



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW No. 16

REGULAR AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, February 10, 2022

9:30 AM

Council Chambers
Administration Building

#1	CALL TO ORDER	
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	• Vice Chair Shelley Morrison	

- Deputy Reeve Bill Smith
- Councillor Dave Berry
- Member Richard Brochu
- Member Larry Smith
- Member Mark Pellerin

#7 CORRESPONDENCE

- Email from Canadian Food Inspection Agency regarding the transition to digital equine infectious anemia (EIA) test certificates in Canada
- EIA Notification Letter 2021 – 12 Province wide notice final
- Response letter from Honourable Nate Horner to County of Paintearth No. 18 regarding ASB funding
- Letter from County of Warner regarding support of fertilizer emissions
- Letter to Honourable Nate Horner from Greenview regarding Grizzly Populations
- Letter to Honourable Jason Nixon from Greenview regarding Elk Forage Depredation
- Letter from MD of Taber to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions
- Letter from Cardston County to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions
- Letter from Flagstaff County to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

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#8 ADJOURNMENT

Minutes of a
REGULAR AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD
MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW NO. 16
Greenview Administration Building,
Valleyview, Alberta, on Monday, December 13, 2021

**#1
CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Warren Wohlgemuth called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

PRESENT

A.S.B. Member - Chair	Warren Wohlgemuth
A.S.B. Member – Vice Chair	Shelley Morrison
A.S.B. Member – Councillor	Dave Berry
A.S.B. Member	Larry Smith
A.S.B. Member	Richard Brochu
A.S.B. Member	Mark Pellerin

ATTENDING

Manager, Agriculture Services	Sheila Kaus
Agriculture Supervisor	Kristin King
Director of Community Services	Michelle Honeyman
Beautification Coordinator	Jessica McCormick (Virtual)
Communications Coordinator	Nicole Brooks (Virtual)
Recording Secretary	Denise Baranowski

ABSENT

A.S.B. Member – Deputy Reeve	Bill Smith
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**#2
AGENDA**

MOTION: 21.12.137. Moved by: CHAIR WARREN WOHLGEMUTH
That the Agricultural Service Board adopt the December 13, 2021, Regular
Agricultural Service Board Meeting Agenda with the following additions;

- 5.5 RFD Grain Vac Purchase
- Elevation of kochia

CARRIED

**#3.1
REGULAR
AGRICULTURAL
SERVICE BOARD
MEETING MINUTES**

MOTION: 21.12.138. Moved by: CHAIR WARREN WOHLGEMUTH
That the Agricultural Service Board adopt the minutes of the Regular Agricultural
Service Board Meeting held on Wednesday, November 24, 2021, with the
following changes;

- Change Motion 21.11.124 to “That the Agriculture Service Board **approve**
Regular Scheduled Agriculture Services Board Meetings to occur in the
Council Chambers at 9:30 on the following dates:”.

CARRIED

3.2 BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

#3.3 ACTION ITEMS

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MOTION: 21.12.139. Moved by: MEMBER RICHARD BROCHU
That the Agricultural Service Board accept the Action Items, as presented.
CARRIED

#4.0 DELEGATION

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There were no delegations present.

#5 BUSINESS

5.0 BUSINESS

5.1 SCHEDULE OF FEES 2022

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MOTION: 21.12.140. Moved by: COUNCILLOR DAVE BERRY
That the Agricultural Service Board recommend that Council approve the Schedule of Fees 2022, with the following changes;

- Item 7v - Decrease rental fee for No Till Drill to \$200.00 per day.
- Item 15iv – Remove “by box purchased”.
- Item 16i - Increase rental fee for Water Pipe Trailer for out of season, November 1st – March 31st, to double regular seasonal fee on Manager’s discretion.

CARRIED

5.2 PEACE AGRONOMY UPDATE 2022 SPONSORSHIP

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MOTION: 21.12.141. Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON
That the Agricultural Service Board approve sponsorship in the amount of \$500.00 to the North Peace Applied Research Association for the Peace Agronomy Update 2022, with funds to come from Extension and Outreach Grants to Organizations, as presented.

CARRIED

5.3 AGRICULTURAL PLASTICS RECYCLING

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MOTION: 21.12.142. Moved by: MEMBER RICHARD BROCHU
That the Agricultural Service Board accept the Agricultural Plastics Recycling report, as presented.

CARRIED

MOTION: 21.12.143. Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON

That the Agricultural Service Board recommend to Council to postpone the Agricultural Plastics Recycle capital purchase project for 2022 and to be considered for 2023.

CARRIED

Chair Warren Wohlgemuth recessed the meeting at 10:34 a.m.

Chair Warren Wohlgemuth reconvened the meeting at 10:45 a.m.

5.4 MANAGERS' REPORT

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MOTION: 21.12.144. Moved by: MEMBER LARRY SMITH

That the Agricultural Service Board accept the Managers' report, as presented.

CARRIED

5.6 ELEVATION OF KOCHIA

ELEVATION OF KOCHIA & BULL THISTLE

MOTION: 21.12.145 . Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON

That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council elevate kochia and bull thistle to noxious weeds under the Designated Noxious Bylaw.

CARRIED

5.5 GRAIN VAC PURCHASE

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MOTION: 21.12.146. Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN

That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council add the purchase of a new Grain Vac to the 2022 Capital Budget with an upset limit of \$43,000.00, as presented.

CARRIED

MOTION: 21.12.147. Moved by: COUNCILLOR DAVE BERRY

That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Administration track hourly usage of the grain vac in 2022 for consideration of altering the Schedule of Fees by November 2022.

CARRIED

#6 MEMBERS' BUSINESS & REPORTS

6.0 MEMBERS' BUSINESS & REPORTS

ASB MEMBERS REPORTS

CHAIR WARREN WOHLGEMUTH updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- Very tough year overall

VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON updated the Agriculture Service Board on her recent activities, which include;

- Feed shortage
- Decreased number of head
- High pellet costs

DEPUTY REEVE BILL SMITH updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- November 22-26 RMA Fall Conference
- November 29 Budget Orientation Meeting
- November 30 – December 1 Budget Presentation Meetings
- Community Futures Strategic Planning
- Grazing Summit Meeting with the Deputy Minister
- South Wapiti Rec. Board Meeting

COUNCILLOR DAVE BERRY updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- November 22-26 RMA Fall Conference
- November 29 Budget Orientation Meeting
- November 30 – December 1 Budget Presentation Meetings
- December 6 Golden Triangle Meeting
- December 9 MPC Planning Meeting (via Zoom)
- December 13 ASB Meeting

MEMBER RICHARD BROCHU updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- No report

MEMBER LARRY SMITH updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- Had carry over feed

MEMBER MARK PELLERIN updated the Agriculture Service Board on his recent activities, which include;

- No report

**MEMBERS
BUSINESS AND
REPORTS**

MOTION: 21.12.148. Moved by: **MEMBER RICHARD BROCHU**
That the Agricultural Service Board accept the Members reports as information.

CARRIED

#7
CORRESPONDENCE

7.0 CORRESPONDENCE

ASB
CORRESPONDENCE

MOTION: 21.12.149. Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN
That the Agricultural Service Board accept the correspondence as information.
CARRIED

#8
ADJOURNMENT

8.0 ADJOURNMENT

ASB
ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: 21.12.150. Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON
That this Agricultural Service Board meeting adjourn at 11:30 p.m.
CARRIED

MANAGER, AGRICULTURE SERVICES

ASB CHAIR

3.3 Action Items - Agricultural Service Board Motions

No.	Motion	Assigned to	Status
MOTION: 21.03.20 March 24, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER RICHARD BROCHU that the Agricultural Service Board rescind motion 21.01.05 to recommend to Council to direct Administration to take over the Fox Creek Walleye Spawning Enhancement Project for 2021 from the Alberta Conservation Association (ACA).	Ben Brochu, Problem Wildlife Officer	Complete – Assistance not required, will assist if that changes
MOTION: 21.06.66 June 23, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN that the Agricultural Service Board direct administration to produce a document assisting interested producers with having commodity and livestock check off dollars returned to the producer.	Sheila Kaus, Agricultural Services Manager	In Progress
MOTION: 21.08.76 August 25, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER LARRY SMITH that the Agricultural Service Board authorize Administration to develop options to publicly highlight the past, present and future Greenview Farm Family Award recipients with the following revision: Change 1995 recipient to Larry & Donna Noullett	Communications and Agricultural Services	In Progress
MOTION: 21.10.112 October 27, 2021	Moved by: COUNCILLOR DAVE BERRY that the Agricultural Service Board recommend that Administration draft an agreement template that landowners can use to develop their own agreement pertaining to rental or access of their land.	Kristin King, Agricultural Services Coordinator	In Progress
MOTION: 21.11.126 November 24, 2021	Moved by: DEPUTY REEVE BILL SMITH that the Agricultural Service Board recommend the Rental Equipment Policy be presented to the Policy Review Committee, with the following changes; remove weekend rental rate & damage deposits.	Sheila Kaus, Agricultural Services Manager	Complete- Waiting on Hazard Assessment Rating before going to Council
MOTION: 21.11.129 November 24, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN that the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council authorize Administration to send a Peace Region Wildlife Populations and Conflict with Agricultural Productivity letter to the Honourable Nate Horner, Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, and Rural Economic Development and the Honourable Jason Nixon, Minister of Environment and Parks.	Sheila Kaus, Agricultural Services Manager	Completed – In Correspondance
MOTION: 21.11.131 November 24, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN that the Agricultural Service Board direct Administration to gather information on AgriStability accessibility issues and report back to the board.	Sheila Kaus. Agricultural Services Manager	In Progress
MOTION: 21.12.143 December 13, 2021	Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON that the Agricultural Service Board recommend to Council to postpone the Agricultural Plastics Recycle capital purchase project for 2022 and to be considered for 2023.	Sheila Kaus. Agricultural Services Manager	2023
MOTION: 21.12.145 December 13, 2021	Moved by: VICE CHAIR SHELLEY MORRISON that the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council elevate kochia and bull thistle to noxious weeds under the Designated Noxious Bylaw.	Sheila Kaus. Agricultural Services Manager	In Progress Sent to Council for February 8 meeting

MD of Greenview
February 10, 2022

3.3 Action Items - Agricultural Service Board Motions

MOTION: 21.12.146 December 13, 2021	Moved by: MEMBER MARK PELLERIN that the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council add the purchase of a new Grain Vac to the 2022 Capital Budge with an upset limit of \$35,000.00.	Sheila Kaus. Agricultural Services Manager	Complete – RFQ in Package
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REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: **Coyote Predation Policy**

SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE

STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION

CAO: MANAGER: SK

GM: PRESENTER: SK

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend the Policy Review Committee approve the Coyote Predation Policy, as presented.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

On December 17, Administration received communication from the Alberta Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Economic Development (AFRED) Rat and Pest Program Specialist regarding the 15-year re-evaluation by the Pest Management Regulatory Agency of Canada (PMRA) of the use of the canine toxicant, compound 1080. The PMRA is asking for more information to be collected each time the product is dispensed. A timeline has not been provided on the expected completion of the re-evaluation so additional changes to the registration may result once complete.

