cemeteries**

- No person shall drive any vehicle through any cemetery at a greater rate of speed than 15 km/h.
- The Town may prohibit the driving of vehicles in any part of the cemeteries.
- The Town may prohibit the driving of any vehicle in the cemeteries when the roads are in an unfit condition.
- 4) Unless authorized by the Town, no bicycle, motorcycle, or horse shall be allowed in the cemeteries except when it is part of a funeral procession.
- The owner of any moving vehicle shall be responsible for any damage done by such vehicle within the boundaries of the cemeteries.

#### **SECTION 9 - General Provisions**

- Unless permission has been obtained from the Town, no person shall remove, destroy, prune or otherwise interfere with any woody or flowering ornaments in the cemeteries. Any woody ornamentals planted within the boundaries of the cemeteries must be done so under the authorization and/or supervision of the Town.
- Fences, railings, walls, copings, hedges, in or around the lots are prohibited.



- Artificial ornaments are allowed in a continuous basis unless they become unsightly as noted in Section 2(5).
- No person shall destroy, damage, deface or write upon any monument, tablet or other structure or object in the cemeteries.
- 5) No person shall deposit any paper, sticks, or refuse of any kind on any portion of the lands within the boundaries of the cemeteries except in receptacles provided for that purpose.
- 6) No person shall remove the sod in graves or from any portion of any lot in the cemeteries without first obtaining the written consent of the Chief Administrative Officer.
- All grading, seeding of grass, and sodding work shall be done under the direction of the Town.
- 8) No person, other than an employee of the Town, or the owner of a lot or his agent shall be permitted to care for any lot in any cemetery.
- Benches of a style approved by the Town may be permitted in the cemeteries under such conditions as Town may order.
- The tops of lots or graves shall be kept level with the surrounding ground.
- 11) No animal shall be allowed in any cemetery unless such animal is on a leash and accompanied by an adult person.
- 12) The Town shall operate the cemeteries in accordance with the Cemeteries Act of Alberta, and other provincial and federal legislation and regulations.
- 13) Flowers are restricted to the bud vases on all niches.

#### SECTION 10 - Penalty

 Any person who commits a breach of any of the provisions of this bylaw shall on conviction for such breach be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, or not less than twenty five (\$25.00) dollars, exclusive of costs, or in the case of nonpayment if the fine and cost imposed to imprisonment for any period not exceeding sixty (60) days.

#### SECTION 11 - Repeal

1) Bylaw 930/17 is hereby repealed.

This Bylaw shall come into effect on the date of final passage thereof.

## BYLAW NO. 945/18



# A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF RIMBEY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTROL AND REGULATIONS OF THE RIMBEY CEMETERIES

READ a First Time in Council this _	<del></del>	_day of _		2018.
READ a Second Time in Council th	nis	_day of _		2018.
UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to pre Reading.	esent this	s Bylaw	for Third an	d Final
READ a Third Time and Finally Pas	ssed this		day of	, 2018.
-			Mayor Rick	Pankiw
	Chief A	dministra	tive Officer I o	ri Hillis



Council Agenda Item	7.1	
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018	
Subject	Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal	
For Public Agenda	Public Information	
Background	Each year the Town of Rimbey enters into an agreement with the Town of Ponoka for Yard Waste Compost Disposal.	
Discussion	The Town of Rimbey offers a Yard Waste Compost Disposal bin at the Transfer Station for the residents of Rimbey and area and there is also a program for residents of Rimbey whereby they can purchase a maximum of two (2) bins at \$11.00 each, with an annual fee of \$36.00 to have the Yard Waste Compost picked up. Pick up is on Mondays, from the middle of May to the Middle of October.  Public Works then trucks this yard waste to the Town of Ponoka 's Waste Transfer Station.	
Financial Implications	\$1.50 per cubic yard	
Attachments	Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal	
Recommendation	Administration recommends Council accept and direct Administration to execute the Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal with the Town of Ponoka for the period of May 1, 2018 to April 30, 2019, at a cost of \$1.50 per cubic yard.	
Prepared By:	Akillis for Rick Schmidt, Director of Public Works  Date	
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer	



# Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal

#### Between

#### Town of Ponoka

(Hereinafter referred to as the "Town")

#### and

#### **Town of Rimbey**

(Hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor")

**THIS AGREEMENT** made the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 2018. The Term of this Agreement shall be for a period of twelve (12) months (May 1, 2018 to April 30, 2019) unless otherwise extended upon mutual agreement between both parties.

**WHEREAS** the Town operates the Town of Ponoka's Waste Transfer Station (WTS), Yard Waste Compost Site, currently consisting of yard waste composting and the mobile equipment which is used to process the yard waste materials located at the Town's WTS.

**WHEREAS** the Contractor desires the Town to cooperate with the Contractor in allowing them to dispose of their yard waste compost products at the Town's WTS, Yard Waste Compost Site, in order to achieve stability and sustainability in the operation of the Contractor's waste management program.

**WHEREAS** the parties hereto desire to enter into an agreement whereby the Town will receive the yard waste compostable materials collected by the Contractor's yard waste compost program in accordance with the terms and conditions herein after set forth.

Quality and Quantity of Compost collected by the Contractor and delivered to the Town's WTS, Yard Waste Compost Site, are as follows:

- 1. The Contractor agrees to deliver to the Town's WTS, Yard Waste Compost Site, such products as
  - a. Leaves.
  - **b.** Grass clippings,
  - c. Mulch,
  - d. Flowers and plants,
  - e. Unscreened compost (decomposed yard waste materials),
  - f. Non-invasive weeds,
  - **q.** Tree and brush pruning,
  - h. Sod and dirt attached to sod in small quantities.
- 2. Yard waste does not include animal feces, cardboard, plastic, soil, rocks, fencing, fabric, netting and other non-vegetated landscaping and gardening waste. Please remove bagged yard waste from bags. Any material other than yard waste in the compost waste pile is not permitted.

