



**A BYLAW OF THE COUNTY OF GRANDE PRAIRIE NO. 1, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO PROVIDE FIRE SERVICES**

**“WHEREAS** the Section 7 of the *Municipal Government Act*, Chapter M-26, RSA, 2000 and amendments thereto, provides that a Council may pass bylaws for municipal purposes respecting the safety, health and welfare of people and the protection of people and property;”

**“AND WHEREAS** the *Forest and Prairie Protection Act*, Chapter F-19, RSA 2000, and amendments thereto, contemplate that the County of Grande Prairie No. 1 (the “County”) will provide Fire protection and prevention services within its boundaries, and further provides that the County and its officials or employees will have certain duties and powers in regard thereto;”

**AND WHEREAS** the Council for the County of Grande Prairie is an accredited municipality under the *Safety Codes Act*;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council for the County of Grande Prairie wishes to regulate the use and setting of Fires within its boundaries: to establish and provide for the efficient operation of a Regional Fire Services; and to recover a portion of the costs of doing so;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Council of the County of Grande Prairie No. 1, duly assembled, does hereby enact as follows:

**Part 1 – Interpretation**

- 1.1 This Bylaw shall be cited as the “Regional Fire Services Bylaw”.
- 1.2 In this Bylaw wherever the singular is used it also means the plural and wherever the masculine is used it also means the feminine, as the context requires.
- 1.3 Where there is any conflict between the provisions of this Bylaw and any other bylaw of the County, the provisions of this Bylaw shall prevail.

**Part 2 –Definitions**

2.1 In this Bylaw:

- (a) “Apparatus” means any vehicle or equipment operated for any purpose by the CGPRFS.
- (b) “CGPRFS” means County of Grande Prairie Regional Fire Services.
- (c) “Council” means the Council of the County of Grande Prairie No. 1.
- (d) “County” means the County of Grande Prairie No. 1.
- (e) “Chief Administrative Officer” (CAO) means the person appointed by Council to the position of Chief Administrative Officer or their designate.
- (f) “Consumer Fireworks” means outdoor, low-hazard recreational fireworks such as showers, fountains, golden rain, Roman candles, volcanos, sparklers and caps for toy guns, in accordance with the Explosives Regulation, 2013 and Natural Resources Canada’s Display Fireworks Manual, as amended or replaced from time to time.

- (g) “Display Fireworks” means high-hazard recreational fireworks such as aerial shells, mines and larger Roman candles, designed for use at public gatherings, in accordance with the Explosives Regulation, 2013 and Natural Resources Canada’s Display Fireworks Manual, as amended or replaced from time to time.
- (h) “Display Supervisor” has the meaning set out in Natural Resources Canada’s Display Fireworks Manual, as amended or replaced from time to time.
- (i) “Emergency” means any situation or incident, where there is a real or perceived danger to the safety, health or welfare of a person, property or the environment.
- (j) “Equipment” means any tool, contrivance, device or material used by a Member to respond to or mitigate an Emergency whether or not that tool, contrivance, device or material is owned, conscripted or hired by the County.
- (k) “Fire Ban” means a Provincial Fire Ban or a Fire Ban Order approved by the CAO or Fire Chief.
- (l) “Fire” means the burning of any flammable or combustible material.
- (m) “Fire Chief” means the person appointed as head of the CGPRFS or his designate.
- (n) “Fire Guardian” means a person appointed as Fire Guardian pursuant to the *Forest and Prairie Protection Act*.
- (o) “Fire Permit” means a permit issued by a Fire Guardian to Light a Fire.
- (p) “Fire Season” means from March 1<sup>st</sup> to October 31<sup>st</sup>, annually, unless otherwise directed by the Province of Alberta.
- (q) “Fire Pit” means an outdoor receptacle that meets the following specifications:
  - i. a minimum of 3 metre clearance, measured from the nearest Fire Pit edge, is maintained from buildings, property lines, or other combustible material;
  - ii. a minimum of one and a half times the height of the Fire Pit of noncombustible material surrounding the outer perimeter of the Fire Pit;
  - iii. the Fire Pit height does not exceed .6 metre when measured from the surrounding grade to the top of the pit opening;
  - iv. the Fire Pit opening does not exceed 1 metre in width or in diameter when measured between the widest points or outside edges;
  - v. the Fire Pit installation has enclosed sides made from bricks, concrete blocks, heavy gauge metal, or other non-combustible materials acceptable to the Fire Chief;
  - vi. a spark arrester mesh screen with openings no larger than 1.25 cm and constructed of expanded metal (or equivalent non-combustible material) is used to cover the Fire Pit opening in a manner sufficient to contain and reduce the hazards of airborne sparks,
  - vii. the Fire Pit is not located over any underground utilities or under any aboveground wires, and
  - viii. is otherwise acceptable to the Fire Chief.
- (r) “Fireworks Permit” means the permit required to display or sell fireworks within the County and includes but is not limited to a permit for Consumer Fireworks, Display Fireworks, or the sale of fireworks.
- (s) “Incident Commander” means the Member on site at an Emergency who is responsible for CGPRFS emergency response service actions.



