



AGENDA
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TOWN OF BARRHEAD COUNCIL TO
BE HELD FRIDAY MARCH 27, 2020 AT 12:00 NOON IN THE
TOWN OF BARRHEAD COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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Present

Absent

Others Present

1. Call to Order
2. Acceptance of Agenda
3. New Business
 - a) Bylaw 05-2020 the Municipal Public Utilities Amendment Bylaw
4. Adjournment

BYLAW 05-2020
Municipal Public Utilities Amendment Bylaw

A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF BARRHEAD, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO AMEND MUNICIPAL PUBLIC UTILITIES BYLAW 11-2019.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26, of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and amendments thereto, the Council may pass Bylaws respecting to services provided by, or on behalf of the municipality; and,

WHEREAS, Council has deemed it necessary and desirable to amend Bylaw 11-2019, the Municipal Public Utilities Bylaw, for the addition for provisions during a Declared Disaster or Significant Local Event.

NOW THEREFORE, duly assembled in a Regular Meeting, the Council of the Town of Barrhead, in the Province of Alberta hereby enacts as follows:

1. Bylaw No. 11-2019 is hereby amended.
2. **Section 1.1 DEFINITIONS** is amended by adding in the following subsections:
 - (n) “Declared Disaster” shall mean any declaration of a state of emergency issued by the Town or any Provincial or Federal Departments or Agency which an event or anticipated event will cause or did lead to the harm to the health, safety or welfare of the people or property within the Town.
 - (o) “Significant Local Event” shall mean an unintended or unexpected event, which could cause or did lead to the harm to the health, safety or welfare of the people or property within the Town.
3. **Section VI. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS** subsections are added as follows:
 1. In the event where there has been a Declared Disaster, or a Significant Local Event that impacts the Town of Barrhead as a whole, the CAO or designate will have the authority to make changes to the entire billing cycle, affecting all account holders to implement any or all of the following:
 - a. Extend the billing due date of the affected billing cycle
 - b. Waive or adjust penalties on any billing arrears during the event
 - c. Create a deferral payment program for account holders
 - d. Change disconnection procedures for all dates and accounts in arrears
 - e. Advise Council of all changes implemented by the CAO or designate
4. That this Bylaw once passed and signed shall form part of Bylaw 11-2019, the Municipal Public Utilities Bylaw.

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5. That this Bylaw shall take effect on the day of the final passing thereof.
6. It is the intention of Council that each separate provision of this Bylaw shall be deemed independent of all other provisions herein and it is further the intention of Council that should any provisions of this Bylaw be declared invalid, all other provisions thereof shall remain valid and enforceable.
7. This Bylaw hereby repeals and replaces Bylaw 04-2020, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 11-2019, the Municipal Public Utilities Bylaw in which 3rd reading was passed on March 24, 2020.

Read a first time this ____ day of _____, 2020.

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Mayor, Dave McKenzie

Edward LeBlanc, CAO

Read a second time this ____ day of _____, 2020.

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Read a third time this ____ day of _____, 2020 and passed.

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