MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BRAZEAU NO. 77

BYLAW NO. 423-2002

A BYLAW OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BRAZEAU NO. 77, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING FIRE SERVICES IN AND FOR THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BRAZEAU NO. 77.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government Act, S.A. 1994 c. M-26.1, as amended (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), provides that a Council of a Municipality may pass bylaws for the safety, health and welfare of people and the protection of people and property;

AND WHEREAS, the Forest and Prairie Protection Act, R.S.A., 1980, Chapter F10.1, as amended, provides certain additional powers which may be enacted by the Council of a Municipality so that it can enforce the provisions of the said Forest and Prairie Protection Act within the boundaries of the Municipality;

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the Municipal District of Brazeau No. 77 wishes to establish a fire service within the Municipal District and to provide for efficient operation of such a fire service.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Municipal District of Brazeau No. 77, of the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

Section 1 - Name of Bylaw

This Bylaw may be cited as the "Fire Services Bylaw".

Section 2 - Definitions

- In this Bylaw: 2.1
 - "Applicant" means a person wishing to obtain a (a) 'Fire Permit' for an open fire within the Municipal District of Brazeau;
 - "Council" means the Council of the Municipal (b) District of Brazeau No. 77;
 - "Municipal District" means the Municipal (c) District of Brazeau No. 77;
 - "Municipal Constable" means the Municipal (d) District of Brazeau No. 77 Constabulary member appointed by Council to enforce the provisions of the bylaws of the Municipal District.

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- (e) "Dangerous Goods" means any product, substance or organism specified in the regulations or included by its nature in any of the classes listed in the regulations under the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Control Act, R.S.A. 1980, c. T-6.5, as amended;
- (f) "False Alarm" means any fire alarm that is set out needlessly, through willful human or mechanical error, and to which Fire Services responds;
- (g) "Fire Chief" is the person appointed by the Municipal District to perform the duties and responsibilities of a fire chief;
- (h) "Fire Services" means Fire Services as established and organized for the Municipal District pursuant to the provisions of this Bylaw consisting of, inter alia, all persons appointed or recruited to the various positions prescribed herein, all equipment, apparatus, materials and supplies used in the operation, maintenance and administration of Fire Services, including fire stations;
- (i) "Fire Guardian" means the Reeve, Chief Administrative Officer, each member of the Council and each Fire Guardian appointed by Council prior to April 1 of each year, or such other persons as Council shall appoint to perform such functions as are set forth in this Bylaw, which are consistent with the Forest and Prairie Protection Act;
- (j) "Fire Permit" shall mean a document in the form set out in Schedule "B" of the Fire Permit, as endorsed by Fire Services;
- (k) "fire under control" refers to a fire being guarded and controlled to the extent that it can, at will, be prevented from burning beyond any desired point or boundary;
- (I) "Incident" means a fire or a situation where an explosion or fire is imminent or any other situation where there is a danger or a possible danger to life or property and to which Fire Services has responded:
- (m) "Incinerator Fire" means a fire that is confined within a non-combustible structure or container that has the draft and smoke vents thereof covered with a heavy gauge metal screen having a mesh size not larger than 13 millimetres and which is ventilated in such a manner as to preclude the escape of combustible materials including ash.

- (n) "Member" means any person who is a duly appointed Member of Fire Services, including a part-time member;
- (o) "Open Fire" shall mean any Fire which is not an Incinerator Fire, Pit Fire, Public Park Site Fire or Smudge Fire, and which, without limiting the generality of the foregoing shall include grass fires, forest and brush fires, running fires, structure fires, building fires, wood scrap fires, ground thawing fires and chattel fires:
- (p) "Part-time Member" means:
 - (i) a person who is a duly appointed Member of Fire Services and who receives remuneration for his or her services at a rate of pay established by Council;
 - (ii) a person who is a duly appointed member of Fire Services and who is willing to gratuitously perform his/her functions under this Bylaw;
- (q) "Pit Fire" means a fire which is totally confined within a non-combustible structure or container that has the draft and smoke vents thereof covered with a heavy gauge metal screen having a mesh size no larger than 13 millimetres and which is ventilated in such a manner as to preclude the escape of combustible materials including ash, and which fire is set for the purpose of cooking or obtaining warmth, and such fire may only be fuelled with dry wood, charcoal, coal, natural gas or propane.
- (r) "Public Park Site Fire" means a fire on land owned or leased by the Municipal District or its agents for recreational purposes and is confined to an approved non-combustible engineered container supplied by the Municipal District, or a Portable Appliance, which is set for the purpose of cooking food, obtaining warmth or viewing for pleasure. Such fire may only be fuelled with dry wood, charcoal, coal, natural gas or propane;
- (s) "Premises" shall mean structure, building or container;
- (t) "Running Fire" means a fire burning without being under the proper or any control of any person;