Agricultural Service Departments are to make sure of the following when dispensing compound 1080:

- Coyote Predation is to have been confirmed in the past 30 days
- Maximum of 6 tablets are dispensed
- The expiration of the Form 8 permit is 30 days

Administration is recommending the adoption of a Coyote Predation Policy to ensure that set of guidelines in line with the permitted use of the toxicant is readily available for Greenview ratepayers interested in obtaining the toxicant for the control of coyotes.

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board recommending that the Policy Review Committee approve the Coyote Predation Policy is that it ensures the department and the ratepayers have the PMRA's registration for compound 1080 use guidelines readily available.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

There are no disadvantages to the recommended action.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Potential increase to the Problem Wildlife Officer's workload to facilitate bait placement may result in a financial impact.

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

The impending changes could increase the Problem Wildlife Officer's workload resulting in staffing implications.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

INCREASING LEVEL OF PUBLIC IMPACT

Inform

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION GOAL

Inform - To provide the public with balanced and objective information to assist them in understanding the problem, alternatives, opportunities and/or solutions.

PROMISE TO THE PUBLIC

Inform - We will keep you informed.

FOLLOW UP ACTIONS:

If the recommended motion is accepted, Administration will follow up with presenting the Coyote Predation policy to the Policy Review Board.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- Coyote Predation Policy DRAFT
- 1080 Checklist for Ag Fieldman 2021
- Compound 1080 PMRA Label
- FW 2021 Year-End Coyote Control Device Report

Title: Coyote Predation Policy

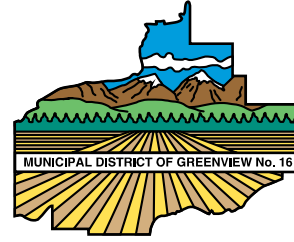
Policy No:

Effective Date: Date passed in Council

Motion Number:

Supersedes Policy No:

Review Date: (3 Years from date approved by Council)



Purpose: Greenview recognizes the need for control of coyotes and the requirement to follow the current registration of toxicants related to the control of coyotes.

1. DEFINITIONS

- 1.1. **Livestock** shall refer to confined poultry, cattle, sheep, goats, or any commercially raised animal.

2. POLICY STATEMENT

- 2.1. Greenview recognizes that livestock producers may require assistance in managing coyote predation to safeguard their livestock. This policy will provide guidelines for the control of coyote in accordance with the Agricultural Pests Act (APA) and the Pest and Nuisance Control Regulation (406/86) and the Coyote Predation Management Program.

3. COUNCIL RESPONSIBILITIES

- 3.1. Council shall appoint staff that hold a valid Form 7 license, trained and authorized by Alberta Agriculture and Forestry, to act as Pest Inspectors under the Agricultural Pest Act (APA) to distribute Compound 1080 in compliance with the products registration with the Pest Management Regulatory Agency of Canada. Identification of this appointment will be provided to staff.

4. ADMINISTRATION RESPONSIBILITIES

- 4.1. All coyote control work completed by Greenview shall be carried out in accordance with the Agricultural Pests Act (APA), the Pest and Nuisance Control Regulation (406/86) and the Coyote Predation Management Program. In the event that Compound 1080 is used, Greenview requires the use of small, buried baits as opposed to carcass baiting to minimize off-target poisoning potential.
- 4.2. Agricultural Services will make available information to prevent coyote predation and/or harassment to all Greenview residents.
- 4.3. When livestock predation by coyotes has been confirmed, the inspector may assist the livestock producer in the following ways:
- A. Bait placement services
 - B. Snaring services

- C. Confirming use of mitigation measures
 - D. Site assessment
 - E. Issuing a Form 8 permit and Compound 1080 tablets or neck snare devices as a control measure when the inspector is satisfied that other controls and management options have been exhausted. These options could include but are not limited to close supervision of stock, proper carrion disposal, use of guardian animals, predator-proof barrier or electric fences, scare devices, or shooting.
- 4.4. A Form 8 permit must be completed and signed by the landowner prior to issuance of a registered controls. All parts of the PCP Act label for the poison must be reviewed with the producer.
- A. The inspector must emphasize the risk and potential hazards of using poison control methods such as; accidental poisoning and/or snaring of off-target species.
 - B. The livestock producer is responsible for informing neighbours when restricted devices are being used and must set out the provided warning posters that poison or snares have been set. Refer to Schedule A.
 - C. The inspector will issue Compound 1080 tablets to a maximum of 6 tablets at a time to any one livestock producer.
 - D. Unused compound 1080 must be returned within 15 days of issue.
 - E. It is the responsibility of the Form 8 license holder to properly dispose of baited carcasses as dictated by the Pest Management Regulatory Agency of Canada.
 - F. Control measures requiring the issuance of a Form 8 permit shall not be issued for instances of harassment or feelings of fear, nor for the use of control of coyote predation of unconfined poultry, pets, hobby animals, or for any other reason not directly associated with livestock predation.
- 4.5. The Annual Coyote Control Device Use report to Alberta Agriculture and Forestry will be completed annually and submitted to the Animal Health and Assurance Branch by the Manager of Agricultural Services.



Inspection and Investigation Section

Toxicant Dispensing Guidelines and Form 8 Checklist

- Current Form 7 must be held by person dispensing a Form 8 to the owner or occupant of land requesting Compound 1080 (Sodium Monofluoroacetate).
- Store tablets under lock and key; double locked (locked cupboard in a locked warehouse).
- Keep tablets out of sun or heat. Keep them cool.
- Current Form 7 holders are to issue tablets only to agriculture producers suffering **active coyote predation to livestock that has occurred within the past 30 days**, after confirming management practices are in place such as: guard dogs, carcass disposal, electric fences, etc...
- **A maximum of six tablets of Compound 1080 can be dispensed at one time.**
- Compound 1080 tablets must be dispensed in a labelled pill vial.
- Form 8 is issued for a maximum of 30 days.
- Remove all poisoned baits within 15 days of initial placement.
- Current Compound 1080 SDS and Pest Management Regulatory Agency Label, which outlines the Use Limitations of the product, must be given to agriculture producer with the Form 8 and Compound 1080 tablets.

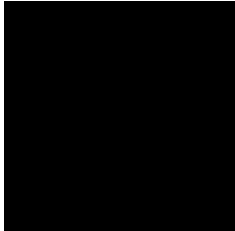
*****Always wear disposable gloves when handling product*****

Please contact Karen Wickerson at karen.wickerson@gov.ab.ca or 403-701-9668 if you have any questions.

**SODIUM
MONOFLUOROACETATE**
PREDACIDE

COYOTE CONTROL AND WOLF CONTROL

RESTRICTED



DANGER POISON

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

GUARANTEE: Sodium monofluoroacetate 5 mg per tablet
REGISTRATION NO. 18300 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT
NET CONTENTS: 5 mg per tablet
GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA
Alberta Agriculture and Forestry

Inspection and Investigation Section

97 East Lake Ramp NE

Airdrie, AB T4A 0C3

NOTICE TO USER:

This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the Pest Control Products Act to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label. The user assumes the risk to persons or property that arises from any such use of this product.

NATURE OF RESTRICTION:

This product is for storage, use and handling only by persons authorized under the Alberta Agricultural Pests Act and by designated Fish and Wildlife Officers of the Government of Alberta.

RESTRICTED USES:

COYOTE

Single Dose Bait

Place one tablet into a bait of about 100g (e.g. chicken head). Place up to three of these poisoned baits at a coyote site. Cover treated baits with 5 - 10 cm of soil, snow, vegetation or other material to prevent exposure to birds.

Limitations 1 through 7 inclusive, 12 through 16 inclusive

Multi Dose Bait

Place up to six tablets into a carcass at a coyote control site and then cover with 30 cm of snow or 15 cm of loose soil. For targeting specific individual coyotes, place up to three tablets into a coyote killed carcass at the predation site.

Limitations 1 through 7 inclusive, 12 through 16 inclusive.

WOLF

Small Bait

Place three tablets into a bait of about 100g. Conceal up to six of these baits under approximately 30 cm of snow or 15 cm of loose soil along trails leading to an unpoisoned carcass or in a circle around an unpoisoned carcass.

Limitations 8 through 13 inclusive

Large Bait

Place up to twelve tablets into a carcass that is securely anchored. Cover the bait with 30 cm of snow or 15 cm of loose soil.