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	Town / Contractor



# Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal

#### Price, Payment and Reporting

The disposal fee price for compost products shall be \$1.50 per cubic yard. The Town will invoice the Contractor on a monthly basis.

#### **Term**

The term of the agreement shall be for the 2018 year.

#### Governing Law

This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the Province of Alberta and the forum for all disputes shall be the Courts of the Province of Alberta. This agreement contains the entire agreement and understandings between the parties pertaining to the deposal of yard waste at the Town Waste Transfer Station. This agreement may not hereafter be added to, altered or modified except by written instrument signed by both parties. No delay or omission in the exercise of any right or remedy here under shall impair such right or remedy of be construed to be a waiver of or acquiescence in any default.

## Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

While the <u>Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</u> allows persons a right of access to records in the Town's custody or control, it also prohibits the Town from disclosing personal information about an individual in certain circumstances, or business information, if disclosure could reasonably be expected to cause harm as outlined in the Act. Because of the complexity of this Act, user of the Town's waste management facilities must consider the potential that any information that is provided to the Town may be disclosed to a third party.

#### Health & Safety

Health and Safety are paramount on Town property. All users of the Waste Transfer Station (WTS) shall adhere to the WTS Health & Safety rules. All users of the Town's WTS will follow the directions of the Town's WTS Staff.

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	Town / Contractor



# Memorandum of Agreement Yard Waste Compost Disposal

**In Witness Whereof** the parties hereto have duly executed this Amendment to the Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

Town of Rimbey	Town of Ponoka	
Per	Per	
(Signature)	(Signature)	-
Name	Name	=
(Please Print)	(Please Print)	
Title	Title	
(Please Print)	(Please Print)	
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Initials \_\_\_\_/\_ Town / Contractor



Council Agenda Item	7.2		
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018		
Subject	Alberta Transportation Access Agreement		
For Public Agenda	Public Information		
Background	The Town of Rimbey has been contacted by Thurber Engineering Ltd. who are working on behalf of Alberta Transportation. They are requesting to drill 4 test holes, completed as 2 inch groundwater monitoring wells on property owned by the Town of Rimbey at Lot 3, Block 11, Plan 7921770 and Block OT, Plan 3755HW.		
	The purpose is to monitor salinity impacts related to the former highway maintenance yard to the west of the current public works yard.		
	These locations are indicated on the attached map and are indicated as C, D, and E, at the sewage lagoon and J for the location in the current public works yard.		
	They would be long term wells and they would need to conduct an annual site visit for groundwater sampling between January 1, 2018 and March 31, 2021.		
Discussion			
Attachments	Email Letter of Request Map Proposed Assessment Locations Alberta Transportation Access Agreement		
Recommendation	Administration recommends Council accept and execute the Alberta Transportation Access Agreement.		
Prepared By:	L'Hillis June 21/18		
for	Rick Schmidt, Date Director of Public Works		
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date		

#### **Rick Schmidt**

Attachments:

From: Jordan Balfour <jbalfour@thurber.ca>

**Sent:** Monday, June 04, 2018 1:26 PM

To: Rick Schmidt

**Subject:** Proposed Off-Site Testhole Locations - Rimbey Former Highway Maintenance Yard

16852.26 Proposed Testholes.pdf; Rimbey Access Agreement (The Town of Rimbey).pdf;

Stickup Well Install Example.pdf

Hi Rick,

As discussed on the phone, we would like to drill 4 test holes (which would be completed as 2 inch groundwater monitoring well) on property owned by The Town of Rimbey. Please see attached map, these are located at the town sewage lagoon (labelled as C, D, and E) and the current public works yard (labelled as J). We are conducting the work on behalf of Alberta Transportation and the purpose is to monitor salinity impacts related to the former highway maintenance yard to the west of the current public works yard. The wells would be completed with steel stick up protectors (see attached example) and ideally placed in a locations to avoid yard activities and vehicle traffic. Locations on the map would be approximate until we can confirm utility structures and your acceptance. Generally the wells would have a long term presence and we would be out at the site annually to conduct groundwater sampling.

I've also attached a copy of an access agreement which would allow us to conduct the work described. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at the information below. We would like to conduct the work on June 27<sup>th</sup>, and the proposed work would take approximately 3 days.

Thanks for your time,

Jordan Balfour, P.Geo. Environmental Scientist

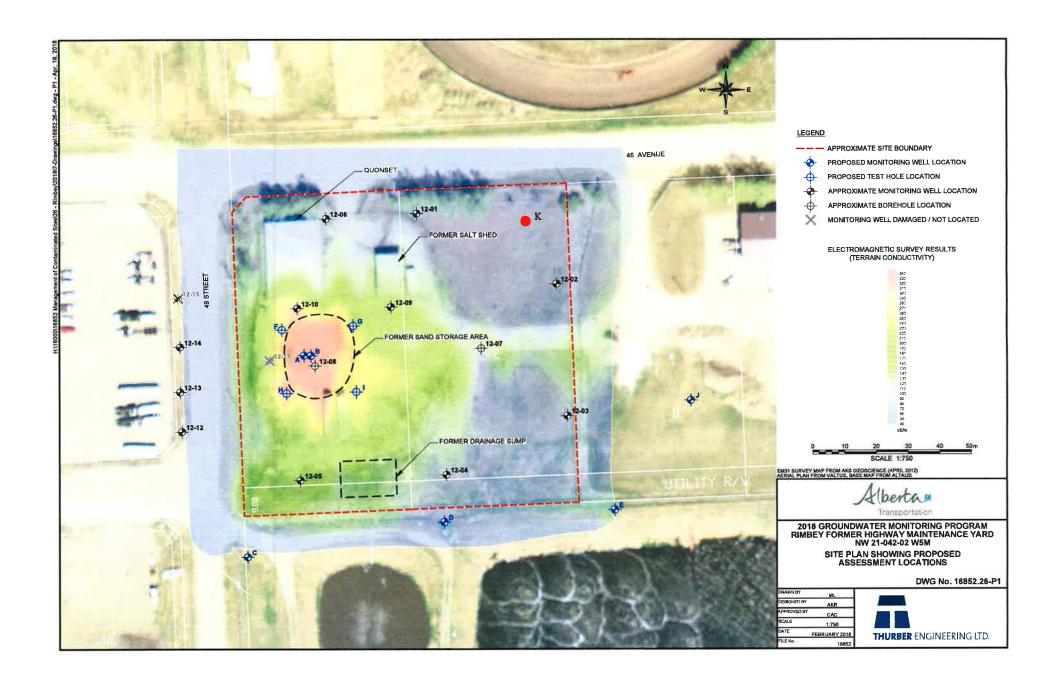
Thurber Engineering Ltd. 4127 Roper Road NW Edmonton, Alberta T6B 3S5