- (t) "Light" means to start, ignite, kindle, maintain or to do any other action that allows a Fire to progress or continue to burn.
- (u) "Member" means any person duly appointed as a member of the CGPRFS or RESD whether that member is full time, part time, paid or volunteer and includes members of a Fire Service or a Peace Officer dispatched to assist at the mitigation of an Emergency or any persons asked or conscripted to assist with the mitigation of an Emergency.
- (v) "Occupant" means any person other than the registered Owner who is in possession or control of the property including, but not restricted to, lessee, licensee, tenant, or agent of the Owner.
- (w) "Owner" means:
- i. the person as registered on title at the Land Titles Offices; or
  - ii. a person who is recorded as the Owner of the property on the assessment roll of the County; or
  - iii. in the case of a motor vehicle the registered owner of the vehicle or company.
- (x) "Peace Officer" means a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police; a Peace Officer appointed pursuant to the *Peace Officer Act*; a Bylaw Enforcement Officer employed by the County of Grande Prairie No. 1.
- (y) "Prohibited Debris" means any matter that, when burned, may result in the release to the atmosphere of dense smoke, offensive odors or toxic substances and includes but is not limited to:
- i. animal manure;
  - ii. pathological waste;
  - iii. non-wooden material;
  - iv. waste material from building or construction sites, excluding wooden materials that do not contain wood preservatives;
  - v. combustible material in automobile bodies;
  - vi. tires;
  - vii. rubber or plastic, or anything containing or coated with rubber or plastic or similar substances, except rubber or plastic attached to shredded scrap steel;
  - viii. solid waste from sawmills or planing mills with an annual production in excess of 9,500 cubic meters of lumber;
  - ix. used oil;
  - x. wood or wood products containing substances for the purpose of preserving wood; or
  - xi. any other waste defined as Prohibited Debris under the *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act*.
- (z) "RESD" means the County of Grande Prairie Regional Enforcement Services Department.
- (aa) "Running Fire" means a Fire burning not under control.
- (bb) "Violation Ticket" means a violation ticket as defined in the *Provincial Offences Procedure Act*.

### **Part 3 – Emergency Medical Services**

- 3.1 Alberta Health Services (AHS) is responsible for ground ambulance services in Alberta and will be the Ambulance Service Provider for the County and such service shall be provided in accordance with the terms of any agreement between the County, AHS, and any other approved service provider and this Bylaw.



## **Part 4 - County of Grande Prairie Regional Fire Services**

- 4.1 The CGPRFS shall consist of the Fire Chief, Members, buildings, Apparatus, and Equipment as is deemed necessary by Council to safeguard the safety, health and welfare of people and to protect people, property and the environment at any level of service as may be directed by Council from time to time.
- 4.2 The Fire Chief may divide the County into districts with resources so located as deemed necessary for the control and prevention of Fires and other Emergencies.