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- (u) "Smudge Fire" means a fire confined within a non-combustible structure or container that is set on land for the purpose of protecting livestock from insects or for protecting garden plants from frost;
- (v) "Under Control" refers to a fire being guarded and controlled to the extent that it can, at will, be prevented from burning beyond any desired point or boundary or area defined by a fire permit.
- (w) "Violation Tag" means a tag or similar document issued by the Municipal District pursuant to the Municipal Government Act, S.A. 1994, c. M-26.1, as amended;
- (x) "Violation Ticket" means a ticket issued pursuant to Part 11 of the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, S.A. 1988, c. P-21.5, as amended, and regulations thereunder.

SECTION 3 - FIRE SERVICES

- 3.1 The Council does hereby establish Fire Services for the purpose of:
 - (a) preventing and extinguishing fires;
 - (b) investigating the cause of fires;
 - (c) preserving life and property and protecting persons and property from injury or destruction by fire;
 - (d) preventing prairie or running fires and enforcing the provisions of the <u>Forest and</u> Prairie Protection Act:
 - (e) preventing, combating and controlling incidents;
 - (f) carrying out prevention patrols;
 - (g) entering into agreements with other municipalities or persons for the joint use, control and management of fire extinguishing apparatus and equipment;
 - (h) purchasing and operating apparatus and equipment for extinguishing fires or preserving life and property.
- 3.2 Fire Services is hereby authorized to control and mitigate incidents involving Dangerous Goods to the level of their training and equipment available.

SECTION 4 - FIRE CHIEF

- 4.1 Council shall appoint the Fire Chief upon the recommendation of the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 4.2 The Fire Chief shall be responsible to the Council through the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 4.3 The Fire Chief has complete responsibility and authority over Fire Services, subject to the direction of Council, and shall, upon approval of Council, prescribe rules, regulations and policies for the ongoing organization and administration of Fire Services, including but not limited to:
 - (a) the use, care and protection of Fire Services property;
 - (b) the appointment, recruitment, conduct, discipline, duties and responsibilities of the Members;
 - (c) the efficient operation of Fire Services;
- 4.4 Regulations, rules or policies made pursuant to Section 4.3 of this Bylaw shall not be inconsistent with the legislation and regulations of the Province of Alberta.
- 4.5 The Fire Chief shall:
 - upon approval of the Council, through the approved budget, be authorized to purchase or otherwise acquire equipment, apparatus, materials or supplies required for the operation, maintenance and administration of Fire Services to be used in connection therewith;
 - (b) keep or cause to be kept, in proper form, records of all business transactions of Fire Services, including the purchase or acquisition of equipment, apparatus, materials or supplies and records of fires attended, actions taken in extinguishing fires, inspections carried out and actions taken on account of inspections carried out and actions taken on account of inspections and any other records incidental to the operation of fire services.

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- (c) upon approval of the Council, negotiate on behalf of the Council, with the Provincial Government of Alberta, other municipalities and persons for the purpose of establishing mutual aid agreements and fire control agreements with recommendations and concerns regarding the establishing or renewing of any mutual aid agreement or fire control agreement or amendments thereto;
- perform such functions and have such powers (d) and responsibilities as Council may from time to time prescribe.
- 4.6 The Fire Chief, or any other Member in charge at a fire, is empowered to cause a building, structure or thing to be pulled down, demolished or otherwise removed if he deems it necessary to prevent the spread of fire to other buildings, structures or things.
- 4.7 The Fire Chief, or any other Member in charge at an incident, is empowered to cause Fire Services to enter on any land or premises, including adjacent land or premises, to combat, control or deal with the incident in whatever manner he deems necessary.
- 4.8 The Fire Chief shall be given access at reasonable hours, to both public and private places, for the purpose of inspecting the premises to ascertain whether the same constitutes or is likely to constitute a fire hazard.
- The Fire Chief, or any other member in charge at an 4.9 incident shall have the authority and power to:
 - (a) require any able-bodied adult person, who is not exempt by the regulations of the Forest and Prairie Protection Act to assist in extinguishing fires and to assist in the prevention or spread thereof;
 - commandeer and authorize payment for the (b) possession or use of any equipment for the purpose of fighting a fire;
 - enter a closed area under the Forest and (c) Prairie Protection Act without a permit or written permission of a forest officer, subject only to the regulations of the Forest and Prairie Protection Act;
 - issue a Fire Permit in respect of any land within (d) the Municipal District;