Limitations 8 through 13 inclusive

Use Limitations

1. Tablets inserted into a carcass should be placed deep in a horizontal cut to prevent scavenging birds from accessing the tablet.
2. For use only to control offending animals in areas where proper herd management is practiced to discourage predation.
3. Do not apply this product if species at risk (for example the swift fox) that may feed on Compound 1080 bait or on poisoned carcasses are present in your (local or specific) area. For information on species at risk in your area, contact the Fish and Wildlife Division of Alberta Sustainable Resource Development.
4. For use where verified predation of livestock or game production animals has occurred within the past 30 days.
5. For use by Alberta Fish and Wildlife Services personnel on public land where predation of domestic animals or other problems occur requiring coyote removal.
6. Sodium monofluoroacetate tablets must not be set nearer than 800 metres from the boundary of a hamlet, village, town or city, nor closer than 400 metres to a residence except that of the landholder who has approved the use of the tablets.
7. The user of tablets must remove and destroy all poisoned baits within 15 days of initial placement.
8. For use only by designated Fish and Wildlife Officers of the Alberta Government.
9. For use where verified wolf predation of domestic animals has recently occurred or where a serious threat to human safety exists.
10. For use only under official approval by the Minister responsible for wildlife, where predation has been identified as the primary factor affecting survival of a specific wildlife population.
11. Do not set bait within 800 metres of an inhabited dwelling.
12. To prevent hazard of secondary poisoning, any baits removed from use or the carcasses of poisoned coyotes or wolves must be burned or buried to a depth of 60 cm (2 feet). Vials and unused product must be disposed of in accordance with provincial requirements.
13. The user of tablets must immediately post warning signs at all normal access points to land where poisoned baits are set and remove signs at end of poison use.
14. The user of tablets must provide a copy of this label to the landholder on whose land tablets are being used.
15. The user of tablets must monitor and keep accurate records on the use of each poisoned bait.
16. The user of tablets must inspect poisoned bait at least every 7 days.

PRECAUTIONS:**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND UNAUTHORIZED PERSONNEL.**

Sodium monofluoroacetate is toxic to all warm-blooded animals. Store sodium monofluoroacetate tablets under lock and key in a dry place away from food, feed, domestic animals, and corrosive chemicals. Do not use in any manner that could contaminate food or feed. Wear gloves when handling tablets. Wash hands thoroughly before eating or smoking. Place poisoned baits to minimize non-target poisoning of wild and domestic animals. Keep dogs and cats on a leash or confined when poisoned baits are set.

DISPOSAL:

Burn unconsumed poisoned baits, toxicant containers and damaged or unusable tablets at high temperature or bury to a depth of 60 cm. For information on the disposal of unused, unwanted product and the cleanup of spills contact the provincial regulatory agency or the manufacturer.

FIRST AID INSTRUCTIONS:

Speed is essential. Immediately cause vomiting by inserting a finger down the throat. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Then give 30 ml of Epsom salts in water. Have victim lie down and keep warm and quiet. Call a doctor or the Poison Control Centre (1-800-332-1414) immediately.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Sodium monofluoroacetate poisoning results from fluoroacetate changing into fluoroacetate within cell mitochondria. Poisoning is characterized by a symptom-free period of 0.5 to 2 hours or longer between ingestion and onset of symptoms (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, and hyperactive behaviour leading to convulsions). In monkeys, and presumably in humans, effects on the heart are the primary cause of death. The first symptoms of poisoning are changes of heart sounds and premature, weak contractions. No effective antidote is known, but treating the symptoms is effective in approximately 50% of human cases. Immediately cause a victim to vomit all stomach contents and give Epsom salts (magnesium sulphate). Compounds capable of supplying acetate ions give antidotal effects in animals including monkeys; the choice drugs are acetate and ethanol (2g/kg of each). A single dose of magnesium sulphate (800 mg/kg) injected into muscle as a 50 % solution has saved the life of rats dosed with lethal amounts of sodium monofluoroacetate. Complete quiet and rest are required. Symptoms of non-lethal sodium monofluoroacetate poisoning will usually subside within 12 - 24 hours.

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Subject: 2021 Year End Coyote Control Device Use Report

Hello everyone,

It is that time of year again!

Attached is the **2021 Year End Coyote Control Device and Poisonous Material Report** to fill out and return to me with all expired or completed **Form 8 and Form 9** permits **by January 15, 2022. Please note the email address to send the report and Form 8s to is AF.iisreports@gov.ab.ca**. The form is pdf fillable so can be filled out online if you have the capability. If you are mailing in the reports my address in Airdrie is on the form.

If you have any sodium cyanide, compound 1080 toxic collars or coyote den bombs please contact me for pick up and disposal of them as they can no longer be used.

*****Update on the 15 year re-evaluation of Sodium Monofluoroacetate – Compound 1080.***** I am meeting with PMRA in the new year to revise the Form 8 permit. After reviewing the 10 years of reports and Form 8s that I sent in last June, PMRA is asking for more information to be collected each time the product is dispensed. This is to comply with the use limitations of our registration of the product. They have not given me a timeline on how long the re-evaluation will take so there may be more changes to the registration after the re-evaluation.

I have attached copies of our label from PMRA which lists the use limitations, an updated copy of the SDS, a quick checklist of the requirements that have to be met for dispensing of compound 1080, and the updated version of the Coyote Control Manual. It is your responsibility to go over the use limitations with the producer and follow up that they have followed them.

Please make sure you are doing the following when dispensing compound 1080:

- Coyote Predation to have been confirmed in the past 30 days
- Maximum of 6 tablets dispensed
- The expiration of the Form 8 permit is 30 days

PMRA is also looking at collecting information confirming baited carcass has been disposed of properly within 15 days of initial placement, recording number of coyotes removed, and if there were any secondary poisonings.

Please make sure you are following the use limitations of the registration as misuse of this product puts our ability to maintain this registration for the whole province at risk. It is an

important tool in our toolbox.

The question of wolf control in the province came up in the last session of Form 7 training that I held and I want to confirm that wolf control is the responsibility of Fish and Wildlife. They are not an agricultural pest so we do not have authority to control them. Fish and Wildlife has a program for livestock predation by wolves, so if a producer or yourselves are unsure if it is wolf predation you can contact a Fish and Wildlife officer to come out to investigate. Please contact me if you need any further information on this.

I apologize for the long email but I wanted to update you on what is happening with the re-evaluation of compound 1080.

If you have any questions please feel free to reach out to me.

Hope you have a wonderful holiday!



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REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: **Roadside Vegetation Management Policy 6302**
SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION
MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022 CAO: MANAGER: SK
DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE GM: PRESENTER: SK
STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION 1: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend -that the Policy Review Committee accept the amended Policy 6302 Roadside Vegetation Management as presented.

MOTION 2: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council rescind Policy 6302-01 Roadside Vegetation Management Procedure and Policy 6317 Spray Exemptions.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

Administration amalgamated Policy 6302 Roadside Vegetation Management and Policy 6317 Spray Exemptions as the policies contain related information that will be more effectively specified within one policy.

Administration proposes a continuous enrollment into the Spray Exemption Program, managed through GIS to delineate when a land parcel has changed hands, removing the parcel from the program at that time. The changes would also require inspection of all right-of-ways adjacent to Spray Exemption Program properties be inspected after July 15th to ensure control has taken place. Should the participant not meet their agreement obligations, they would be removed from the program. These changes have been incorporated into amended Policy 6302.

Administration is recommending to rescind Policy 6317 Spray Exemptions and Policy 6302-01 Roadside Vegetation Management Procedure as these will not be required with the recommended amended Policy 6302 Roadside Vegetation Management which addresses all the required information to cover all these topics.

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board following the recommended actions is that the combination of the policies will effectively communicate the required information for all applicable topics into one source policy.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

There are no perceived disadvantages to the recommended motion.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

There are no financial implications to the recommended motion.

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS:

If the recommended action is approved, Administration will follow up with presenting the applicable policies to the Policy Review Board and Council respectively.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- Policy 6302- Roadside Vegetation Management -Current
- Policy 6302-01 Roadside Vegetation Management Procedure – Current
- Policy 6317- Spray Exemptions - Current
- Policy 6302 Roadside Vegetation Management - DRAFT

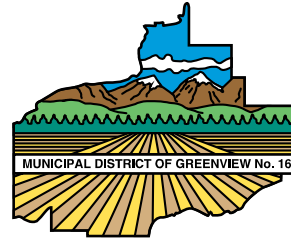
Title: ROADSIDE VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

Policy No: 6302

Approval: Council

Effective Date: February 25, 2014

Supersedes Policy No: AG 06



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW NO. 16

"A Great Place to Live, Work and Play"

Policy Statement: Greenview believes that it is beneficial for the district to implement measures to prevent the establishment of, and control the spread of, invasive plant species and undesirable vegetation along municipal road rights-of-way and municipally controlled land.

Purpose: To abate the spread of Noxious and Prohibited Noxious weeds within district road right-of-ways and district controlled land.

Principles:

1. Efficient and cost-effective measures will be used to strive to eradicate Prohibited Noxious weeds and to control noxious weeds within district road right-of-ways and district controlled land.
2. Measures used to control and eradicate weeds pursuant to this policy shall minimize the potential for negative impacts on the natural environment.
3. Greenview's roadside vegetation management program will strive to undertake such action as required, and as often as resources allow, to eradicate prohibited noxious weeds and control noxious weeds within district road right-of-ways and district controlled land.

Approved: 14.02.99



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW NO. 16

"A Great Place to Live, Work and Play"

Procedure Title: ROADSIDE VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

Procedure No: 6302-01

Approval: CAO

Effective Date: February 25, 2014

Supersedes Procedure No: AG 06

1. Definitions

- 1.1. Eradicate means "destroy all parts of the plant, and render reproductive parts of the plant non-viable.
- 1.2. Control means "inhibit the growth or spread of the plant.
- 1.3. Noxious Weeds and Prohibited Noxious Weeds are as defined, and include all those weeds identified, under the *Weed Control Act* of Alberta (RSA 2008/W-5.1) and the *Weed Control Regulation* (19/2010), as amended from time to time. As well, Noxious Weeds and Prohibited Noxious Weeds shall include invasive plant species which have been elevated in status by municipal bylaw.

2. Responsibilities

- 2.1. Manager of Agricultural Services:
 - 2.1.1. Coordinate with other municipal departments to develop and implement a brush control program; however, the Greenview vegetation management program shall have priority over brush control.
 - 2.1.2. To notify the public and beekeepers of the program through advertising.
- 2.2. Vegetation Management Program Staff:
 - 2.2.1. Take active measures to control undesirable vegetation including, but not limited to, woody species and tall broadleaf vegetation, which represents a sightline infringement and potential motorist safety hazard, or which may harbour crop diseases or pests, or which may serve as a wildlife attractant, or which may compromise municipal infrastructure along municipal road rights-of-way.