## **Part 5 - Jurisdiction**

- 5.1 The limits of the jurisdiction of the CGPRFS, its Members, Equipment and Apparatus will extend to the area and boundaries of the County and no part of the aforementioned shall be used beyond the limits of the County without the express authorization of a written agreement for services conducted outside the County or upon the express permission of the Fire Chief or his designate.

## **Part 6 – Fire Chief**

- 6.1 Council shall appoint the Fire Chief on the recommendation of the CAO.
- 6.2 The Fire Chief shall develop rules, regulations, policies and guidelines for the management and operation of the CGPRFS.
- 6.3 The Fire Chief shall have control, direction, and management of any CGPRFS Apparatus, Equipment, or personnel assigned to an Emergency.
- 6.4 The Fire Chief may appoint other officers or Members of CGPRFS as deemed necessary.

## **Part 7 – Powers**

- 7.1 The Fire Chief or an Incident Commander on site at an Emergency attended by the CGPRFS, is empowered to:
  - i. cause a building, structure or thing to be pulled down, demolished or otherwise removed if deemed necessary to prevent the spread of Fire to other buildings, structures or things;
  - ii. enter premises or property where the Emergency occurred and to cause any Member, Apparatus or Equipment of the CGPRFS to enter, as is deemed necessary, in order to combat, control, mitigate or investigate the Incident or Emergency;
  - iii. establish boundaries or limits at his discretion and keep persons from entering or remaining within the prescribed boundaries or limits unless those persons are authorized to enter or remain by the Incident Commander;
  - iv. at his discretion, call upon Peace Officers to enforce restrictions on persons entering or remaining within the boundaries or limits outlined in (iii) above or to assist in enforcing any other provision of this Bylaw;
  - v. enter, pass through or over buildings or property adjacent to an Emergency and to cause Members of the CGPRFS and the Apparatus and Equipment of the CGPRFS to enter or pass through or over the building or property, where he deems it necessary to gain access to the Emergency or to protect any person or property;
  - vi. obtain assistance from other officials of the County as he deems necessary in order to discharge his duties and responsibilities under this Bylaw and such assistance shall be provided forthwith.





- 7.2 The Fire Chief, or an Incident Commander at an Emergency is empowered to commandeer privately owned Equipment and operators which he considers necessary to deal with the Emergency and to authorize payment for that Equipment and operators at rates not to exceed those established by guidelines as may be approved by Council from time to time.
- 7.3 The Fire Chief or the Incident Commander at an Emergency is empowered to compel any persons to assist at a Fire or Emergency.
- 7.4 The Fire Chief or the Incident Commander is empowered to access any available water supply as deemed necessary at a Fire or Emergency.