- issue a Fire Permit unconditionally or impose conditions upon the applicant which the Fire Chief or any other member in charge at the incident, in his discretion, considers appropriate;
- (f) suspend or cancel, at any time, a Fire Permit
- (g) without a warrant enter on any land and premises, except a private dwelling house, for the purpose of discharging his duties under this Bylaw or the Forest and Prairie Protection Act;
- (h) without a warrant enter any private dwelling house or other structure which is on fire and proceed to extinguish the fire or to prevent the spread thereof;
- (i) direct the operations of extinguishing or controlling the fire or the operations to preserve life and property;
- (j) prevent interference with the efforts of persons engaged in the extinguishing of fires or preventing the spread thereof by regulating the conduct of the public at or in the vicinity of any fire;

SECTION 5 - FIRE GUARDIANS

5.1 Council shall appoint fire Guardians annually upon the recommendation of the Fire Chief.

SECTION 6 - POWERS OF FIRE GUARDIANS

- 6.1 Each Fire Guardian shall have the authority and power to:
 - (a) enter a closed area under the Forest and Prairie Protection Act_without a permit or written permission of a forest officer, subject only to the regulations of the Forest and Prairie Protection Act;
 - issue a Fire Permit in respect of any land within the Municipal District, not otherwise under the control of the Alberta Forest Service with respect to fire permits;
 - (c) issue a Fire Permit unconditionally or impose conditions upon the applicant which the Fire Guardian, in his discretion, considers appropriate;
 - (d) suspend or cancel, at any time, a Fire Permit to which he has issued or to which he is directed to do so by the Fire Chief;

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SECTION 7 - CONTROL OF FIRE HAZARDS

- 7.1 If the Municipal District finds within its Municipal boundaries on privately owned land or occupied public land conditions that in its opinion constitute a fire hazard, it may order the owner or the person in control of the land on which the fire hazard exists to reduce or remove the hazard within a fixed time and in a manner prescribed by the Municipal District.
- 7.2 When the Municipal District finds that the order it made pursuant to Section 7.1 has not been carried out the Municipal District may enter on the land with any equipment and any person it considers necessary and may perform the work required to eliminate or reduce the fire hazard.
- 7.3 The owner or the person in control of the land on which work was performed pursuant to Section 7.2 shall on demand reimburse the Municipal District for the cost of the work performed and in default of payment the Municipal District has a lien for the amount against the land and improvements on it.
- 7.4 For the purpose of fire control the Fire Chief may
 - 7.4.1 (a) Suspend or cancel fire permits within any part or all of the Municipal District, or
 - (b) Prohibit the lighting of or require the extinguishing of a fire set other than under the authority of a fire permit,
 - 7.4.2 In any area affected by an order made pursuant to section 7.4.1, the notice shall be immediately published for at least 2 weeks and announced at least daily during the period of the ban.
 - 7.4.3 In any area affected by an order made pursuant to section 7.4.1, every person shall immediately proceed to extinguish every open outdoor fire lit by him or under his authority and every fire located on land occupied or owned by him.
 - 7.4.4 In hamlets within the Municipal District, incineration fires shall not be allowed within residential property.

SECTION 8 - REQUIREMENT TO REPORT

8.1 The Owner, occupant or an authorized agent of any property damaged by fire shall immediately report to Fire Services all particulars of the fires, which are required by the Fire Chief.

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8.2 The Owner, occupant or an authorized agent of any property containing a dangerous good(s) product which sustains an accidental or unplanned release of the dangerous goods product shall immediately report to Fire Services particulars of the release which are satisfactory to the Fire Chief.