T. 780 438 1460 | F. 780 437 7125 thurber.ca

Reviewed by:

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# PROPOSED ASSESSMENT LOCATIONS 2018 ADDITIONAL DELINEATION PROGRAM RIMBEY FORMER HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE YARD CENTRAL REGION (CON0018697)

Proposed Assessment Location	Monitoring Location Rationale	Proposed Borehole Depth	Proposed Monitoring Well Depth
Α	Assess vertical salinity impacts in main EM anomaly.	20.0 m	20.0 m
В	Assess vertical salinity impacts in main EM anomaly.	6.0 m	6.0 m
С	Assess lateral extents of salinity impacts to the southwest.	6.0 m	6.0 m
D	Assess lateral extents of salinity impacts to the south.	6.0 m	6.0 m
E	Assess lateral extents of salinity impacts to the southeast.	6.0 m	6.0 m
F	Assess vertical salinity impacts (soil only) in main EM anomaly.	6.0 m	(3404)
G	Assess vertical salinity impacts (soil only) in main EM anomaly.	6.0 m	10 <del>0000</del> 2
Н	Assess vertical salinity impacts (soil only) in main EM anomaly.	6.0 m	
I	Assess vertical salinity impacts (soil only) in main EM anomaly.	6.0 m	(ANIA)
J	Assess lateral extents of salinity impacts to the east.	6.0 m	6.0 m

K - Add another testhole to NE corner of site for background conditions

3.0 m



Agreement between The Town of Rimbey (the "Owner"), and HER MAJESTY the QUEEN in RIGHT of ALBERTA, as represented by the Minister of Transportation (the "Minister") c/o Thurber Engineering Ltd.

In consideration of the payment to the **Owner**, of the sum of One **(\$1.00)** Dollar, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the **Owner**, the **Owner** hereby, for itself and its lawful successors and assigns, grants unto, the **Minister** the right for the **Minister** and the **Minister**'s employees, workmen, contractors or agents ("**Minister**'s **Workers**") to enter upon, use and occupy the following lands, in the Province of Alberta:

Lot 3, Block 11, Plan 7921770 & Block OT, Plan 3755HW (hereinafter called the "Lands").

for the purposes of assessing the environmental condition of the **Lands** with respect to historical salt handling and storage activities, including:

- visual assessment of the site conditions;
- monitoring of water levels and collection of groundwater samples from monitoring wells for laboratory analysis;
- conducting periodic non-intrusive electromagnetic surveys to assess soil conductivity; and,
- if required, conducting intrusive drilling investigation to further assess soil and groundwater conditions beneath the **Lands**. The potential assessment locations would be provided to the Owner for review and approval prior to proceeding with any intrusive investigation.

during the period from: January 1, 2018 and to: March 31, 2021.

The rights granted are subject to the following:

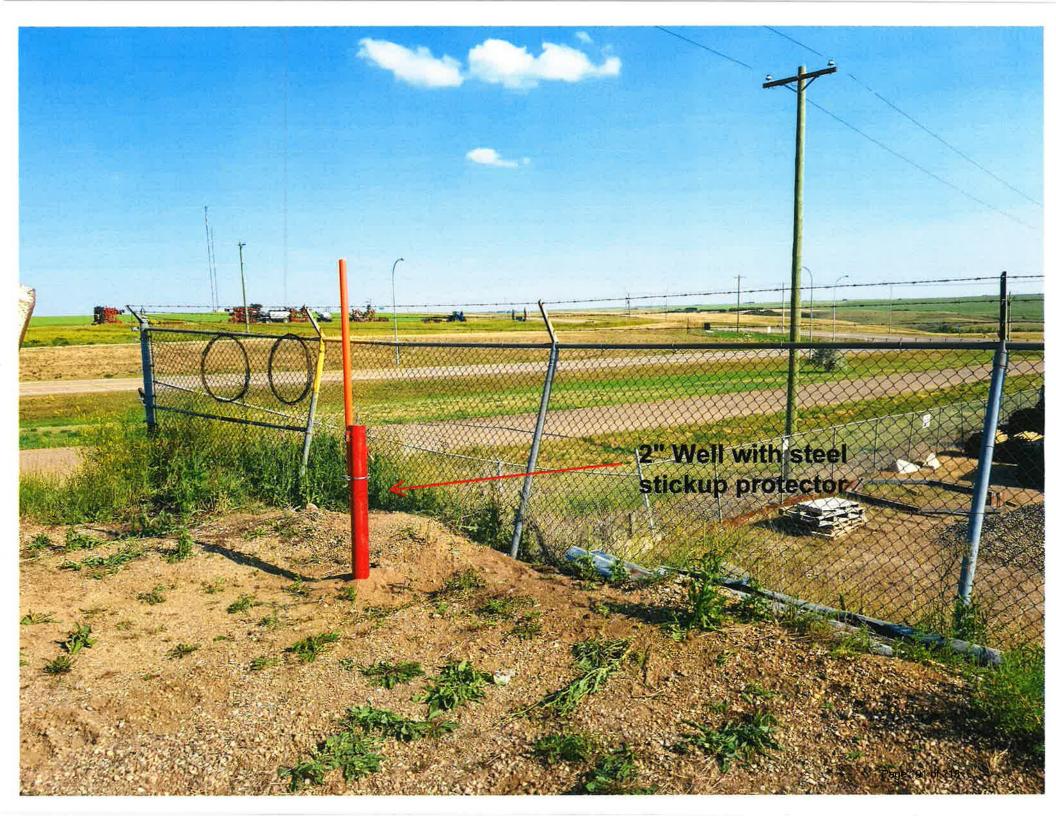
- 1. The **Minister** will be entitled to take on the **Lands** all necessary equipment, machinery and implements.
- Reasonable attempts will be made to contact the **Owner** at \_\_\_\_\_\_

