

SUMMER VILLAGE OF SOUTH BAPTISTE

BYLAW NO. 3-19

A BYLAW TO ESTABLISH AN EMERGENCY ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF SOUTH BAPTISTE.

WHEREAS the Council of the Summer Village of South Baptiste is responsible for the direction and control of its emergency response and is required under the Emergency Management Act, Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter E-6.8, (hereinafter referred to as the “Act”) to appoint an Emergency Advisory Committee and to establish and maintain an Emergency Management Agency;

AND WHEREAS it is recognized that an emergency or disaster of a jurisdictional or multi-jurisdictional nature could affect the Summer Village to such a degree that local resources would be inadequate to cope with the situation;

AND WHEREAS South Baptiste and Athabasca County wishes to enter into a regional emergency management partnership with the Summer Village for the purpose of integrated emergency management planning and operations;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Summer Village of South Baptiste, in the province of Alberta, duly assembled enacts as follows:

1. This Bylaw may be cited as the South Baptiste Regional Emergency Management Bylaw.
 - 1.1 In this Bylaw:
 - a) “Act” means the Emergency Management Act, Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter E-6.8.
 - b) “Commencement Date” means that date in which this Bylaw becomes effective;
 - c) “Disaster” means an event that results in serious harm to the safety, health or welfare of people or in widespread damage to property;
 - d) “Emergency” means an event that requires prompt coordination of action or special regulation of persons or property to protect the safety, health or welfare of people or to limit damage to property;
 - e) “Councils” means the Council of the Summer Village and South Baptiste .and Athabasca County.
 - f) “Municipality” means the Summer Village of South Baptiste.

- g) “Director of Emergency Management” means an individual appointed by resolution of Council responsible for the preparation and coordination of emergency plans and programs for participating Municipalities.
2. The Council of the Summer Village of South Baptiste hereby delegates all powers and duties under the Act to the Athabasca County Council.
 3. The Council of the Summer Village of South Baptiste authorizes the Athabasca County Regional Emergency Management Agency to act as the agent of the South Baptiste local authority in exercising the local authority’s powers and duties under this Act.
 4. The municipality agrees to cover all costs incurred by Athabasca County during a response to an emergency or disaster situation within the jurisdictional borders of the Summer Village.
 5. The municipality agrees to cover a proportionate share of the costs associated with the training of municipal staff and council.
 6. The Athabasca County Regional Emergency Management Agency agrees to provide an annual report to the municipality’s CAO advising on the status of emergency management plans and programs.
 7. No action lies against the Municipality or a person acting under the Municipality’s direction or authorization for anything done or omitted to be done in good faith while carrying out a power under the Emergency Management Act or the regulations during a state of local emergency.
 8. This Bylaw shall take effect on the day of final passing thereof.


Read a first time on this 18th day of December 2019.

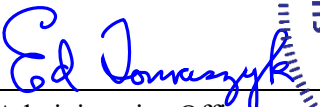
Read a second time on this 18th day of December 2019.

Read a third time and passed by unanimous consent on this 18th day of December 2019.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto set their seals duly attested to by the hands of their properly authorized officers in that behalf effective as at the day and year first above written.

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Per: 
 Mayor

Per: 
 Chief Administrative Officer