- 2.2.2. Utilize integrated pest management strategies to control undesirable vegetation; however, selected control methods shall be determined by physiological and biological characteristics of the plants, with due consideration for cost-effectiveness and efficiency of control, and may include the application of industrial class herbicides.
- 2.2.3. Undertake all activities, including herbicide applications, in compliance with the *Alberta Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* Code of Practice for Pesticide Applications, and conform to the guidelines of the *Industrial Vegetation Management Association of Alberta* Industry Standards and Good Practices.
- 2.3. Adjacent Landowners:
 - 2.3.1. May enter into an agreement with Greenview to exempt their properties from herbicide applications for noxious and prohibited noxious weed and/or brush and tall vegetation control.
 - 2.3.2. Upon completion and execution of appropriate documentation, herbicide may be applied up to and into the edge of private land which is adjacent to district road rights-of-way and district controlled lands; however this shall only be permitted if providing this service does not negatively impact the core vegetation management programs of Greenview.

3. General Provisions

- 3.1. This program shall include road rights-of-way and other district controlled lands.
- 3.2. Herbicide applications shall be withdrawn adjacent to land exempted under this procedure, or adjacent to open bodies of water as defined and restricted under the *Alberta Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act*.
- 3.3. Herbicide applications adjacent to sensitive areas including residences, dugout, beehives, borrow pits and shelterbelts shall be limited to single stem or handgun spot treatments unless sensitive areas are located at a distance equal to or greater than 100 meters from the road right-of-way, or are protected by natural brush to a distance equal to or greater than 50 meters.

End of Procedure

Approved: 14.02.100

Title: Spray Exemptions

Policy No: 6317

Effective Date: June 24, 2019

Motion Number: 19.06.504

Supersedes Policy No: AG 13

Review Date: June 24, 2022



Purpose: Greenview recognizes that there may be valid reasons for landowners and rural residents to request that herbicide applications not be performed on or adjacent to their property. As a service to landowners, the spray exemption program allows concerned landowners an opportunity to request that roadsides adjacent to their property be exempt from herbicide applications, while ensuring invasive species control along municipal road rights-of-way (ROW), as required by the Weed Control Act of Alberta (RSA 2008 W5.1) and the Weed Control Regulation (AR 19/2010) is maintained.

DEFINITIONS

Registered Land Owner means the Person or Persons to whom the land title is registered to.

Authorized Agent means the person or persons to whom the registered land owner has authorized to act on their behalf through a contractual agreement.

Noxious Weeds means a plant designated in accordance with the regulations as a noxious weed and includes the plant's seeds; Control to inhibit the growth or spread.

Prohibited Noxious Weeds means a plant designated in accordance with the regulations as a prohibited noxious weed and includes the plant's seeds; destroy to kill all growing parts or to render reproductive mechanisms non-viable.

POLICY

1. Annually, prior to the commencement of spray season, Greenview will advertise the municipality's intention to conduct invasive species (weeds) control activities on municipal properties and along municipal road right-of-way's (ROWs), using measures that may include: mechanical, cultural, or herbicide applications.
2. The registered landowner (or authorized agent) may, prior to the advertised application deadlines, request an exemption from herbicide applications to the road ROW that is adjacent to their property. Eligibility for an Exemption Agreement will be at the discretion of the Manager of Agriculture Services.
3. Consideration for an exemption will be provided to only those landowners who annually enter into a Spray Exemption Agreement whereby the landowner commits to adequately perform acceptable measures to control Noxious and Prohibited Noxious weeds, and/or brush on the entire roadside area for which the spray exemption is requested.

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4. Only the registered landowner of the property will qualify for a Spray Exemption Agreement and accept responsibility for maintenance of the roadside ROW adjacent to the property listed in the Agreement.
5. If, at any time it is determined by Agriculture Services personnel that roadsides under a Spray Exemption Agreement require remedial vegetation control measures due to the proliferation of Noxious Weeds, Prohibited Noxious Weeds, or Brush, the terms of the agreement will be deemed to have been breached and the agreement will become null and void for that calendar year. Greenview Agriculture Services will take immediate action to rectify the situation, which may include herbicide applications. In the event of a default of the Spray Exemption Agreement. No exemption will be granted for that property in the subsequent calendar year.

PROCEDURE

1. The registered landowner will enter into a separate Spray Exemption Agreement for each parcel of land for which a Spray Exemption is requested.
2. Eligible Agreement holders will be responsible for ensuring that signage, which will be supplied by Greenview is posted in accordance with the directions on the Spray Exemption Agreement and remains clearly visible from the roadway at all times (first pair of signs is free).
3. Replacement signs (for lost, damaged or destroyed signs) have a charge per signs as per the Schedule of Fees and Charges.

APPENDIX

List of Designated Prohibited Noxious and Noxious Weeds in Alberta (AR 19/2010)

List of Designated Prohibited Noxious Weeds in Alberta (AR 19/2010)

1 The following plants are designated as prohibited noxious weeds in Alberta:

autumn olive — *Elaeagnus umbellata* Thunb.
 balsam, Himalayan — *Impatiens glandulifera* Royle
 barberry, common — *Berberis vulgaris* L.
 bartsia, red — *Odontites vernus* (Bellardi) Dumort
 buckthorn, common — *Rhamnus cathartica* L.
 cinquefoil, sulphur — *Potentilla recta* L.
 crupina, common — *Crupina vulgaris* Pers. ex Cass.
 dyer's woad — *Isatis tinctoria* L.
 Eurasian water milfoil — *Myriophyllum spicatum* L.
 flowering rush — *Butomus umbellatus* L.
 garlic mustard — *Alliaria petiolata* (M. Bieb.) Cavara & Grande
 goatgrass, jointed — *Aegilops cylindrica* Host
 hawkweed, meadow — *Pilosella caespitosa* Dumort.
 hawkweed, mouse-ear — *Pilosella officinarum* L.
 hawkweed, orange — *Pilosella aurantiaca* L.
 hoary alyssum — *Berteroa incana* (L.) DC.
 hogweed, giant — *Heracleum mantegazzianum* Sommier & Levier
 iris, pale yellow — *Iris pseudacorus* L.
 knapweed, bighead — *Centaurea macrocephala* Puschk. ex Willd.
 knapweed, black — *Centaurea nigra* L.
 knapweed, brown — *Centaurea jacea* L.
 knapweed, diffuse — *Centaurea diffusa* Lam.
 knapweed, hybrid — *Centaurea × psammogena* Gáyer
 knapweed, meadow — *Centaurea × moncktonii* C. E. Britton
 knapweed, Russian — *Rhaponticum repens* (L.) Hidalgo
 knapweed, spotted — *Centaurea stoebe* L. ssp. *micranthos* (Gugler) Hayek
 knapweed, squarrose — *Centaurea virgata* Lam. ssp. *squarrosa* (Willd.) Gugler
 knapweed, Tyrol — *Centaurea nigrescens* Willd.
 knotweed, giant — *Fallopia sachalinensis* (F. Schmidt Petrop.)
 Ronse Decr.
 knotweed, hybrid Japanese — *Fallopia × bohémica* (Chrték & Chrtková) J. P. Bailey
 knotweed, Japanese — *Fallopia japonica* (Houtt.) Ronse Decr.
 loosestrife, purple — *Lythrum salicaria* L.
 medusahead — *Taeniatherum caput-medusae* (L.) Nevski
 nutsedge, yellow — *Cyperus esculentus* L.
 puncturevine — *Tribulus terrestris* L.
 ragwort, tansy — *Jacobaea vulgaris* Gaertn.
 rush skeletonweed — *Chondrilla juncea* L.
 saltcedar — *Tamarix ramosissima* Ledeb.
 saltlover — *Halogeton glomeratus* (M. Bieb.) C.A. Mey.
 St John's-wort, common — *Hypericum perforatum* L.
 starthistle, yellow — *Centaurea solstitialis* L.
 tamarisk, Chinese — *Tamarix chinensis* Lour.
 tamarisk, smallflower — *Tamarix parviflora* DC.
 thistle, marsh — *Cirsium palustre* (L.) Scop.
 thistle, nodding — *Carduus nutans* L.
 thistle, plumeless — *Carduus acanthoides* L.

Title: ROADSIDE VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

Policy No: 6302

Effective Date: Date passed in Council

Motion Number:

Supersedes Policy No: 6302 & 6317

Review Date: (3 Years from date approved by Council)



Purpose: Greenview believes that it is beneficial for the municipality to implement measures to prevent the establishment of and control the spread of invasive plant species and undesirable vegetation along municipal road rights-of-way and municipally controlled lands.

1. DEFINITIONS

- 1.1. **Control** means to inhibit the growth or spread of the plant
- 1.2. **Eradicate** means to kill all growing parts of the plant or to render reproductive mechanisms non-viable
- 1.3. **Legislated Weed** as defined by the *Weed Control Act* of Alberta (RSA 2008/W-5.1) and any species elevated in status in municipal by-law, as amended from time to time.
- 1.4. **Registered Landowner** means the Person or Persons to whom the land title is registered to.
- 1.5. **Authorized Agent** means the person or persons to whom the registered Landowner has authorized to act on their behalf through a contractual agreement.

2. POLICY STATEMENT

- 2.1. Greenview shall implement measures to prevent the establishment and control the spread of invasive plant species and undesirable vegetation along municipal road rights-of-way and municipally controlled land to protect agricultural production, the environment and the local aesthetic.

4. APPLICATION

- 4.1 Greenview recognizes that some Registered landowners or Authorized Agents may desire an exemption from the roadside herbicide applications and will allow exemptions from the program when the Landowner has agreed to the following conditions:

- A. Those signing the participation contract are Registered landowners or Authorized Agents, and the contract is signed before May 1 of the calendar year. Agreements signed after this time will be honoured in the subsequent year.
- B. Participants enroll continuously and abide by agreement terms and conditions, including control of legislated weed species by July 15, annually.
- C. Understand Greenview will inspect to ensure control by July 15 annually.
- D. Understand that if vegetation and legislated weed species are not controlled by July 15, Greenview reserves the right to control the vegetation and legislated weed species.