SECTION 9 - FIRE PERMIT

- 9.1 No person shall allow an Open Fire upon land owned or occupied by him or under his control, within the Municipal District, except when he is the holder of a subsisting Fire Permit issued pursuant to this Bylaw or the Forest and Prairie Protection Act, unless:
 - the fire has been set by Fire Services for (a) the purpose of training; or
 - the fire is for personal warmth or the (b) cooking of food.
- Upon receipt of proper information from the 9.2 Applicant, the Fire Guardian may, in his sole and absolute discretion:
 - (a) refuse to grant a Fire Permit,
 - grant a Fire Permit without terms and (b) conditions,
 - grant a Fire Permit and place upon it (c) such terms and conditions as Fire Services or the Guardian deems appropriate.
- A Fire Permit shall not be transferable. 9.3
- Fire Permits issued pursuant to this Bylaw are 9.4 valid for such period of time as shall be determined and set by the Fire Guardian and the Fire Permit shall have endorsed therein the period of time for which the said permit is valid, not exceeding five days.
- A Fire Guardian may extend the period of time 9.5 that a Fire Permit is valid, provided the Fire Permit has not expired and the application is by the original permittee.
- A Fire Guardian may, in his sole and absolute 9.6 discretion, terminate and suspend or cancel a Fire Permit at any time to which he has issued or to which he is directed to do so by the Fire Chief.

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- 9.7 Each Fire Permit shall contain the following information:
 - (a) the name, municipal address and telephone number of the applicant;
 - (b) the reason a Fire Permit is required;
 - (c) the legal description of the land on which the applicant proposes to set a fire;
 - (d) location of fire upon the land as described in 9.7 (c);
 - (e) the type and description of material which the applicant proposes to burn;
 - (f) the period of time for which the Fire Permit is valid;
 - (g) the precautions prescribed by this
 Bylaw, the Forest & Prairie Protection
 Act and the Forest and Prairie Protection
 Regulations, that must be taken by the
 applicant to ensure that the proposed
 fire remains under his control;
 - (h) the signature of the applicant;
 - (i) the signature of the Fire Guardian issuing the Fire Permit.

9.8 Fire Season

- (a) The period from April 1 to October 31 in each year is the fire season for the purposes of this bylaw.
- (b) Council may at any time extend or shorten the fire season for any area of the Municipality.

9.9 Fire Permit

Every person who sets a fire under authority of a permit shall;

- (a) keep the permit at the site of the fire;
- (b) produce and show the permit to a Fire Guardian or the Fire Chief on request;
- (c) keep the fire under control;
- (d) extinguish the fire before expiration of the permit or upon cancellation of the permit;

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- (e) have a responsible person in attendance at the fire at all times, as may be required by a Fire Guardian or the Fire Chief.
- 9.10 Due to Lodgepole and Cynthia being situated well into the "Green" zone, it is therefore prudent that Alberta Forestry Services be responsible for the issuing of any burning permits within those areas.
- 10.0 Debris Disposal Agriculture
- 10.1 Every person who, under authority of a permit, burns on farmland brush or debris resulting from land clearing or agricultural activities shall dispose of the brush or debris in a manner prescribed as follows:
 - (a) no person shall cause or permit the broadcast burning of grass or stubble until a fire permit has been issued specifying thereon the terms and conditions under which the fire may be set,
 - (b) every person preparing to burn windrows or piles of brush and debris shall ensure before the fire is set that
 - (i) where the debris is the result of land clearing operations, the resulting debris is windrowed in not more than 60 m lengths with an 8 m break between each 60 m length;
 - (ii) the area containing the debris to be burned is completely surrounded by a guard cleared of inflammable material to a width of not less than 15 m,
 - (iii) no windrow is closer than25 m to uncleared land or standing hazardous fuels,
 - (iv) windrows are separated from other parallel windrows by not less than 15 m,
 - (c) every fire must be controlled and attended by a responsible person or persons approved by a Fire Guardian or the Fire Chief,

- (d) the following minimum amount of equipment must be at the fire site:

 - 2 round-mouth shovels
 - 1 water back pack and hand pump or
 - 4 heavy sacks
 - 1 barrel of at least 200 L of water such other tools as may be required by a Fire
 - Guardian or the Fire Chief
- (e) no person shall set more fires at one time than can be controlled by the people and equipment immediately available

SECTION 11 - FEES FOR SERVICES

- 11.1 No fees for service (charges) will be levied for "emergency fire services" against any tax levied private property within the M.D. of Brazeau to which the M.D. of Brazeau Fire Emergency Equipment has responded.
- 11.2 The schedule of costs and fees, which may be charged by Fire Services for services rendered upon requesting a non-emergency situation pursuant to this Bylaw shall be as set out in Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of this Bylaw.
- 11.3 In respect of the costs or fees described in Section 11.2:
 - The Municipality may recover such cost (a) or fee as a debt due and owing to the Municipal District; or,
 - in the case of action taken by Fire (b) Services in respect of land within the Municipal District, where the cost or fee is not paid upon demand by the Municipal District, then in default of payment, such cost or fee may be charged against the land as taxes due and owing in respect of that land.