#### **Part 8 - Permits**

- 8.1 An application for either a Fire Permit or Fireworks Permit, shall be made to a Fire Guardian or Fire Chief in accordance with the requirements of Part 8 and 9 of this Bylaw.
- 8.2 The Fire Chief may in his sole discretion cancel or suspend Fire Permits or Firework Permits and may require the immediate extinguishment of all Fires for such a period of time as may be determined reasonable or necessary by the Fire Chief in his sole discretion.
- 8.3 A Fireworks Permit to discharge Consumer Fireworks within the County shall be obtained from the Fire Chief. The Fire Chief may refuse issuance of this permit or issue a permit with or without conditions in his sole discretion. There shall be **NO** fee for this permit.
- 8.4 A Fireworks Permit to discharge Display Fireworks within the County shall be obtained from the Fire Chief. The Fire Chief may refuse issuance of this permit or issue a permit with or without conditions in his sole discretion. An application for a Fireworks Permit shall be made by a Display Supervisor in writing to the Fire Chief at least fourteen (14) days before the intended date of the fireworks discharge or display. The fee for this permit shall be One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.
- 8.5 A Fireworks Permit application for Display Fireworks shall include all the following information:
- i. the name, address and signature of the person or persons sponsoring the fireworks display;
  - ii. the name, certification number and signature of the Display Supervisor;
  - iii. the name of the person that is conducting the fireworks display;
  - iv. the date and time of the purposed display;
  - v. a detailed description of the purposed display;
  - vi. the exact location planned for the fireworks display including a diagram of the grounds on which it will be held, showing the point from where the fireworks will be discharged, the location of the highway, railroad, overhead wires and obstructions, buildings and other structures, and the lines behind which the audience will be restrained;
  - vii. written consent from the Owner of the property on which the fireworks display will be held;
  - viii. written consent from the property Owners in the immediate vicinity where the display will be held;
  - ix. the manner and place of storage of all fireworks prior to, during and after the display;
  - x. the name and address of the vendor or vendors that supplied the fireworks used in the fireworks display;
  - xi. proof of General Liability insurance with coverage of at least \$5,000,000 per occurrence in a form acceptable to the Fire Chief;
  - xii. any other information requested by the Fire Chief.



- 8.6 A Fireworks Permit to sell, offer for sale, store for the purpose of sale of fireworks, including Consumer Fireworks and Display Fireworks, shall be obtained from the Fire Chief. The fee for this permit shall be One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.
- 8.7 A permit issued pursuant to Part 8 or 9 of this Bylaw shall not be transferable.

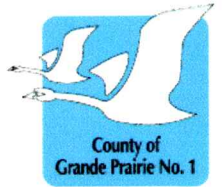
#### **Part 9 – Permit Areas**

- 9.1 The County is broken up into defined permitted areas. These are the White Area, the Yellow Area, the Red Area and the Green Area as shown in Schedule “A”.
- 9.2 Requirements for the permitting of these areas are defined below:
- i. White Area: during Fire Season a person shall obtain a Fire Permit to Light a Fire from a Fire Guardian. This permit may be obtained verbally. The Fire Guardian may request that a site inspection be performed prior to a permit being issued. The Fire Guardian may refuse issuance of this permit or issue a permit with or without conditions in his sole discretion.
  - ii. Yellow Area: During Fire Season a person shall obtain a written Fire Permit to Light a Fire from a Fire Guardian. The Fire Guardian may request that a site inspection be performed prior to a permit being issued. The Fire Guardian may refuse issuance of this permit or issue a permit with or without conditions in his sole discretion.
  - iii. Red Area: A Person shall obtain a written Fire Permit to Light a Fire from the Fire Chief. The Fire Chief may refuse issuance of this permit or issue a permit with or without conditions in his sole discretion.
  - iv. Green Area: During Fire Season a Fire Permit shall be issued by a Provincial Fire Guardian.
- 9.3 A Fire Permit or a Fireworks Permit is required to Light a Fire or discharge Display Fireworks in a Hamlet, subdivision, industrial park or areas zoned for commercial use.

#### **Part 10 – General Prohibitions**

- 10.1 No person shall Light a Fire, or discharge fireworks without a Fire Permit or Fireworks Permit as required under this bylaw.
- 10.2 A person shall produce proof of a Fire Permit or Fireworks Permit upon request of a Member.
- 10.3 No person shall contravene the conditions of a Fire Permit or Fireworks Permit issued pursuant to this Bylaw.
- 10.4 No person shall sell Consumer Fireworks to any person under the age of 18 years.
- 10.5 When a Fire is lit without a valid Fire Permit as required the Owner or Occupant of the property or the person having control of the property shall:
- i. extinguish the Fire immediately; or
  - ii. if unable to extinguish the Fire immediately, report the Fire to the Fire Department.
- 10.6 No person shall Light a Fire, directly or indirectly, without taking precautions to ensure that;
- i. the Fire does not become a Running Fire;
  - ii. the Fire is in the care and control of a competent person;
  - iii. there is adequate equipment to extinguish and or contain the Fire.