5. COUNCIL RESPONSIBILITIES

- 5.1. Annually, Council will set a program budget to ensure program continuity.

6. ADMINISTRATION RESPONSIBILITIES

- 6.1 Greenview shall ensure that the relevant legislation pertaining to herbicide applications and weed control are followed; *Weed Control Act of Alberta, Alberta Environment Protection and Enhancement Act* and any successor legislation.
- 6.2 Greenview will establish a vegetation management rotation and prioritize the biological growth of the target plant to maximize the control of legislated weeds and undesirable vegetation in Greenview road allowances.
- 6.3 Greenview's roadside vegetation management program will strive to undertake such actions as required and as often as resources allow, to eradicate legislated weeds within municipal road rights-of-way and municipal controlled lands.
- 6.4 Annually, Greenview will advertise the municipality's intention, location and approximate timeline to conduct vegetation management and weed control activities on municipal properties and right-of-ways. These measures may include but are not limited to mechanical, cultural or chemical control.
- 6.5 Measures used to control and eradicate weeds under this policy shall minimize the potential for negative impacts on the natural environment and cost-effective.
- 6.6 Greenview shall train, employ, and appoint sufficient staff to conduct control measures.



REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT:	Landscape Material Storage Capital Project		
SUBMISSION TO:	AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD	REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION	
MEETING DATE:	February 10, 2022	CAO:	MANAGER: SK
DEPARTMENT:	AGRICULTURE	GM:	PRESENTER: SK
STRATEGIC PLAN:	Level of Service		

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board authorize Administration to defer the Landscape Material Storage Capital Project until the 2023 calendar year.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

Administration was recently made aware of an operational building planned for the Hamlet of Grande Cache with an anticipated construction commencement of 2023. Until the planning of the facility is complete, the construction of Landscape Material Storage should not move forward. The material storage is meant to be permanent and should be reconsidered or incorporated into the proposed facility.

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board authorizing Administration to defer the BT22002 – Landscape Material Storage until 2023 is that Administration can evaluate a more suitable alternative for the storage due to the unforeseen planned operational building project.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The disadvantage of the recommended action is that the Beatification crew will be without permanent material storage for another two seasons.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Direct Cost: A deferral of capital project construction costs currently budgeted at \$24,000.

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS: -

If the recommended action is authorized, Administration will defer the capital project until the 2023 calendar year.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- N/A



REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT:	Weed Incentive Program - Revisions		
SUBMISSION TO:	AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD	REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION	
MEETING DATE:	February 10, 2022	CAO:	MANAGER: SK
DEPARTMENT:	AGRICULTURE	GM:	PRESENTER: SK
STRATEGIC PLAN:	Level of Service		

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board accept the revisions to the Weed Incentive Program as presented.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

Administration has reviewed the current Weed Incentive Program and recommends the following changes for clarity and intention of the program:

- The rebate incentive payment will be up to a maximum of \$2,400.00 per landholder per year, allowing an entire quarter section worth of control to be eligible for the \$15 per acre rebate for chemical control.
- Recommend chemical control for Tall Buttercup must be completed by June 30, as this is the best time to control tall buttercup through herbicide application.
- The participant is to inform Greenview Agricultural Services Department once the work has been completed to facilitate post-control inspection more efficiently. **Post inspections are required.**
- All completed forms are to be submitted to the Greenview Agricultural Services Department by September 15, including a copy of purchase receipts
- Rebate will be calculated on acres that can be covered according to the chemicals purchased, as determination of acres sprayed by seasonal staff leads to conflict and is limited by the staff members' spatial abilities.

These proposed administrative changes will allow for increased clarity of communication between Administration and the program participants. The increased allowable may attract more participants in the program. Administration is confident that with the increased allowable to 160 acre from 100 acre, the program will stay within the \$15,000 budgetary limit.

The actual program expenditures since the inception areas follows:

	2018	2019	2020	2021
WIP Actuals	\$1,500.00	\$300.00	\$1,680.00	\$1,503.60

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board approving the recommended changes to the Weed Incentive Program is that the information will be more clear to the participants and the added funds may attract more participation.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The recommended action would tie the rebate of acreage sprayed to chemical purchased, which some producers may require some explanation.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Direct Cost: The program is expected to remain within the \$15,000 budgetary limit.

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

INCREASING LEVEL OF PUBLIC IMPACT

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS: N/A

ATTACHMENT(S):

- Buttercup-Burdock Incentive 2021 Form - Current
- Buttercup-Burdock Incentive 2022 Form – DRAFT



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW No. 16

BUTTERCUP/BURDOCK CONTROL INCENTIVE

Applicant Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Contract for Participation:

1. Land holders are eligible for rebate (\$/acre) for controlling or destroying Tall Buttercup (*Ranunculus acris*) and/or Burdock (*Arcticum lappa/minus/tomentosum*) on their permanent cover land,
2. The Buttercup/Burdock Control Incentive Program is for pastures, hay lands, grazing leases and grazing reserves,
3. Industrial, commercial and residential lands are not eligible for the rebate,
4. The rebate is \$15.00/acre sprayed,
5. Land holder eligibility is based upon the application of residual herbicide (Restore II, Reclaim, or other registered residual herbicides as approved by the Agricultural Fieldman) according to the manufacturers label and manufacturers recommendations,
6. The rebate payment will be calculated using numbers of acres sprayed with approved herbicide (confirmed by a copy of the purchase invoice) by the land holder, multiplied by the \$/acre rebate number. Weed Inspectors will confirm that the herbicide was applied and the desired level of weed destruction or control was achieved,
7. The rebate incentive is to a maximum of \$1,500.00 per land holder per year,
8. Eligibility for the Buttercup/Burdock Incentive Program after receiving a weed letter will be as defined by which letter was received;
 - a. Alert – Any land holder that receives a ‘Weed Alert’ letter for Tall Buttercup and/or Burdock will be eligible for rebate,
 - b. Warning – Any land holder that receives a ‘Weed Warning’ letter for Tall Buttercup and/or Burdock will be eligible for the rebate if control work has been completed before the deadline as set forth within the letter,

c. Notice – Any land holder that receives an ‘Inspector’s Notice’ for Tall Buttercup and/or Burdock will not be eligible for the rebate, even though the control will still have to be completed.

9. The following is an approved list of registered residual herbicides;

Herbicide	Weeds Controlled
Navius	Tall Buttercup
Restore II	Tall Buttercup and Burdock
Reclaim	Tall Buttercup and Burdock
Grazon	Tall Buttercup and Burdock

10. The Greenview rental sprayers will be available to the participants of the Buttercup/Burdock Control Incentive Program at no charge for the purpose of this program.

I understand that the herbicides listed within the terms may selectively target broadleaf plants other than Tall Buttercup and/or Burdock and may have a residual effect for a period of time.

I hereby declare that I understand the effects and I agree to save harmless and indemnify the Municipal District of Greenview No. 16, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application and/or control work.

LSD of proposed property/properties for application:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

By signing this contract, I agree that I have read and understand the terms of the Buttercup/Burdock Control Incentive Program and agree to participate in accordance with these terms. I understand that Greenview has the right to refuse the rebate if control work is believed to have not been completed.

Landowner Signature

Greenview Representative Signature

Landowner Name (printed)

Date



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3. Industrial, commercial, hamlets, and summer villages are not eligible for the rebate,
4. The rebate is \$15.00/acre sprayed,
5. Landholder eligibility is based upon the application of residual herbicide (as outlined below) according to the manufacturers' label and manufacturers' recommendations,
6. The rebate payment will be calculated on the approved herbicide purchased and acres covered according to the manufacturers' recommendations. Department staff will confirm that the herbicide was applied and the desired level of control was achieved,
7. The rebate incentive is to a maximum of \$2,400.00 per landholder per year,
8. Recommend chemical control for Tall Buttercup must be completed by June 30. Participant is to inform Greenview Agricultural Services Department once the work has been completed to facilitate a post-control inspection. **POST INSPECTIONS ARE REQUIRED.**
9. All forms must be filled out and submitted to the Greenview Agricultural Services Department by September 15, and must include a copy of purchase receipts,
10. The following is an approved list of registered residual herbicides;

Herbicide

TruRange
Restore II
Reclaim
Grazon

Weeds Controlled

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Tall Buttercup and Burdock
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Legal Land Descriptions of proposed property/properties for application:

1.

2.

3.

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Date



REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: **14' Heavy Disc Purchase**

SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE

STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION

CAO: _____

GM: _____

MANAGER: SK

PRESENTER: SK

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council approve the purchase of a Wishek 14' Heavy Disc from Flaman, Edmonton, Alberta in the amount of \$59,750.00 with \$45,000.00 to come from Agriculture Capital and \$14,750.00 additional funds to be added to the Budget.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

The Agriculture Department has \$45,000.00 in the Interim 2022 Capital Budget allocated for a 14' Heavy Disc AG22003. The Interim Capital Budget will be reviewed for final approval in April 2022.

Administration received quotes with distinct differences, two models feature spring cushion gangs, allowing some give if the implement hits a large rock, two models do not feature spring cushion gangs and may be prone to damaged bearings more frequently as a result. The quotes meeting the requested specifications are significantly higher in cost than the capital budgeted amount with one being 20% over budget- and not available until September. The other model meeting specification is 33% over budget and is available in April. A potential reason for the higher quote submissions is that the cost of metal has increased substantially. The following are the quotes received:

	AGRITERRA- VERSITILE	DAVE ROSS- KELLO-BILT	FLAMAN- WISHEK	MARTIN DEERLINE- NO QUOTE
Price	\$39,712.00	\$54,000.00	\$59,750.00	\$39,597.13
Specifications	No spring cushion gangs	Yes	Yes	No spring cushion gangs
Operational Suitability	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dealer/Vendor Relationship	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Delivery	Mid to end March 2022	September 2022	April 1, 2022	90 Days
Warranty	1 yr	1 yr	1 yr	1 yr
Parts Availability				
		20% over budget	33% over budget	
Total Score	%	%		

Administration recommends the purchase of the Flaman Wishek 14' heavy disc due to its proposed delivery date (April) and meeting the requested specifications. This purchase will ensure that the equipment is available in the spring to support the renter's field requirements.

