

Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87

Request for Decision (RFD)

Meeting: Regular Meeting of Council
Meeting Date: December 12, 2023
Originated By: Bryan Bespalko, General Manager of Infrastructure Services
Title: Bylaw No. 1848 Water and Sewer Bylaw

PROPOSAL & BACKGROUND

Due to changes requested by Council, Bylaw 1666, Water and Sewer Bylaw, required revisions. Administration has revised the content of the Bylaw and is requesting that this revision be adopted as the new Water and Sewer Bylaw and the current Bylaw 1666 be repealed.

As the new Water and Sewer Bylaw references the new Master Rates Bylaw presented today, the changes to Bylaw 1666 need to be made as to not have conflicting bylaws.

DISCUSSION ON BENEFITS, DISADVANTAGES & OPTIONS

Significant changes to the revised bylaw are:

- Reference to the current M.D. Master Rates Bylaw,
- Removal of the adjacent landowner connection criteria,
- Removal of reference to renters, as connections are to be applied for by landowners only,
- Removal of Water Service Deposit, as connections are to be applied for by landowners only,
- Implementation of 90-day arrears to be automatically applied to the tax roll of the property,
- Removal of Sewage Disposal at the Municipal lagoons, and
- Integration of amendments made to Bylaw No. 1666 when the Master Rates Bylaw was passed.

Attached for Council's review:

- Appendix A: New Bylaw No. 1848 Water and Sewer Bylaw
- Appendix B: Current Bylaw No. 1666 Water and Sewer Bylaw

REFERENCE TO STRATEGIC PLAN

GOAL 3: PROMOTE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Objective: Potable Water Access For Population Clusters

REFERENCE TO PROVINCIAL/FEDERAL LEGISLATION

N/A

COSTS & SOURCE OF FUNDING

No budgetary impact.

COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY

The new bylaw will be posted on the M.D. public website.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDED ACTION

THAT Bylaw No. 1848, being a bylaw of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87, to regulate the connection and use of public water systems and sanitary sewer systems, be given second reading.

THAT Bylaw No. 1848 be given third reading.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

1. THAT Bylaw No. 1848, being a bylaw of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87, to regulate the connection and use of public water systems and sanitary sewer systems, be given second reading.
CARRIED (*Bylaw will proceed to third reading*)
2. THAT Bylaw No. 1848, being a bylaw of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87, to regulate the connection and use of public water systems and sanitary sewer systems, be given second reading.
DEFEATED (*Bylaw will not proceed*)
3. THAT Bylaw No. 1848, being a bylaw of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87, to regulate the connection and use of public water systems and sanitary sewer systems, be amended by _____, and be given second reading.
4. THAT Bylaw No. 1848, being a bylaw of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87, to regulate the connection and use of public water systems and sanitary sewer systems, be tabled until _____ for additional information.

Report Approval Details

Document Title:	Bylaw No. 1848 - Water and Sewer Bylaw - 2nd Reading.docx
Attachments:	- APPENDIX A.pdf - Appendix B-Bylaw 1666.pdf
Final Approval Date:	Nov 30, 2023

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Stephanie Severin