  prior to entering the **Lands**.

- 3. The Minister will compensate the Owner for damages caused by or resulting from the Minister's or Minister's Workers exercise of the rights granted.
- 4. The **Minister** will hold the **Owner** harmless from any and all third party claims, demands or actions for which the **Minister** is legally responsible, including those arising out of a negligent or wilful act of the **Minister** or the **Minister**'s **Workers**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I / We have hereur	nto subscribed my (our) name (s)
this day of	, 2018.
Signed, in the presence of:	
Witness	Owner
Witness	Owner
ACCEF	PTANCE
I hereby accept the above Access Agreeme	nt according to the terms and conditions and
agree to do all things necessary to complete	the Agreement.
Dated at	, in the Province of Alberta,
thisday of	, 2018.
Signed by the Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation, of the Province of Alberta, or his duly authorised representative.	







Council Agenda Item	7.3			
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018			
Subject	Request for Municipal Property Tax Cancellation			
For Public Agenda	Public Information			
Background	At the June 13, 2016 Regular Meeting of Council, Council received and discuss request from the owner of Lot 6, Block 1, Plan 0727008 for a refund of municipal tax the property. This lot is one of three lots which carry a restrictive covenant requiring owners to construct an access road upon further development.  Council passed the following motions:			municipal taxes o
	267/16	Moved by Councillor Godlonton to refund the 2014 Municipal Property Tax in the amount of \$662.66 for Roll # 24180, Lot 6, Block 1, Plan 0727008	Carried	June 13, 2016
	268/16	Moved by Councillor Webb to refund the 2015 Municipal Property Tax in the amount of \$696.15 for Roll # 24180, Lot 6, Block 1, Plan 0727008.	Carried	June 13, 2016
	269/16	Moved by Councillor Jaycox approve the request for Roll # 24180, Lot 6, Block 1, Plan 0727008 for cancellation of 2016 Municipal Property Tax in the amount of \$717.16.	Carried	June 13, 2016
Discussion	Administration has received correspondence from the owner of Plan 07270 Lot 6, requesting a refund of the municipal portion of the taxes for the year 2018 as the owner feels the lot is unsalable due to the covenants registered of the A review of the 2017 and 2018 Combined Assessment and Property Tax Not the property is assessed on land only. Below is a breakdown of the charges for 2017			he years 2017 an ered on title. ax Notices indicat
	Municipa	I \$717.16 Municipal rty owner would be responsible to pay the School	\$749.8 and Rimo	



Relevant	MGA 347(1)		
Policy/Legislation	Cancellation, reduction, refund or deferral of taxes		
	347(1) If a council considers it equitable to do so, it may,		
	generally or with respect to a particular taxable property or		
	business or a class of taxable property or business, do one or more		
	of the following, with or without conditions:		
	(a) cancel or reduce tax arrears;		
	(b) cancel or refund all or part of a tax;		
	(c) defer the collection of a tax.		
	(2) A council may phase in a tax increase or decrease resulting		
	from the preparation of any new assessment.		
	1994 cM-26.1 s347		
Financial Implications	Loss of 2017 Municipal Tax Revenue of \$717.16 and 2018 Municipal Tax Revenue of		
	\$749.87 for the Town of Rimbey		
Recommendation	1. Administration recommends Council deny the request for 2017 Municipal Tax		
	cancellation for Plan 0727008, Block 1, Lot 6, in the amount of \$717.16.		
	2. Administration recommends Council deny the request for 2018 Municipal Tax		
	cancellation for Plan 0727008, Block 1, Lot 6, in the amount of \$749.87.		
Prepared By:			
	Don Nellis		
	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Date		
	Chief Administrative Officer		
Endorsed By:			
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	Con Villes June 21/18		
	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Date		
	Chief Administrative Officer		



Council Agenda Item	8.1
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018
Subject	Finance
For Public Agenda	Public Information
Discussion	8.1.1 Accounts Payable Listings
Attachments	Accounts Payable Listing
Recommendation	Motion by Council to accept the Accounts Payable listing provided by the Chief Financial Officer, as information.
Prepared By:	Wande Staddart Wanda Stoddart Director of Finance
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date