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board recommending Council approve the purchase of the 14' Heavy Disc is that the implement will meet the required specifications and may be delivered before the field season begins.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The disadvantage of the recommended action is that the cost is higher than the budgeted capital amount.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Direct Cost: **\$59,750.00 (\$45,000.00 from AG22003 Capital and \$14,750.00 additional funds to be added to the Agriculture Department Capital Budget.)**

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS:

Administration will submit the request to Council for the additional funds, pending the Board's approval.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- RFQ 14' Heavy Disc – Agriterra
- RFQ 14' Heavy Disc – Dave Ross Equipment
- RFQ 14' Heavy Disc – Flaman
- RFQ 14" Heavy Disc – Martin Deerline



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable: \$ 39,712.00 each.

Delivery Date: Mid-End Mar 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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Attention Sheila Kaus,

Manager, Agricultural Services

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Sincerely, Sheila Kaus

Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable

Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
Working width 14' 6"		14' Cut Width
Transport width 15' 3"		15' Transport Width
No. of blades, 16F, 17R		33 Total Blades (16F & 17R)
150 HP minimum		125 + Drawbar Horsepower Required
Gangs 28" x 5/16" plain blades with 11" blade spacing		28" x 5/16" Smooth Blds with 10.1/2" Spacing
Gang angle adjustment	YES	
Spring cushion gangs	NO	Our gangs shafts, bearings and gangbar are heaviest in industry.
Hydraulic cylinders with hoses to tractor	YES	
Hitch type	YES	Pull type hitch
Hitch jack	YES	
Adjustable leveling system	YES	
Safety chain	YES	
Transport warning light package	YES	
Specify the extra costs for other options available:		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit		NEW
Specify Warranty		1 Year Warranty
Delivery <i>Date</i>		MID TO END OF MARCH 2022



MODEL 275 SPECIFICATIONS

MODEL NUMBER		
275-3326B		
CUT WIDTH	14'	
TRANSPORT WIDTH	15'	
WEIGHT (lbs)	9,310	
LBS / BLADE	300	
DRAWBAR HORSEPOWER	160 +	
FRAME MATERIAL		6" x 6" x 3/8" HIGH STRENGTH STEEL TUBING
BEARINGS		OIL-BATH BEARING
GANG SHAFT		2-1/8" HIGH STRENGTH STEEL, THREADED AT BOTH ENDS
SPACING		10-1/2" STEEL SPOOLS
DISC BLADES		5/16" x 26" NOTCHED BLADES FRONT AND REAR
HUBS / TIRES		11L x 15" (4) HIGHWAY TIRES ON 8 BOLT HUB ASSEMBLIES
HYDRAULICS		5" x 16" HYDRAULIC CYLINDER WITH HOSES

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT

LIGHT KIT

28" DISC BLADES

SMOOTH DISC BLADES

SAWTOOTH DISC BLADES





TO: Agricultural Equipment Dealerships

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Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable

DAVE ROSS EQUIP. LTD

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jay@rossequip.ca

Jay Spurgeon
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1-800-661-7401
Cell 780-978-0188



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Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
Working width 14' 6"	YES	15' (4.5m)
Transport width 15' 3"	YES	LESS THAN 15'3"
No. of blades, 16F, 17R	YES	FRONT = 16 ; REAR = 17
150 HP minimum	NO	112 - 140 HP
Gangs 28" x 5/16" plain blades with 11" blade spacing	YES	28" x 3/8" PLAIN w/10 1/2" SPACING.
Gang angle adjustment	YES	3 POSITIONS FRT + REAR
Spring cushion gangs	YES	INCLUDED
Hydraulic cylinders with hoses to tractor	YES	HYDRAULIC LEVELING SYSTEM HYDRAULIC DEPTH CONTROL
Hitch type	YES	AUTOMATIC SELF-LEVELING, SPRING LOADED, ADJUSTABLE
Hitch jack	YES	INCLUDED
Adjustable leveling system	YES	SEE: HYDRAULIC CYLINDERS + HITCH TYPE
Safety chain	YES	INCLUDED
Transport warning light package	YES	INC. LAMPS, MOUNT BRACKETS 7 PIN CONNECTOR
Specify the extra costs for other options available:		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit		NEW - 2022 VERSATILE SD 650 OFF-SET DISC
Specify Warranty	YES	DETAILS INCLUDED
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	YES	INCLUDED



**QUOTATION SUBMISSION:
UNIT PRICE***

Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable: \$54,000 ^{xx} each.

Delivery Date: SEPTEMBER 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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		AB Continuous Grain Driers	

Model SD650 Offset Disc - 10-1/2" Spacing



2021 Model Year

T2-215 series bearings, 10-1/2" (267 mm) spacing (F & R), 650 lb (295 kg) /ft, 320 lb / average blade

Standard Equipment

Frame » 8" x 4" x 3/8" (203 x 102 x 9.4 mm) Tubular welded	c/w depth control segments Blades » 26" x 5/16" (660 x 8 mm) notched, front » 26" x 5/16" (660 x 8 mm) notched, rear	Safety Light Kit » Includes lamps, mount brackets, wiring w/7 pin plug
Hitch » Automatic self-levelling, spring loaded, adjustable to level disc	Spacer Spools » Steel fabricated	Adjustable Gang Angle » 3 Positions Front and Rear
Bearing Hangers » Stone-Flex Hangers 1-1/4" x 2-1/2" (32 x 64 mm)	Tires » (4) 11L x 15 FI LR (D) 10' - 20' (3.0 - 6.0 m) widths	Furrow Blades
Bearings » T2-215 Series - greasable	Scrapers » Wide Pan Scraper with Heavy Duty Holder	Hitch Jack
Hydraulics » (1) 4" x 12" (102 x 305 mm) cylinder	Gang Shaft » 1-15/16" (49 mm) diameter	Gang Socket
		Safety Chain
		Clevis Hitch

Disc Package

Order Code	Number of Blades Front	Number of Blades Rear	# of Bearings	Approx. Width	Approx. DBHP**	Weight
SD650M-2710-15	13	14	8	12' (3.6 m)	96 - 120	8,030 lb (3,642 kg)
SD650M-3110-15	15	16	10	14' (4.3 m)	112 - 140	8,641 lb (3,920 kg)
SD650M-3310-15	16	17	10	15' (4.5 m)	120 - 150	8,769 lb (3,978 kg)
SD650W-3710-15	18	19	12	16' (4.8 m)	128 - 160	9,624 lb (4,365 kg)
SD650W-4110-15	20	21	12	18' (5.5 m)	144 - 180	10,144 lb (4,601 kg)
SD650W-4510-15	22	23	13	20' (6.0 m)	160 - 200	10,725 lb (4,865 kg)

** Actual horsepower requirements may vary depending on blade size, soil condition, etc.

Factory Installed Options

Factory Code	Description	Weight
GW10	Wrench Set for - Gang Angle adjustment, add per set.....	16 lb (7.3 kg) ..
BG215	Wear Plate - for 215 Bearing Housing, add per bearing	9 lb (6.8 kg)
DL10	Interlocking Half Spools c/w Drive Lugs & Steel Sleeve, add per bearing	14 lb (6.4 kg) ..
TG00	Bearing Trash Guard - in lieu of Standard Wide Pan Scraper	9 lb (4 kg)
268N268P	26" x 5/16" (660 x 8 mm) Plain, add blade	3 lb (1.4 kg)
268N269N	26" x 3/8" (660 x 9 mm) Notched, add per blade	7 lb (3.2 kg)
268N269P	26" x 3/8" (660 x 9 mm) Plain, add per blade	5 lb (2.3 kg)
268N289N*	28" x 3/8" (711 x 9 mm) Notched, add per blade	17 lb (7.7 kg) ..
268N289P*	28" x 3/8" (711 x 9 mm) Plain, add per blade.....	20 lb (9.1 kg) ..
850	Hydraulic Leveling System
852	Hydraulic Depth Control

*Interlocking half spools must be ordered when upgrading to 28" blades

Factory setup options: choose ONE option and enter code on wholegoods order form.		
EZS-0	0% Factory setup (to ship by truck freight)
EZSE-80	80% Factory setup (to ship by truck freight)
EZSE-100	100% Factory setup (tow away only)
EZDC-100	Installation charge for Hydraulic Depth control

WARRANTY & LIMITATION OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT COVERAGE PROVIDED

Buhler Versatile Inc., hereinafter called "The Company" warrants to the retail purchaser of each new product (as listed below) that the selling dealer or authorized Versatile dealer will repair or replace any part thereof found to be defective in materials or workmanship within the following periods. This warranty is for the benefit of the original or subsequent purchaser.