- 10.7 No person shall Light a Fire contrary to a Fire Ban.
- 10.8 No person shall burn or allow the burning of Prohibited Debris.
- 10.9 No person shall disclose false information when applying for a Fire Permit or Fireworks Permit.
- 10.10 No person shall allow any Fire to give off dense smoke that in the opinion of a Member may affect the health or safety of any person.
- 10.11 Failure to immediately extinguish a Fire when directed by a Member is an offence.
- 10.12 Any person who Lights a Fire or discharges fireworks is responsible to ensure that it is conducted in a safe manner.
- 10.13 No person shall drive a vehicle over a fire hose unless that person has been so directed by a Member.
- 10.14 No person shall obstruct or interfere with a Member carrying out their duties pursuant to this Bylaw, or damage, tamper or interfere with any Apparatus or Equipment.
- 10.15 No person shall falsely represent themselves as a Member.
- 10.16 No person shall park in any area designated for a Member or fire department parking.
- 10.17 An Owner or Occupant shall report to the CGPRFS:
- i. damage to property caused by Fire;
  - ii. any accidental or unplanned release of Dangerous Goods, as defined in the *Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act*.
- 10.18 Upon receiving notice of the suspension or cancellation of a permit, all persons shall immediately extinguish any Fire set, or cease any activity as described in said permit.
- 10.19 An Owner or Occupant of property involved in contravention of Part 10 or Part 12 is guilty of an offence.

### **Part 11 – Permitted Burning**

- 11.1 Except within that area described in Part 9, a Fire Permit shall not be required under this Bylaw to conduct:
- i. burning in fireplaces in or attached to dwellings as provided by the applicable legislation;
  - ii. burning in campgrounds and parks where fireplaces, stoves and Fire Pits are provided by or approved by the County;
  - iii. burning in a small incinerator for which a permit to construct and license to operate has been issued pursuant to the applicable legislation;
  - iv. burning of a smudge Fire confined within a non-combustible receptacle that is set on land of 0.5 hectares or more, for the purpose of repelling insects or preventing frost in an orchard or garden;
  - v. burning by the CGPRFS for the purpose of training its Members, reducing Fire hazard through controlled burning or by the County for the purpose of thawing ground.

## **Part 12 – Fire Ban Orders**

- 12.1 When deemed necessary, the Fire Chief may make a recommendation to the CAO who may issue a Fire Ban Order, which may:
- i. suspend or cancel all Fire Permits or Fireworks Permits;
  - ii. prohibit or ban the setting or require the extinguishing of any Fire;
  - iii. prohibit the starting or maintaining of any oilfield open pit flaring Fire or attach precautionary requirements and conditions to such flaring Fires;
  - iv. prohibit the operation of off highway vehicles.

Anyone contravening a Fire Ban Order issued pursuant to this section is guilty of an offence.

- 12.2 A Fire Ban Order made pursuant to this section shall be broadcast by radio or other electronic media outlets, which, in the opinion of the CAO or the Fire Chief are likely to bring the matter to the attention of the general public. A Fire Ban Order may also be published in print media where the CAO or the Fire Chief deems it appropriate.
- 12.3 The Owner of the property is responsible for all costs incurred in extinguishing or fighting a Fire on the property during a Fire Ban.

## **Part 13 – Penalties and Offences**

- 13.1 Any person who fails to comply with any provisions contained in this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and is liable, on a conviction, to a fine of not less than Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) or such other amount as may be specified in this Bylaw and not greater than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).
- 13.2 The offences under this Bylaw in respect of which a voluntary specified penalty may be paid are set out in Schedule “B”. The specific amount of the penalty payable is set out in the column heading “Specified Penalties”
- 13.3 A Peace Officer may issue a Violation Ticket for any contravention of this Bylaw.
- 13.4 A Violation Ticket is deemed sufficiently served if the processes under the *Provincial Offences Procedure Act* have been followed.

