



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW No. 16

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Council Meeting Highlights

July 12, 2017

Bylaws

- **Bylaw 16-767** to re-designate lands within the Big Mountain Industrial Park (SE-1-69-6-W6, Plan 882286, Lot 2), in the Grovedale Area, from Agriculture District (A) to Industrial (I) passed first reading. A Public Hearing concerning Bylaw 16-767, for the Big Mountain Industrial Park Area Structure Plan, has been scheduled for August 23, 2016 at 10 a.m. in Greenview Council Chambers.
- **Bylaw 16-765 Parks & Recreation Protection** received third and final reading. The bylaw will govern use of parks which are owned or managed by Greenview. This includes municipal reserve, environmental reserve, campgrounds, day use areas, recreation areas, playgrounds and boat launches. It will ensure a fair and safe experience for all users, while addressing nuisance issues such as noise and off leash pets. Generators within parks and recreation areas will be turned off from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. unless required for medical reasons. The bylaw also establishes maximum stay lengths for recreation and park areas.

Policy

Under the recommendation of the Policy Review Committee, Council has adopted the Haying and Pasturing General Restriction and Permits policy. The new policy was created by combining three existing policies in an effort to provide clarity and consistency within Greenview's process and organizational structure. As part of the adoption process, Council rescinded Policies: AD-35 Haying or Pasturing Permits Municipal Reserves, OP-11 Haying on Municipal Road Right of Ways and Municipal Owned Lands, and PW-12 Haying or Pasturing Permits Municipal Reserves.

Lagoon Treated Wastewater for Industrial Fracturing

Council has approved the sale of effluent from Greenview wastewater lagoons for the purpose of industrial fracturing. In addition, Greenview's Manager of Environmental Services has been authorized to negotiate with representatives from oil industry stakeholders for the use of Greenview's lagoon treated wastewater at no cost to the Municipal District.

Grande Cache Medical Centre

The Town of Grande Cache has requested a meeting with representatives from Greenview to further discuss the development of a new Medical Clinic in their community. Prior to the meeting, Greenview Administration will provide the Town of Grande Cache with a Discussion Briefing Report. The report outlines several questions related to the proposed project and is intended to help guide future conversation.



Old Sunset House Water Point

Council has authorized Administration to transfer the ownership of the old Sunset House non potable well and water point building, as is, to the Sunset Hall Community Hall Society.

Grovedale Water System Expansion

Administration has been authorized by Council to negotiate for the purchase of land in the Grovedale area for the expansion of the Grovedale water system.

Board Appointments

- Councillor Roxie Rutt has been appointed to represent Greenview Council on the Providing Assistance, Counseling & Education (PACE) Board of Directors. PACE offers crisis intervention, family support, educational workshops and counseling services involving sexual abuse, sexual assault, child abuse and trauma to individuals throughout the Peace Country.
- Doug Vandemark has been appointed by Council to sit on the Agriculture Appeal Committee.

Events and Meetings

- Regular Council Meeting: July 26, 2016
- Committee of the Whole: July 19, 2016 in Grovedale.
- Ratepayers' Barbeques: July 19 in Grovedale and July 26 in DeBolt.
- Municipal Planning Commission: July 13, 2016.
- Green View FCSS: July 20, 2016.
- Agricultural Services Board (ASB): July 27, 2016.

Unless otherwise specified, all meetings (except FCSS meetings) take place in the Council Chambers at the Administration Building in Valleyview beginning at 9 a.m. ASB and FCSS meetings begin at 9:30 a.m. FCSS meetings take place at the Green View Community Resource Centre. The public and media are welcome to attend or observe our Council Chambers live stream via the internet. To view our live feed please visit our website at www.mdgreenview.ab.ca and click on the Live Stream link.

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