BASIC WARRANTY

PRODUCT	Warranty Period (whichever comes first)
Tractors	
Agricultural Use Tractors (S/Ns beginning at 308701, 510401, 550824 or 707501 onward)	36 Months or 3000 Hours Comprehensive North America Only (24 Months or 2000 Hours basic)
Agricultural Use Tractors (S/Ns up to and including 308614, 510325 or 707454)	36 month or 3000 hours Powertrain* North America Only (24 Months or 2000 Hours basic)
Loaders	24 Months or 2000 Hours Parts and Labor
Replacement Parts	180 days or to end of Basic Warranty
DeltaTrack Specific:	
Track and suspension (Agricultural)	48 Months or 2500 Hours Prorated on Schedule**
Elastomeric coatings (Agricultural)	36 Months or 3000 Hours
Track and suspension - Scraper and Commercial Applications (Non-Agricultural use)	24 Months or 1250 Hours Prorated on Schedule**
Elastomeric coatings - Scraper and Commercial Applications (Non-Agricultural use)	36 Months or 3000 Hours Prorated on Schedule**
Commercial Use Tractors - Scraper and Commercial Applications (Non-Agricultural use)	24 Months or 2000 Hours basic
Self-Propelled Sprayer	
SX240 SX280 Self-Propelled Sprayer	36 Months or 3000 Hours
Boom	36 Months or 3000 Hours
Tillage	
Cultivator/Chisel Plow	12 Months (13 - 24) Parts only 100%
Viking Vertical Tillage, Versatile Offset/Tandem Disc, Fury High-Speed Compact Disc - Basic	12 Months (1 - 12) Parts and Labor 12 Months (13 - 24) Parts only 100%
Fury High-Speed Compact Disc - Basic (2017-2019 models)	36 Months Parts and Labor
7 Year Limited Bearing Warranty	72 Months (13 - 84) T2-215 Bearing and Seal only
Precision Seeding	
Air Cart/Air Drill	12 Months Parts and Labor
Combine	
Combine RT490 RT520	24 Months or 2000 Hours Basic 36 Months or 3000 Hours Basic (Lease only)
All Powered Equipment	
Replacement Parts	180 Days or to end of Basic Warranty
Engine Emissions Control System	Standard Warranty 60 month or 3000 hours whichever occurs first

*Powertrain warranty covers engine (Tier 4 engine includes Cummins Particulate Filter after treatment and Direct Flow™ air cleaner housing), transmission, differentials, axles and final drives. See Warranty Policy Manual for specific coverage details.

**See dealer for additional details regarding prorated schedule.

LIMITATIONS, INCLUDING DISCLAIMER OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES AND CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights depending on state or provincial laws.

The Company does not authorize any person or dealer to create for it any other obligation or liability in connection with these products. TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, APPLICABLE TO THIS PRODUCT IS LIMITED TO THE STATED DURATION OF THIS WRITTEN WARRANTY. NEITHER THE COMPANY NOR THE SELLING DEALER SHALL BE LIABLE FOR LOSS OF THE USE OF THE PRODUCT, LOSS OF TIME, INCONVENIENCE, COMMERCIAL LOSS OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. See Warranty Policy Manual for specific coverage details.

Some local government laws do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty will last or the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you.

The remedy of repair or replacement of a defective part during the warranty period herein specified shall be the purchaser's exclusive remedy.

This warranty does not cover delivery charges but may provide limited coverage of travel during the warranty period (see dealer for details).

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Rollover protective structure (ROPS) and seat belts are provided as standard equipment on all Versatile agricultural tractors and we strongly recommend their use. Customers who elect to remove or not use this protection do so at their own risk.



TO: Agricultural Equipment Dealerships

RE: Quotation Request – Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft

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Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
Working width 14' 6"	Yes	
Transport width 15' 3"	Yes	
No. of blades, 16F, 17R	Yes	
150 HP minimum	Yes	
Gangs 28" x 5/16" plain blades with 11" blade spacing	Update	We currently bring in all Wishek disks with 30" X 5/16" blades & 11" spacing
Gang angle adjustment	Yes	
Spring cushion gangs	Yes	
Hydraulic cylinders with hoses to tractor	Yes	
Hitch type	See to Right	Single Tongue w/double tongue attachment
Hitch jack	Yes	
Adjustable leveling system	Yes	
Safety chain	Yes	
Transport warning light package	Yes	
Specify the extra costs for other options available:	n/a	
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit	NEW 2021 Wishek 842N	
Specify Warranty	1 Year	Defects in Materials & Workmanship
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	Yes	



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable: \$59,750 each.

Delivery Date: April 1, 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

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Hydraulic cylinders with hoses to tractor	Yes	
Hitch type	Yes	Clevis
Hitch jack	Yes	
Adjustable leveling system	Yes	
Safety chain	Yes	
Transport warning light package	Yes	
Specify the extra costs for other options available:		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit	Yes	2022 Frontier DH5114 New
Specify Warranty	Yes	1 Year
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	Yes	



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Heavy Offset Disc 14 ft or comparable: \$39,597.13 each.

Delivery Date: Dependent on order date.

*Do not include GST

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Specifications:	
Manufacturer	Frontier
PCI Model	DH51 XF
Model	DH5114
Locale Code	en_NA
SBU	at
Key Specs	
Approximate working width	4.3 m 14 ft
Transport - Width	4.6 m 15 ft
Recommended drawbar hp range	104.4-119.3 kW 140-160 hp
Frame	
Type	Single Offset Rigid
Duty	General Purpose
Disk blades	
Spacing	26.7 cm 10.5 in.
Quantity	33
Notched (front) Notched (rear)	Standard
Transport	
Width	4.6 m 15 ft
Ground clearance with base blades	20.3 cm 8 in.
Wheel hub bearings	Dual Tapered Roller Bearings
Working	
Approximate working width	4.3 m 14 ft
Maximum penetration	22.9 cm 9 in.
Weight	
Net	3,492.7 kg 7,700 lb
Weight per disk blade	112.5 kg 248 lb
Tractor requirements	
Recommended PTO hp range	123-140 kW 165-188 hp
Recommended drawbar hp range	104.4-119.3 kW 140-160 hp
Frame	
Type	Single Offset Rigid
Duty	General Purpose
Tube size	12.7x12.7x0.95 cm 5x5x0.375 in.
Hitch	
Front hitch type	Spade
Disk blades	
Spacing	26.7 cm 10.5 in.
Quantity	33
Type	
Notched (front) Notched (rear)	Standard
Smooth (front) Smooth (rear)	Optional
Notched (front) Smooth (rear)	Optional
Blade concavity	Standard high, Optional low
Available blade sizes	
Blade option one	660x7.9 mm 26x0.312 in.
Blade option two	711x7.9 mm 28x0.312 in.

Disk gangs	
Front angle	2 Positions
Rear angle	2 Positions
Axle size	4.1 cm 1.625 in. or 5.4 cm 2.125 in.
Axle material	Round heat treated alloy steel threaded on both ends
Bearing type	Oil Bath Tapered Roller
Bearing wear plates	Standard
Bearing standards	Welded, Reinforced
Scrapers	Adjustable
Lighting and safety	
Markings	SMV
Safety tow chain	Yes
Lights	Yes
Tires	
Type	Implement - Quantity of 4
Size	9.5L x 15-in. 8 ply
Wheel hub type	6 Bolt
Set-up time	
Labor hours	2-3 for two people
Warranty	
Time period	1 year



REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: **Grain Vac Purchase**

SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022 CAO: MANAGER: SK

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE GM: PRESENTER: SK

STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council approve the purchase of an AGI VRX Grain Vac from Flaman, Edmonton, Alberta in the amount of \$36,500.00, with \$35,000.00 from the Agricultural Capital Budget and \$1,500.00 additional funds to be added to the Budget.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

The Agriculture Department has \$35,000.00 in the Interim 2022 Capital Budget allocated for a Grain Vac AG22011. The Interim Capital Budget will be reviewed for final approval in April 2022.

Administration requested quotes from Rural Municipalities of Alberta approved vendors as well as Flaman for a grain vac and ran the three quotes received through the quote matrix. Flaman AGI VRX GrainVac had the best value for purchase cost while meeting the specifications requested. The purchase cost of this unit is \$36,500 which is 4% higher than the budgeted \$35,000 for this purchase. Delivery would be by March 1, 2022.

	AGRITERRA- AGI VRX	DAVE ROSS- AGRIVAC	FLAMAN- AGI VRX	MARTIN DEERLINE- BRANDT
Price	\$38,788.00	\$42,000	\$36,500	\$45,500
Specifications	Yes	No- 1900- 2500 bu/hr	Yes	Yes
Operational Suitability	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dealer/Vendor Relationship	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Delivery	March 2022	22 weeks	March 1, 2022	90 days
Warranty	1 yr	1 yr	Year 1: Parts & Repair Labor Year 2: Parts Only	90 days
Parts Availability				
Other				
Total Score	%	%		

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board recommending Council approve the purchase of the Grain Vac is that the implement may be delivered before the field season begins.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The disadvantage to the recommended motion is a \$1,500 increase to the Agricultural Services Capital Budget.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Direct Cost: **\$36,500.00 (\$35,000 from AG22011, and \$1,500 additional funds to be added to the Agricultural Services Capital Budget.)**

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

INCREASING LEVEL OF PUBLIC IMPACT

Inform

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION GOAL

Inform - To provide the public with balanced and objective information to assist them in understanding the problem, alternatives, opportunities and/or solutions.

PROMISE TO THE PUBLIC

Inform - We will keep you informed.

FOLLOW UP ACTIONS:

Administration will submit the request to Council for the additional funds, pending the Board's approval.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- RFQ Grain Vac – Agriterra
- RFQ Grain Vac – Dave Ross Equipment
- RFQ Grain Vac – Flaman
- RFQ Grain Vac – Martin Deerline



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Grain Vac or comparable: \$ 38,788.00 each

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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Grain Vac or comparable

Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
Weight 2,950 lbs	Yes	
Standard hose package	Yes	
Transport width 8'	Yes	
Length 9' 10"	Yes	
HP requirements 85	Yes	Minimum
Capacity – one hose/full bin 5,000-6,000 bu/hr	Yes	
Air system 1 fan	Yes	
Auger discharge height 14'	Yes	
Auger diameter 10"	Yes	
Hitch Type	Yes	Clevis e pin
Specify the extra costs for other options available:		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit	New	2021 - In stock
Specify Warranty	Yes	1- Year
Estimated time of delivery, from order date.	March	2022
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	Yes	

VRX & VR12

GRAINVAC



AGI GrainVacs

VRX & VR12

All aspects of AGI GrainVacs are examined, questioned and extreme tested individually and as part of the whole system, not just in controlled environments, but in the field as well. By utilizing VR Technology, AGI is able to get more capacity and longevity while reducing noise, debris and maintenance time. AGI GrainVacs set all new standards in efficiency, speed and durability.

Signature Body

Specifically designed to minimize impact and maximize the auger feed - the drive shaft is mounted on the outside where you can get at it. Our GrainVacs feature leak-proof cleanout doors with the ability to fully open without tools. It's all about speed and efficiency.

Chrome Augers

AGI GrainVacs use ¼"-thick, spring-loaded chrome flighting, allowing it to "float" on the bearings. This ensures correct line-up every time you fold the augers up and down.

