

Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87 Request for Decision (RFD)

Meeting: Regular Meeting of Council

Meeting Date: July 9, 2024

Originated By: Bryan Bespalko, General Manager of Infrastructure Services

Title: Sale of Waste Aggregate

PROPOSAL & BACKGROUND

Administration has received an inquiry to purchase waste aggregate from the Riverhurst Gravel Pit.

This gravel pit has been depleted of usable aggregate and the M.D. has no future plans to mine at this location.

The material wishing to be purchased is not useful in M.D. operations and will be used or buried during the reclamation of the Riverhurst Gravel Pit.

DISCUSSION ON BENEFITS, DISADVANTAGES & OPTIONS

As this material has no operational value to the M.D., the aggregate can be sold to generate revenue to offset the cost of reclamation of the gravel pit in the future.

With the option of aggregate sale open to the public, this will postpone the plan for reclamation of this pit.

Administration will need to develop a procedure for the accounting of the volume of aggregate sold and the billing for the sale. Administration will also need to investigate industry pricing to determine a rate for the aggregate and add that to the Master Rates Bylaw for Council to approve.

This proposal does not include the sale of any aggregate the M.D. has in inventory.

REFERENCE TO STRATEGIC PLAN

N/A

REFERENCE TO PROVINCIAL/FEDERAL LEGISLATION

N/A

COSTS & SOURCE OF FUNDING

No cost to the M.D.

Potential revenue generation.

COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGY

Upon approval of the sale of aggregate by Council, this will be communicated to the public through the M.D. website.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDED ACTION

THAT Council approves the sale of waste aggregate to the public and furthermore that Council directs Administration to draft an amendment to the M.D. Master Rates Bylaw establishing a fee for the sale of waste aggregate and bring it back to a future meeting for Council consideration.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

- 1. THAT Council approves the sale of waste aggregate to the public and furthermore that Council directs Administration to draft an amendment to the M.D. Master Rates Bylaw establishing a fee for the sale of waste aggregate and bring it back to a future meeting for Council consideration.
- 2. THAT Council denies the request to purchase waste aggregate from the municipality.

Report Approval Details

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

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