## **Part 14 - Enforcement**

- 14.1 A Member is hereby authorized to enforce any provision of this Bylaw, and in the event of an Emergency, may enter onto premises or property, and may make such inquiries or demands as may be necessary for those purposes.

## **Part 15 – Indemnity**

- 15.1 A Member acting in good faith and without malice in the discharge of his duties under this Bylaw, shall not render himself liable personally and is hereby relieved from all personal liability for any damage that may occur to persons or property as a result of any act required or by reason of any act or omission in the discharge of those duties. The County shall defend any suit, action or claim, commenced against a Member acting in good faith.

## **Part 16 – Fees and Costs**

- 16.1 Council may, from time to time set a fee for any service provided by CGPRFS. A copy of the fees set by Council shall be included in “Fees, Rates and Charges Bylaw” as amended from time to time.
- 16.2 The Fire Chief may establish fees based on a cost recovery basis for all consumable materials used by the CGPRFS.
- 16.3 Fees shall be subject to interest rates as may be established by the County from time to



time respecting outstanding accounts.



16.4 Outstanding fees shall become a debt due and owing the County

16.5 Where a person causes a Fire to which CGPRFS or the County responds, that person is responsible for all direct and indirect costs incurred by the County in extinguishing that Fire. The Owner of a parcel of land shall be liable for expenses and costs related to the County extinguishing fires on the parcel of land.

16.6 Where a person:

16.6.1 fails to obtain a permit as required under this Bylaw prior to setting or causing a person to set a Fire; or

16.6.2 obtains a permit as provided for in this Bylaw but fails to follow the provisions of the Bylaw and those conditions outlined on the permit; or

16.6.3 fails to extinguish an Open Fire when required to do so upon the demand of the Fire Chief or his designate or a Peace Officer; and

16.6.4 CGPRFS extinguishes the Fire or the Fire grows beyond the control of the person and an Incident or Emergency to which CGPFS responds occurs,

then such person shall be liable to pay all direct and indirect costs incurred by the County in extinguishing the Fire.

16.7 The cost for Fire Department services rendered shall be determined by the Fire Chief or the CAO. In the event that the Owner or the Occupant shall feel aggrieved by any action taken by the Fire Chief or CAO pursuant to Part 16, he or she shall have a period of thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of the notice to appeal to Council the action. The decision of Council on any such appeal shall be final and binding upon the Owner or Occupant of the property.

16.8 In respect of any costs or fees levied or charged under this Bylaw:

16.8.1 the County of Grande Prairie may recover such costs or fees as an amount due and owing to County of Grande Prairie pursuant to the *Municipal Government Act*; and

16.8.2 in default of payment, where permitted by the *Municipal Government Act* add the amounts due to the tax roll of the parcel of land in question;

#### **Part 17 – Exercise of Discretion**

17.1 The County has the discretion to enforce this Bylaw, and is not liable of any outcomes should the County or a Member not decide to enforce this Bylaw if acting in good faith.

#### **Part 18 - Severability**

18.1 Should any provision of this Bylaw become invalid, void, illegal or otherwise not enforceable, it shall be considered separate and severable from this Bylaw and the remainder shall remain in force and be binding as though such provision had not been included.



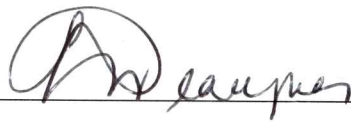
### Part 19 – Rescinding of Previous Bylaws

19.1 Bylaw Number 1945 and Bylaw 2924 in this regard are hereby rescinded.

Read a FIRST time this 15 Day of June 2020.

Read a SECOND time this 13 Day of July 2020.

Read a THIRD and FINAL time this 13 Day of July 2020.