# Town of Rimbey 2018 Accounts Payable Cheque List

From: 07-Jun-2018 To: 21-Jun-2018

Vendor Name	Purpose	Cheque	Date	Amount
Alberta Municipal Services	Curling Club - power	PAW4843	15-Jun-2018	307.10
Canada Revenue Agency	RP0001/02 - CPP, EI, Tax (May 27-June09/18).	PAW4844	15-Jun-2018	17138.57
EPCOR	Scout Hall - power	PAW4845	15-Jun-2018	87.19
Alberta Education	2nd quarter school requisition 2018	PAW4846	15-Jun-2018	218899.12
LAPP	LAPP payment for June 06/18 biweekly payroll	PAW4847	15-Jun-2018	1272.92
LAPP	LAPP payment for June 15/18 biweekly payroll	. PAW4848	15-Jun-2018	8843.51
Servus Credit Union	L.Hillis - May 2018 statement - M/C	PAW4849	15-Jun-2018	1380.64
Servus Credit Union	W.Stoddart - M/C - May 2018	PAW4850	15-Jun-2018	214.10
Servus Credit Union	C.Bowie - M/C - May 31/18	PAW4851	15-Jun-2018	518.06
Servus Credit Union	R.Schmidt - M/C - May 31/18	PAW4852	15-Jun-2018	5433.28
Servus Credit Union	R.Pankiw - M/C - May 31/18	PAW4853	15-Jun-2018	362.42
Alberta Municipal Services	June 07/18 - power/gas	PAW4854	19-Jun-2018	33806.52
Telus Mobility Inc.	Cell phone	PAW4855	19-Jun-2018	182.11
Workers' Compensation Board -	· ·	PAW4856	19-Jun-2018	2240.45
Waste Management	recycle - May 31/18	PAW4857	19-Jun-2018	2568.05
Jim Pattison Lease	July 2018 invoice	PAW4858	21-Jun-2018	1677.11
LAPP	LAPP - FCSS - June 20/18 (biweekly payroll	PAW4859	21-Jun-2018	1272.92
Eastlink	Cable - fitness room	PAW4860	21-Jun-2018	87.31
Telus Communications Inc.	Beatty House - phone	PAW4861	21-Jun-2018	79.19
Telus Communications Inc.	internet	PAW4862	21-Jun-2018	101.85
Telus Communications Inc.	phone	PAW4863	21-Jun-2018	69.58
Telus Communications Inc.	Telus - phone	PAW4864	21-Jun-2018	69.58
Telus Communications Inc.	Telus - phone	PAW4865	21-Jun-2018	2097.48
Alsco	, sac pilone	43473	14-Jun-2018	1090.73
AMSC Insurance Services Ltd.		43474	14-Jun-2018	41.12
Anderson Service		43475	14-Jun-2018	194.25
Animal Control Services		43476	14-Jun-2018	1428.00
Beatty Heritage House Society		43477	14-Jun-2018	4000.00
Behren Signs		43478	14-Jun-2018	157.24
Black Press Group Ltd.		43479	14-Jun-2018	1922.14
Bridgewater Bank		43480	14-Jun-2018	255.71
Brownlee LLP		43481	14-Jun-2018	386.85
Coulthard, John W.		43482	14-Jun-2018	881.44
Curle, Lana		43483	14-Jun-2018	290.00
Darcy's Drilling Services Ltd.		43484	14-Jun-2018	4247.25
Federation of Canadian		43485	14-Jun-2018	105.00
Hillis, Lori		43486	14-Jun-2018	526.52
Imperial Esso Service (1971)		43487	14-Jun-2018	35.80
McGhee, Raili		43488	14-Jun-2018	25.00
NAPA Auto Parts - Rimbey		43489	14-Jun-2018	733.35
Omni-McCann Consultants Ltd.		43490	14-Jun-2018	14083.98
Pankiw, Rick		43491	14-Jun-2018	410.96
Rimbey Electric		43492	14-Jun-2018	84.00
Rimbey Express Inc.		43493	14-Jun-2018	57.25
Rimbey Furnace Care & Gas		43494	14-Jun-2018	1293.60
Rural Municipalities of Alberta		43495	14-Jun-2018	350.93
Stationery Stories & Sounds		43496	14-Jun-2018	966.00
Stoddart, Wanda		43497	14-Jun-2018	317.04
Triangle Fire Suppression Ltd.		43498	14-Jun-2018	710.48
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# Town of Rimbey 2018 Accounts Payable Cheque List

From: 07-Jun-2018 To: 21-Jun-2018

Vendor Name Purpose	Cheque	Date	Amount
United Farmers Of Alberta	43499	14-Jun-2018	49.84
Vicinia Planning & Engagement	43500	14-Jun-2018	7050.90
Vivid Signs & Designs	43501	14-Jun-2018	26.25
W.R. Meadows	43502	14-Jun-2018	2384.22
Wolseley Industrial Canada INC	43503	14-Jun-2018	1303.84
Accu-Flo Meter Service Ltd.	43504	19-Jun-2018	614.40
Alberta Highway Services Ltd.	43505	19-Jun-2018	2020.20
Alberta One-Call Corporation	43506	19-Jun-2018	195.30
All About Bouncing	43507	19-Jun-2018	871.50
AN Adventure Distribution &	43508	19-Jun-2018	137.66
Behren Signs	43509	19-Jun-2018	119.54
Canadian Pacific Railway	43510	19-Jun-2018	237.82
Cast-A-Waste Inc.	43511	19-Jun-2018	9397.50
City Of Red Deer	43512	19-Jun-2018	1470.00
Hach Sales & Services Canada	43513	19-Jun-2018	300.41
Hatala, Tonya	43514	19-Jun-2018	25.00
Heart of a Child	43515	19-Jun-2018	420.00
Hi-Way 9 Express Ltd.	43516	19-Jun-2018	263.79
Ibbotson, Ronan	43517	19-Jun-2018	100.00
John Deere Financial Inc.	43518	19-Jun-2018	1233.40
Kendrew, Keith	43519	19-Jun-2018	200.00
Legacy Ford	43520	19-Jun-2018	239.30
Lyster, Stuart	43521	19-Jun-2018	200.00
Matthews, Loretta	43522	19-Jun-2018	50.00
New Can Truck Parts	43523	19-Jun-2018	1389.15
Nikirk Bros. Contracting Ltd.	43524	19-Jun-2018	89.25
On The Mark Productions	43525		
Parkland Regional Library	43525 43526	19-Jun-2018	367.50
Rimbey Historical Society		19-Jun-2018	5471.56
RJ Plumbing and Heating	43527	19-Jun-2018	100.00
Rural Municipalities of Alberta	43528	19-Jun-2018	817.95
Smilemakers	43529	19-Jun-2018	169.86
	43530	19-Jun-2018	257.17
Synergy Health and Safety Town of Ponoka	43531	19-Jun-2018	525.00
	43532	19-Jun-2018	90.00
Town Of Rimbey	43533	19-Jun-2018	250.00
Under Pressure Line Jetting	43534	19-Jun-2018	871.50
Uni First Canada Ltd.	43535	19-Jun-2018	146.80
Academy of European	43536	21-Jun-2018	100.00
Automated Aquatics Canada Ltd.	43537	21-Jun-2018	1306.49
Black Dragon Fireworks Inc.	43538	21-Jun-2018	5000.00
Central Alberta Raceways	43539	21-Jun-2018	500.00
Evergreen Co-operative	43540	21-Jun-2018	6571.21
Hallgarth, Michelle	43541	21-Jun-2018	25.00
LOR-AL SPRINGS LTD.	43542	21-Jun-2018	11.00
Makofka, Samantha	43543	21-Jun-2018	130.00
Petty Cash	43544	21-Jun-2018	184.70
Ponoka County	43545	21-Jun-2018	185985.00
Rimbey & District Horticultural Soc	43546	21-Jun-2018	500.00
Rimbey Chamber Of Commerce	43547	21-Jun-2018	500.00