SECTION 12 - OFFENCES

- 12.1 Any person who ignites, fuels, supervises, maintains or permits an Open Fire within the municipal boundaries of the Municipal District of Brazeau No. 77 without a valid Fire Permit as required by this Bylaw is guilty of an offence, unless;
 - the fire has been set by the Fire (a) Services for the purpose of training;

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- (b) the fire has otherwise been authorized by Fire Services or a Fire Guardian.
- 12.2 When a fire is lit under the circumstances described in Section 12.1 when such fire is not permitted pursuant to this Bylaw, the owner or occupier of the land or the person having control of the land upon which such fire is lit shall:
 - (a) extinguish the fire immediately; or
 - (b) where he is unable to extinguish the fire immediately, report the fire to Fire Services.
- 12.3 No person shall, either directly or indirectly personally or through an agent, servant or employee kindle a fire and let it become a running fire on any land not his own property or allow a running fire to pass from his own property to the property of another.

12.4 No person shall:

- (a) light an Open Fire, Pit Fire or Smudge Fire without first complying fully with all requirements and precautions prescribed under this bylaw, any fire permits issued hereunder, the Forest and Prairie Protection Act and the Forest and Prairie Protection Regulations.
- (b) once lit, maintain or continue to burn, or allow the continued maintenance or burning of an Open Fire, Pit Fire or Smudge Fire, without complying fully with all requirements and precautions prescribed under this bylaw, any fire permits issued hereunder, the Forest and Prairie Protection Act and the Forest and Prairie Protection Regulations.
- (c) once lit, maintain or continue to burn, or allow the continued maintenance or burning of an Open Fire, Pit Fire or Smudge Fire when the weather conditions are, or have become, conducive to creating a Running Fire.
- (d) place a pit fire less than 3.0 metres from any structure including but not limited to a fence, deck, garage, shed or house;

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- (e) burn in a pit fire garbage, painted wood, treated construction materials and items made of or containing rubber, plastic, tar or any materials deemed appropriate for disposal by means other than burning.
- (f) fail to take all steps and precautions prescribed by this bylaw, any fire permits used hereunder, the Forest and Prairie Protection Act and the Forest and Prairie Protection Regulations, for the purposes of controlling a fire and preventing it from becoming a Running Fire or from spreading onto land other than his own.
- (g) deposit, discard or leave any burning matter or substance where it might ignite other material and cause a fire;
- (h) conduct any activity that involves the use of fire that might reasonably be expected to cause a fire, unless he exercises reasonable care to prevent another fire from occurring;
- (i) provide false, incomplete or misleading information to the Municipal District or to Fire Services on or with respect to the Fire Permit Application on any investigation as to the cause or origin of a fire;
- (j) interfere with the efforts of persons authorized in this Bylaw to extinguish fires or preserve life or property;
- (k) interfere with the operation of any Fire Services equipment or apparatus required to extinguish fires or preserve life or property;
- (I) damage or destroy Fire Services property;
- (m) falsely represent himself as a Fire Services Member or wear or display any Fire Services Member badge, cap, button, insignia or other paraphernalia for the purpose of such false representation.
- 12.5 No person shall use a fire to burn
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- (b) livestock or other animal carcasses; except as required under the Animal Diseases Control Act.
- (c) material that will result in the production of dense black smoke including insulation from electrical wiring or equipment, asphalt roofing materials, hydrocarbons, plastics, household plastics, rubber materials or creosote wood; except for bona-fide oilfield flaring facilities;
- (d) herbicides, pesticides or any other toxic material or substance.
- 12.6 No person shall use a fire without obtaining a valid fire permit, prior to using a fire, as required.
- 12.7 Nothing in this Bylaw shall be deemed to authorize any fire, burning or other act which is in contravention of the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, S. A. 1992, c. E-13.3, as well as the Alberta Safety Codes Act and Forest Prairie Protection Act and amendments thereto, or any regulation made thereunder, and in the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Bylaw and the said Act or Regulations, the provisions of the said Act or Regulations shall govern.