  
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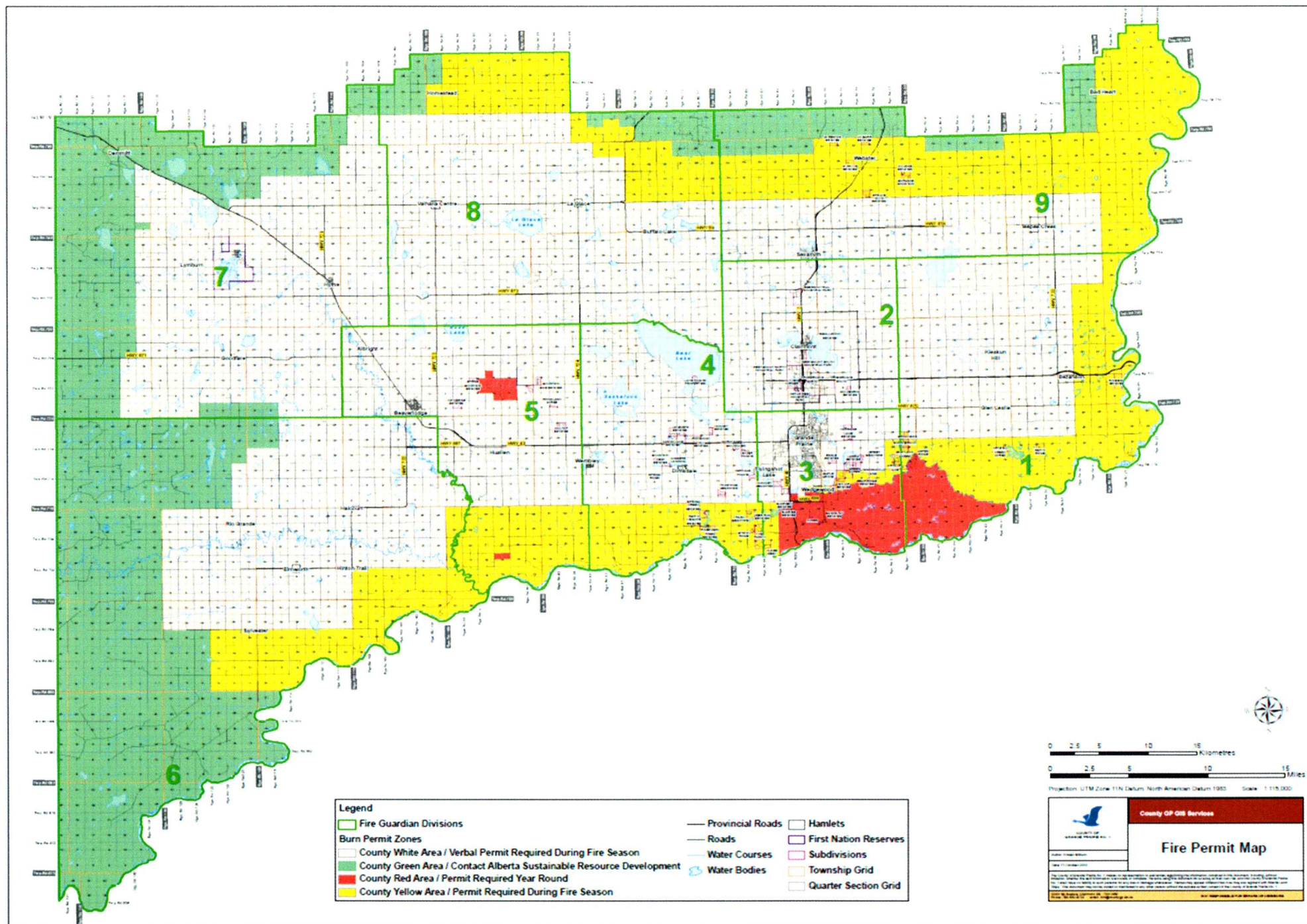
  
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#### ATTACHMENTS:

Schedule “A” - Fire Permit Map Areas Definition  
Schedule “B” - Specified Penalties



**SCHEDULE "A" – Fire Permit Map**





Unless permitted in writing by the Fire Chief or his designate, in his sole discretion, Open Fires shall always be prohibited within the following areas:

All those lands contained within the perimeters described as follows:

Commencing at the Wapiti River, northerly along the west boundary of Sections Fifteen (15), Twenty-Two (22), Twenty-Seven (27) and Thirty-Four (34) all in Township Seventy (70) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence easterly along the south boundary of Section Three (3) Township Seventy One (71)

Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian to the intersection with the southwest corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence northerly along the west boundary of the Southwest Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence easterly along the north boundary of the Southwest Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence southerly to the north west corner of the westerly subdivision parcel in the Southeast Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence easterly along the north boundary of the two subdivision parcels in the Southeast Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian thence southerly along the east boundary of the easterly subdivision parcel in the Southeast Quarter of Section Two (2) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian to the intersection with the north boundary of Secondary Highway 668, thence easterly along the north boundary of Secondary Highway 668 to a point of intersection with the west boundary of Section One (1) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence northerly along the west boundary of Section One (1) Township Seventy One (71) Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian, thence easterly along the north boundary of Section One (1) Township Seventy One (71), Range Six (6) West of the Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Meridian to a point of intersection with the west boundary of Bear Creek, then southeasterly along the west boundary of Bear Creek to the point of intersection with the Wapiti River; thence westerly along the south boundary of the Wapiti River to the point of commencement, and as more particularly shown in Red



**SCHEDULE “B” – Specified Penalties**

Section	Charge	First Offence	Second Offence	Third Offence
10.1	Light a fire/discharge fireworks without a permit.	\$ 250	\$ 750	COURT
10.2	Fail to produce fire/fireworks permit upon request.	\$ 250	\$ 500	COURT
10.3	Contravene condition of a fire/fireworks permit.	\$ 250	\$ 500	COURT
10.4	Sell consumer fireworks to a minor.	\$500	\$1000	COURT
10.5 (i)	Fail to extinguish fire immediately.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.5(ii)	Fail to report fire to the fire department.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.6(i)	Allow fire to become running fire.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.6(ii)	Fail to have competent person in control of fire.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.6(iii)	Fail to ensure adequate equipment is on sight of a fire.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.7	Light a fire contrary to a fire ban order.	\$ 500	\$ 5,000	COURT
10.8	Burn prohibited debris.	\$ 500	\$ 2,500	COURT
10.9	Disclose false information when applying for a fire/fireworks permit.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.10	Allow any fire to give off dense smoke effecting safety.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.11	Fail to extinguish fire immediately when directed by a member.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.12	Fail to light fire/discharge fireworks in a safe manner.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.13	Drive a vehicle over a fire hose.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.14	Obstruct member from carrying out their duties.	\$1,000	\$2,500	COURT
10.15	Falsely represent as a member.	\$ 500	\$ 1,000	COURT
10.16	Unauthorized parking in area designated for a member.	\$ 250	\$ 500	COURT
10.17(i)	Fail to report damage to property caused by fire.	\$500	\$1,000	COURT
10.17(ii)	Fail to report accidental or unplanned release of dangerous goods.	\$600	\$1,200	COURT
10.18	Fail to extinguish fire/cease activity upon notification of suspended permit.	\$500	\$1,000	COURT
10.19	Owner/ Occupant of property involved in contravention of Sec. ____	See penalty for contravened section		
12.1(ii)	Fail to extinguish fire when fire ban order is in place.	\$1,000	\$2,500	COURT
12.1(iii)	Fail to extinguish oilfield open pit flaring fire when fire ban order is in place.	\$1,000	\$2,500	COURT
12.1(iv)	Operate OHV when fire ban order prohibits.	\$250	\$500	COURT