# **Town of Rimbey 2018**

# **Accounts Payable Cheque List**

From: 07-Jun-2018 To: 21-Jun-2018

Vendor Name Purpose	Cheque	Date	Amount
Rimbey Lions Club	43548	21-Jun-2018	500.00
Rural Municipalities of Alberta	43549	21-Jun-2018	1522.00
Serenity Pet Shelter Society	43550	21-Jun-2018	500.00
Stationery Stories & Sounds	43551	21-Jun-2018	18.17
Superior Safety Codes Inc.	43552	21-Jun-2018	220.76
Tagish Engineering Ltd.	43553	21-Jun-2018	15478.17
Wolseley Industrial Canada INC	43554	21-Jun-2018	1744.84
	105 c	heques for	\$593,557.65



Council Agenda Item	8.2			
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018			
Subject	Boards/Committee Reports			
For Public Agenda	Public Information			
Background	Various community groups supply minutes of their board meetings to Council for their information.			
Options/Consequences	Accept the various community groups' board meeting min as information.  Discuss items in question from the submitting communembers who sit as a member on the Board.			
Attachments	8.2.1 Tagish Engineering Project Status Updates June 7, 2	2018		
Recommendation	Motion by Council to accept the Tagish Engineering Projec 2018, as information.	t Status Updates of June 7,		
Prepared By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer	June 21/18 Date		
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer	June 21/18 Date		



# **PROJECT STATUS UPDATES**

June 7, 2018

Date	Project Manager	Status Update
Town of Rimbey		
Project: RBYM00000.	.18 RB00 - 2018 Genera	al Engineering
April 26, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	<ul> <li>Mayor Pankiw, Town staff and Access Land meet with land owners to discuss the possibility of acquiring land for the Evergreen Connector Walking Trail.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Canadian Consulting Group has prepared a tender package related to supply and installation of a stand by generator for the Rimbey Community Center.</li> </ul>
		- Tagish staff have reviewed engineering drawing for both the Rimbey Cardlock Conversation and Rimbey Storage Yard Site Development.
May 10, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Canadian Consulting Group has provided Tagish with technical information related to supply and installation of a stand by generator for the Rimbey Community Center. Tagish is preparing the "Request for Proposal" for the supply and installation of the standby generator.
May 24, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Lex3 Have inspected the Old Scout Hall and are preparing a report on the condition of the building.
June 6, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	- Tagish has provided Town staff with a letter regarding the grading and fencing of an lot in the Industrial Park.
		- Tagish has provide a letter to be presented to Alberta Environment regarding the discharge wastewater from both the NE and South Lagoons.
		<ul> <li>Public Works and Tagish are working on a Request for Quotation (RFQ) for the hydrant and valve replacement program.</li> </ul>

## Project: RBYM00126.00 RB126 - 2015 New Water Well Ph 1

April 26, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	April 00, 0040 ANEO installad well data la servicio della data in well-				
April 20, 2016	Maticilux, Geraid	April 20, 2018 AMEC installed well data logger and are collecting data in wells				
		close to PW17-15. Pump testing for Well PW17-15 is scheduled for the week of May 14, 2018 due to spring run off.				
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May 10, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Darcy's Drilling Services Ltd under the supervision of AMEC Environmental are pump testing PW17-15 between May 9 - 11, 2018.				
May 24, 2018		Darcy's Drilling have completed the well testing on PW17-15 and WOOD are analyzing the data on the long term yield of the Well.				
June 6, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	AMEC are analyzing Well PW17-15 testing data and will be preparing a report indicating the safe long term yield on the well.				
Project: RBYM00131.01	RB131.01 - SW Storm	nwater Management Plan				
April 26, 2018	Solberg, Lloyd	(April 26 - May 10) No change				
May 24, 2018	Solberg, Lloyd	The Town is currently reviewing the options for the project. Tagish is awaiting feedback from the Town before we can proceed.				
June 7, 2018	Solberg, Lloyd	(June 7) No change.				
Project: RBYM00133.00	RB133 - 2017 NE Lag	oon Outlet Ditch Upg				
April 26, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Waiting for response from Plains Midstream in regards to lowering two (2) pipelines on the Outfall Ditch (March 29 - April 26, 2018).				
May 10, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Tagish contacted Plains Midstream again in regard to lowering two (2) pipelines on the Outfall Ditch. Tagish highlighted the importance of lowering the lines to be able to regrade the Outlet Ditch to improve the overall drainage.				
May 24, 2018		Plains Western have indicated that they have scheduled the lowering of the two pipelines on the Outlet Ditch to be completed in their 2019 construction season.				
June 6, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Tagish is finalizing the ditch design grade and will be preparing the Tender documents.				