SECTION 13 - PENALTIES

- 13.1 A person who contravenes or fails to comply with any condition on a permit or with any order or request directed to him pursuant to this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable; upon summary conviction:
 - (a) if the offence is a contravention of Section 12.4 (g) of this Bylaw, to a fine of not less than \$100.00 and not more than \$500.00;
 - (b) if the offence is a contravention of any other section of this Bylaw, to a fine of not less than \$300.00 and not more than \$1,000.00;
- 13.2 A Municipal Constable is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a Violation Tag to any person whom the Municipal Constable has reasonable and probable grounds to believe has contravened any provision of this Bylaw;

A violation tag may be issued to such person:

(a) either personally; or

- (b) by mailing a copy to such person at his last known post office address.
- 13.3 The violation tag shall be in a form approved by the Municipal District and shall state:
 - (a) the name of the person;
 - (b) the offence;
 - (c) the appropriate penalty for the offence as specified in this Bylaw;
 - (d) that the penalty shall be paid within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the violation tag;
 - (e) any other information as may be required by the Municipal District.
- 13.4 Where a contravention of this Bylaw is of a continuing nature, further violation tags may be issued by the Municipal Constable, provided that no more than one violation tag shall be issued for each day that the contravention continues.
- 13.5 Where a violation tag is issued pursuant to this Bylaw, the person to whom the violation tag is issued may, in lieu of being prosecuted for the offence, pay to the Municipal District the penalty specified on the violation tag.
- 13.6 Nothing in this Bylaw shall prevent a Municipal Constable from immediately issuing a violation ticket for the mandatory Court appearance of any person who contravenes any provision of this Bylaw.

SECTION 14 - VIOLATION TICKET

14.1 If the penalty specified on a violation tag is not paid within the prescribed time period then a Municipal Constable is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a violation ticket pursuant to Part II of the <u>Provincial Offences Procedure Act</u>, S.A. 1988, c.P-21.5., as amended.

SECTION 15 - PROTECTION OF MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BRAZEAU #77

- 15. Nothing in this Act imposes any obligation on
 - (a) the Municipal District to fight fires on any land, or

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(b) the Municipal District to pay compensation for any property destroyed or damaged by a fire or as a result of fighting a fire.

SECTION 16 - SEVERABILITY

- 16.1 Should any section or part of this Bylaw be found to have been improperly enacted, for any reason, then such section or part shall be regarded as being severable from the rest of the Bylaw and the Bylaw remaining after such severance shall be effective and enforceable as if the section found to be improperly enacted had not been enacted as part of this Bylaw.
- 16.2 This bylaw shall take effect on the date of the third and final reading and repeals Bylaw 302-97.

READ a first time this <u>12th</u> day of <u>February</u>, 2002.

READ a second time this <u>18th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 2002.

READ a third time and finally passed this $\underline{18^{th}}$ day of March, 2002.

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Bylaw No. 423-2002 Schedule "A"

- Fire Services Department Fees and Charges 1.
- Request for Fire Suppression Services in a Non Emergency Situation 1.1
 - \$300.00 per hour, per unit or any portion thereof, exclusive of command cars
 - Administrative costs and the cost for replacement of equipment and/or materials used, lost, or damaged as a result of the response
- Fire, Dangerous Goods and Rescue Responses on provincial highways: 1.2
 - \$300.00 per hour, per unit or any portion thereof
 - cost for replacement of equipment and/or materials used, lost or damaged as a result of the response
- Emergency Responses to other Municipalities: 1.3
 - \$300.00 per hour, per unit or any portion thereof; or as per mutual aid agreement,
 - cost for replacement of equipment and/or materials used, lost, or damaged as a result of the response
- Alarm Monitoring Fees: 1.4
 - \$30.00 per month Basic alarm monitoring fee 5.00 per month Additional point monitoring fee
- False Alarm Responses 1.5

\$200.00 per incident

1.6 Fire Department site inspections (3rd and each subsequent) for regulated occupancies, eg. day cares, licensed liquor establishments and community halls

\$50.00 per inspection

- Requested site inspections and 1.7 required fire investigations,
 - One hour or portion thereof:

\$60.00/first hour 30.00/additional hour

Business Inspections - third and 1.8 each subsequent re-inspection to confirm deficiencies have been corrected:

\$50.00

1.9 File Search/Copies:

(high level)

\$60.00 per file

Duplicate Photograph: 1.10 Photocopy of Photograph: \$25.00 per photograph 5.00 per copy

Private Hydrant Flow Test 1.11 (new installations):

\$265.00 per hydrant 30.00

Hydrant test data (file search): Permit to sell fireworks (Low level) 1.12

\$ 50.00 annual

or shop goods: Permit to discharge fireworks

25.00

(Non profit organizations involved in public displays are exempt

from fees)

1.13 Site inspection and permit for flammable/combustible fuel tank installation:

\$ 50.00

Site inspection and permit for 1.14 flammable/combustible fuel tank removal:

\$ 50.00