# RESORT VILLAGE OF KANNATA VALLEY WATER METERS BYLAW 85

The Council of the Resort Village of Kannata Valley in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts the following articles and provisions:

## **PURPOSE**

1. The purpose of this bylaw is to provide for the installation of water meters.

### **DEFINITION OF TERMS:**

2. The following definitions and the definitions contained in the Act and Regulations apply to this Bylaw

Act the Municipalities Act

Administrator the person appointed by council to perform defined administrative functions.

Municipality the Resort Village of Kannata Valley

Council the administrative body of the Municipality comprised of a mayor and councillors.

Designated Officer (DO) a person to whom power and authority is designated by council

Owner the person(s) or corporation listed as owner of private property in the Municipality

Occupant the person(s) using property in the Municipality as owner or leaseholder

Property land or improvements or both

Water Utility the municipal water treatment and distribution system.

Meter Assembly a water meter and backflow preventer normally installed inside a residence in a frost prevented area used to

transmit information regarding the volume of water that flows from the Water Utility into the residence.

#### SCOPE

- 3. The owner or occupant of property shall provide access at proper hours of the day and upon reasonable notice given, and or request made, to all parts of the premises in which water is delivered by the municipality, for the purpose of installation, inspection and/or repair of a *Meter Assembly*.
- 4. The first *Meter Assembly* to a property shall be supplied and installed by the municipality at the expense of the municipality.
- 5. Meter Assemblies shall remain the property of the municipality.
- 6. A Meter Assembly that has failed to operate in accordance with manufactures specifications shall be repaired or replaced by the municipality at the expense of the municipality.
- 7. The municipality shall repair or replace a *Meter Assembly* at the expense of the property owner where damage is due to a wilful, negligent or accidental act of the property owner or guest of the property owner.
- 8. Where a *Meter Assembly* is damaged due to frost action (freezing), the municipality shall repair or replace the damaged water meter and/or backflow preventer at the expense of the property owner.
- 9. Any person who wilfully damages or tampers with *Meter Assembly* shall be deemed guilty of an infraction of this bylaw and liable to the penalties imposed by the General Penalty Bylaw of the Municipality.

## **SEVERABILITY**

10. A decision of a Court that one or more provisions of this bylaw are invalid in whole or in part does not affect the validity, effectiveness or enforceability of the other provisions or parts of the provisions of this bylaw.

## **EFFECTIVE DATE**

11. THIS BYLAW comes into force and takes effect immediately after having received third reading.

Resolution R154/10, First Reading of Bylaw 85 was "CARRIED" at the November 29, 2010 regular council meeting Resolution R19/11, Second Reading of Bylaw 85 was "CARRIED" at the February 21, 2011 regular council meeting Resolution R31/11, Third Reading of Bylaw 85 was "CARRIED" at the March 21, 2011 regular council meeting.

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