#### Project: RBYM00134.00 RB134 - 2018 Street Improvements

April 26, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Border Paving has indicated that the concrete work will be starting after the spring thaw. J. Branco and Sons Concrete Services is scheduled to be on site the week of May 21, 2018.		
May 10, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Border Paving has indicated that the concrete work will be starting after the spring thaw. J. Branco and Sons Concrete Services is scheduled to be on site the week of May 28, 2018.		
May 24, 2018		Concrete removals on 47-48 Street have been identified. Branco & Sons Concrete Services are Scheduled to be on site the week on May 28, 2018.		
June 6, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	J. Branco & Sons Concrete Services are scheduled to be on site the week on June 11, 2018 (the project was delayed due to the backlog in completing First Call request).		
Desired DDVM00401	- 00 DD405 - 04			

#### Project: RBYM00135.00 RB135 - Standby Generator Comm Centre

May 24, 2018		Tagish is preparing the Request for Proposal for the standby generator. RFP will be ready for pickup by May 31, 2018
June 6, 2018	Matichuk, Gerald	Request for Proposal for the standby generator have been advertised on

Request for Proposal for the standby generator have been advertised on APC/Coolnet. A pre-quote site meeting is scheduled for June 14, 2018 and RFP submissions are due June 28, 2018.



Council Agenda Item	8.3			
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018			
Subject	Council Reports			
For Public Agenda	Public Information			
Background	The Mayor and Councillors provide a monthly report to advise of their activities of the previous month.			
Attachments	8.3.1 Mayor Pankiw's Report 8.3.2 Councillor Coulthard's Report 8.3.3 Councillor Curle's Report 8.3.4 Councillor Payson's Report 8.3.5 Councillor Rondeel's Report			
Recommendation	Motion by Council to accept the Council reports as information.			
Prepared By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date			
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date			





# Highlights

Event	Details of Event
Rimoka Mtg	Monthly Rimoka Mtg, see mtg minutes
Central Alberta Mayors Mtg	Bi-monthly Mayors mtg
Outreach Grad	Speech on behalf of Town to Graduates
FCM	Annual FCM Conference in Halifax
Seniors Week	Tea at Drop Inn Centre and speech for recognition of seniors
Outreach School	Met with Outreach Staff to look at furniture in old lodge
Council Mtg	Regular Council Mtg, see minutes
Rimoka Mtg	Mtg in Rimbey, see minutes
4H Banquet	Give greetings on behalf of Town
Council Mtg	Regular Council Mtg, see minutes
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	Rimoka Mtg Central Alberta Mayors Mtg Outreach Grad FCM Seniors Week Outreach School Council Mtg Rimoka Mtg 4H Banquet

- > Rick Wm. Pankiw
- Mayor

# FCM Conference May 31- June 4.2018

#### May 31- Registration at Conference Centre and Official Trade Show Opening and reception

June 1 Opening Ceremonies, P.M. Trudeau's Political keynote
President's Forum
Strengthening your affordable housing toolbox workshop
Optimizing citizen engagement workshop
President and 3<sup>rd</sup> VP candidate's presentations
Andrew Scheer leader of Canada's Conservatives Political keynote

June 2- Jagmeet Singh NDP Leaders Political keynote
Working with Industry to adapt, create and innovate workshop
Tradeshow lunch and touring booths
City of Edmonton Reception

June 3 AGM and table officer elections
Elizabeth May Green Party Leader Political keynote
Selection of Alberta candidates for FCM board of directors
Election of PTA Rep
Host City Gala Reception

FCM was very educational as always and on this particular trip CAO Hillis and I had the opportunity to sit down with Mr. Shawn Menard of Municipal Advocacy Solutions and talk in length on writing and obtaining Federal and Provincial Grants and from this Shawn has agreed to look at some of our Grant Applications that have been denied in past couple of years and help us to re-write them to better fit the Grant process.

The trip was very productive based on talks with people that were able to help us hopefully with some of our challenges and us offer advice on theirs as well.

Please feel to contact me should you wish to further discuss the FCM Conference.

Mayor Rick





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Date Event Details of Event

No written report received at time of publication of the agenda

Bill Coulthard Councillor

# COUNCILLOR'S REPORT- COUNCIL AGENDA MAY, 2018



# Highlights

Date May 8, 2018	Council meeting	Regular town council meeting
May 11, 2018	Coffee with council	Regular program at the Rimbey Library
May 12, 2018	2 hours in May	Participated in town clean up
May 22, 2018	Council meeting	Regular town council meeting
May 23, 2018	Rimoka board meeting	Regular meeting of the Rimoka board held in Ponoka
May 29, 2018	Travel to Calgary	Travel to Calgary to airport, then to FCM in Halifax
May 30, 31	Travel to Halifax	Travel day to FCM in Halifax, first day of conference

Submitted by Lana Curle

Lana Curle Councillor





# Highlights

June 1-4, 2018	FCM	Attended FCM in Halifax, NS. Opportunity to attend sessions on community engagement, farmer's market programs, inner city youth activities. Networking and new ideas from across the country.
June 8, 2018	Coffee with council	Regular program at the Rimbey Library, no community members in attendance.
June 11, 2018	Physican recruitment meeting	Regular meeting at the hospital, preparing for skills day in August
June 12, 2018	Council meeting	Regular meeting at Rimbey Library, no community members in
June 15, 2018	Coffee with council	attendance
June 16, 2018	Rimbey Homecoming	Attended and brought greeting from the Mayor and council
June 20, 2018	Rimoka board	Regular meeting of the Rimoka board, held at Valley View Manor, Rimbey
June 20, 2018	Historical Society	Regular meeting, preparing for Canada Day celebration
June 22, 2018	Coffee with council	Program held at the Rimbey Library
June 25, 2018	Family barbeque	Family barbeque held at new lodge in Rimbey
June 26, 2018	Council meeting	Regular town council meeting
June 29, 2018	Coffee with council	Program at Rimbey Library

Submitted by Lana Curle

Lana Curle Councillor

#### **FCM Conference**

#### May 31- June 4, 2018

May 31 – registration at conference center, opening of the Trade Show and reception

June 1- Opening ceremonies, keynote address from Prime Minister Trudeau President's Forum

Technology and future of public engagement

President and 3<sup>rd</sup> VP candidate's presentations

Andrew Scheer, PC leader keynote address

June 2 – Jagmeet Singh, NDP Leaders Political Keynote

How Halifax communities are re-connecting with food – mobile produce bus

Inner city kids program – raising money for scholarships through greenhouse growing of herbs

Tradeshow lunch and visiting the various booths

City of Edmonton reception

June 3 – AGM and election of officers
Elizabeth May, leader of the Green Party Political keynote
Selection of Alberta candidates for the FCM board
Election of PTA representative
Gala reception

#### June 4 – travel day home

This was my first opportunity to attend a federal conference and I was very interested in the political keynote addresses. It was wonderful to look at programs in other places and try to envision how bits of this may be applicable to our town. It was helpful to meet and talk with people from other provinces and hear about their challenges and how they addressed these. The number of delegates ( more than 2000) was somewhat overwhelming but the host city was well organized and most things went smoothly.

If there is more detail needed, please feel free to contact me.

Councillor Lana Curle

# COUNCILLOR'S REPORT- COUNCIL AGENDA JUNE 26, 2018



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Paul Payson Councillor



# COUNCILLOR'S REPORT- COUNCIL AGENDA JUNE 26, 2018

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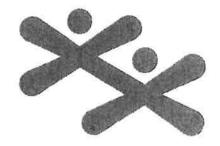
Date Event Details of Event

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Gayle Rondeel Councillor



Council Agenda Item	9.0				
Council Meeting Date	June 26, 2018				
Subject	Correspondence				
For Public Agenda	Public Information				
Attachments	9.1 Boys & Girls Clubs of Wolf Creek				
Recommendation	Administration recommends Council accept the correspondence from Boys & Girls Clubs of Wolf Creek, as information.				
Prepared By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date				
Endorsed By:	Lori Hillis, CPA, CA Chief Administrative Officer  Date				



# Boys & Girls Clubs of Wolf Creek

June 1, 2018

Rimbey Town Council 4938 50 Ave Rimbey, AB TOC 2JO RECEIVED
JUN 7 2018
TOWN OF RIMBEY

Dear Rimbey Town Council,

Boys and Girls Club of Rimbey would like to take this opportunity to address the Town Council decision regarding the future funding of BGC programming in Rimbey. We understand, through reading an article in the Rimbey Review, that funding is being cut by 40% the first year and 60% the following year. As you can imagine, this is a substantial cut in funding and will not allow for the full continuation of current programming.

It has come to our attention that the Town Council decision was founded upon misinformation regarding external funding from the County of Ponoka. We would like to take this opportunity to set forth several facts regarding this funding and ask that the Rimbey Town Council reconsider their decision when taking into consideration the following information.

- The Boys and Girls Clubs of Wolf Creek (serving both Rimbey and Ponoka) annually submits a request for funding from the County of Ponoka. Each year, a decision is made by the County for the current fiscal year. There is no commitment to future years.
- If, or when, money is received from the County of Ponoka, it is allocated to both Ponoka and Rimbey agencies.
- The chart below identifies the amount of money that has been divided up between the two agencies for the past four years. As can be seen, Rimbey has received a larger portion of their share of the funds based upon percentage of youth served. The Ponoka agency chose to give Rimbey part of their funding, so as to ensure the Rimbey agency became firmly established in the community.

	Amount of	BGC Rimbey	BGC Rimbey	BGC Ponoka	BGC Ponoka
Year	Money	County	Percentage	County	Percentage
	Received from	Funding	of Youth	Funding	of Youth
	County	Received	Served	Received	served
	(for both agencies)				
2015	\$10,000	70%	12%	30%	88%
2016	\$10,000	20%	14%	80%	86%
2017	\$15,000	34%	14%	66%	86%
2018	\$15,000	34%	*	66%	*

\*Data not completed yet

 Regarding the Rimbey club, any funding the agency receives from the County of Ponoka, is in addition to funding received from the Town of Rimbey. The money from the County has been used to top-up and meet the annual budget for BGC Rimbey. #4 5004 54 St. Box 4115 Ponoka, AB T4J 1R5

Phone: 403-783-3112

Fax: 403-783-3108

Email: beth@ponokayouthcentre.com

**Partially Funded By:** 



- Any assumption that funding from the County of Ponoka can replace the Town of Rimbey funding is a misunderstanding that would result in a funding shortfall. This, in turn, will ultimately jeopardise future programming in the community.
- Any assumption that the County of Ponoka has committed to long term funding in support of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Wolf Creek is a misunderstanding, as well. Our agency met with Charlie Cutforth (CAO of the County of Ponoka) regarding this information. He has made it clear that there is no long-term commitment to our agency and that there is no arrangement with the Town of Rimbey regarding Boys and Girls Club of Rimbey funding for 2019, or beyond.

Our hope is this information brings some clarity to our current and future funding situation.

We also wish to emphasize the serious situation this loss of town funding will mean to the BGC Rimbey programming in the future. Our hope would be, that for the sake of the youth in the community, the Town Council of Rimbey is able to address this situation.

In conclusion, we want to thank the Town of Rimbey for their past support and investment in the youth and future of their community. If there is any further information the Town Council may require to fully understand this situation, please let us know. If needed, we would be more than willing to attend one of your meetings to provide further information.

We eagerly await your reply.

Sincerely,

Beth Reitz

**Executive Director**