The Air System

Our air system is designed for speed, efficiency and longevity. At a sound volume quieter than the tractor, three critical components work together producing high-pressure suction to pull grain into the machine: the fan, the air throttle and the air lock.

The Fan

Lasts 25% longer than previous models. This means approximately 80 more hours of working time for the average user (based on extensive testing).

The Air Throttle

Automatically manages suction according to how much grain is flowing into the system. This allows the user to adjust the amount of grain going through. Suction can be manually adjusted to suit the situation.

The Air Lock

Spring-loaded, two flap air lock designed to be pushed as far as needed for the grain to exit the GrainVac fast.



GRAINVAC VRX & VR12 SPECIFICATIONS

	VRX PTO DRIVE	VR12 PTO DRIVE
CAPACITY	up to 6,000 BPH	up to 10,000 BPH
WEIGHT	2950 lbs (1338 kg)	3300 lbs (1497 kg)
HITCH WEIGHT	432 lbs (196 kg)	600 lbs (272 kg)
AUGER DISCHARGE HEIGHT	14' (4.3m)	14' (4.3 m)
HYDRAULIC REQUIREMENTS	2100 PSI @ 2 GPM	2100 PSI @ 2 GPM
TRACTOR HP REQUIREMENT	85 HP	130 HP
TRANSPORT WIDTH	8' (2.44 m)	8' 2" (2.5 m)
TRANSPORT HEIGHT (WITHOUT EXHAUST)	8' 2" (2.48 m)	9' 6" (2.9 m)
TRANSPORT LENGTH	9' 10" (3 m)	11' (3.4 m)



VRX

The VRX sets the standard in grain vac technology and has capacity up to 6,000 BPH. The VRX sports 45-feet of 7-inch diameter hose. Combined with the telescoping inlet and the standing floor sweep, the VRX cleans up grain within a 49-foot radius from the base of the machine.

The Standard Hose Package Includes:

- One Bin Load-out Nozzle, 3' long
- One Standing Floor Sweep with Handles, 4' long
- One Clean-up Nozzle with Wheels
- Two Flexible Stainless Steel Hose, 7' long each
- One Flexible Stainless Steel Hose, 3' long
- Two Aluminum Pipes, 7 ½' long each
- One Aluminum Pipe, 5' long
- One Basketweave Hose, 7 ½' long



VR12

The VR12 reaches up to 10,000 BPH with only 130 HP and ensures that your toughest jobs are taken care of fast. The VR12 has 48-feet of 8-inch diameter hose. Combined with the telescoping inlet and the standing floor sweep, the VR12 cleans up grain within a 52-foot radius from the base of the machine.

The Standard Hose Package Includes:

- 10" Diameter Telescoping Inlet, 5' long
- One Bin Load-Out Nozzle, 3' long
- One Standing Floor Sweep with Handles, 4' long
- One Clean-up Nozzle with Wheels
- One Stainless Steel Flex Hose, 3' long
- Four Flexible Stainless Steel Hose, 4' long each
- Two Aluminum Pipes, 7 ½' long each
- One Aluminum Pipe, 5' long
- One Basketweave Hose, 7 ½' long
- Three Hose Caddys

Dust Collector

Don't let a little dust get in the way of moving grain when and wherever you need. Our Dust Collectors are easy to attach and give you flexibility to collect or direct the debris. The AGI Dust Collector keeps dust where it should be – away from you!

DUST COLLECTOR FOR VRX	PART #	45-113094
DUST COLLECTOR INSTALLED ONTO VRX FROM FACTORY	PART #	45-113199
DUST COLLECTOR FOR VR12	PART #	45-113266
DUST COLLECTOR INSTALLED ONTO VR12 FROM FACTORY	PART #	45-113267







QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Grain Vac or comparable: \$42,000 ^{ms} each

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

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reps) | About (pneumatics-about) | Parts Order (parts-order-form)

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5614 DLX



Walinga's most portable PTO vac unit, the 5614 DLX (Deluxe) Agri-Vac unit transfers bulk at speeds of between **1900-2500 Bu/Hour**. The feature packed 5614 DLX Agri-Vac unit includes a fully Rhino lined receiver tank and boom cyclone. DLX units also ship with a self contained hydraulic system which includes the addition of a hydraulically powered gear drive for boom rotation.

Specs

Height	92 in (234 cm)
Width	92 in (234 cm)
Length	103 in (261 cm)
Weight	2552 lbs (1160 kg)
Discharge Height	13 ft 8 in minimum (4.49 m)
HP Required	70-85 HP
PTO Speed	1000 RPM
	5 in (125 mm)
	Two standard farm implement



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Wheels	15 in (38 cm), 5 stud
Blower	#614 Walinga SRT (Sound Reduction Type), Super Hardened, Positive Displacement Blower
Airlock	#1314 Cast iron shell, precision machined housing, 10 vane rotor, Hardox steel tips, hydraulically driven, reversible rotation
Drive	Tongue mounted drive shaft with V-type 5 groove sheaves & belts
Hydraulics	Self Contained
Receiver	24 in diameter (61 cm) two piece, dual inlets
Precleaner	20" dia. (51 cm)
Safety	Vacuum/Pressure relief valves

Capacities

Barley	2500 Bu / Hour 64 Tonnes Per Hour
Corn	2500 Bu / Hour 64 Tonnes Per Hour
Wheat	2200 Bu / Hour 58 Tonnes Per Hour
Beans	1900 Bu / Hour 51 Tonnes Per Hour

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Due to continuous product development, specifications are subject to change without notice. Some items shown may be optional.

*Capacities based on using 12 ft. (3.65 m) suction line and truck loading kit. Capacity will vary with condition of product.

Walinga Pneumatic Conveying Systems

Walinga products are ripe with innovative solutions. When you engage with Walinga, your relationship extends beyond the simple purchase of a Walinga product. Walinga not only listens to their customers, they engage in conversation. The only system you'll ever need. Gives one person total grain-handling capability! Do it all with the Walinga Agri-Vac. Fill or empty any storage facility being used.

PRODUCTS

- ▶ Diesel Vacs (diesel-vacs)
- ▶ PTO Grain Vacs (pto-grain-vacs)
- ▶ Grain Cleaners (grain-cleaners)
- ▶ Ultra-Veyors (AG) (ultra-veyor-(ag-duty))
- ▶ Central Vac Systems (central-vacs)
- ▶ Chem-veyor (chem-veyors)
- ▶ Ship Unloader ()
- ▶ Grain Bag Unloader (grain-bag-unloader)
- ▶ Used Equipment (pneumatics-used-equipment)



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Walinga Inc. - Warranty Terms

Pneumatic Conveying System

Walinga Inc. is committed to providing a quality product that will meet or exceed your expectations for many years to come. Our warranty terms and our warranty claim process has been designed to ensure that each warranty claim will be resolved in an orderly, fair and timely manner.

The Warranty

Walinga Inc. ("Walinga") warrants that all new pneumatic products sold by Walinga Inc. will be free from defects in material and workmanship (the "Walinga Warranty").

Warranty Period

The warranty period for the Walinga Warranty shall expire on the date that is the earlier of: two (2) years after the date of delivery to the original customer; or upon the expiration of five hundred (500) hours of operation; whichever date comes first.

Limitations of and exclusions from the Walinga Warranty

- The Walinga Warranty applies to material and workmanship only.
- With respect to any component parts that are supplied or manufactured by others, the warranty coverage on such component parts will be strictly limited to the warranties of the manufacturers of such component parts.
- The Walinga Warranty shall only be for the benefit of the original purchaser of the pneumatic products.
- A Walinga Warranty may be transferable by the original purchaser to a third party for the balance of the warranty period then remaining, provided that Walinga consents in writing to such transfer of warranty.
- The Walinga Warranty is conditional upon proper storage, installation, use, maintenance, operation and compliance with any applicable recommendations of Walinga.

Warranty Claim Procedure

Should you encounter any difficulties with your unit within its warranty period, please contact your local Walinga dealer or sales representative, your local Walinga Service department or Walinga's Warranty Department to submit a warranty claim application.

To speak with a Walinga Warranty Coordinator, contact:

Canada 1-800-WALINGA (ext 258)

- Email – warranty.canada@walinga.com

International +1-519-824-8520 (ext 258)

- Email – warranty.canada@walinga.com

USA 1-800-466-1197 (ext 8)

- Email – warranty.usa@walinga.com

Australia 07-4634-7344

- Email – mail@customvac.com.au

Required Warranty Claim information

The following information must be provided to Walinga in order for us to properly process and consider your warranty application:

- Customer name and contact information (email if available).
- The equipment serial number and/or Vehicle Identification Number (if applicable).
- Date of claimed failure.
- Equipment hours of operation.
- Details, description and photos (upon request) of the claimed failure and the corrective repairs attempted.

Warranty Conditions

- Equipment must be registered within 30 days of being received by the buyer. It will be within the sole and unfettered discretion of Walinga as to whether it will honour its warranty on non-registered equipment.
- The buyer is responsible for promptly notifying Walinga of any defects to the equipment. The buyer is also responsible for making the equipment available to Walinga or its authorized repair facility for evaluation and repair.
- Prior to making any repairs or parts replacements, a warranty application and any estimated associated costs must be approved with the issuance of a claim number by an authorized Walinga representative. Undertaking any work prior to receiving warranty authorization may result in a partial or complete loss of warranty coverage.
- At Walinga's discretion, warranty repairs may be authorized to be completed at a repair facility convenient to the buyer. In such situations the estimated labour time must be approved by Walinga prior to undertaking any work. Labour hours will be reimbursed at the facilities posted hourly labour rate.
- At Walinga's request, parts in question must be returned to the nearest Walinga service facility for evaluation. In such situations a Returned Goods Authorization (RGA) number will be provided to the buyer. The returning shipment must be clearly labeled with the assigned RGA number and include a copy of the RGA form. Unless otherwise arranged, these parts are to be returned to Walinga within 30 days to ensure timely processing of your warranty claim. Failure to return such parts may result in partial or complete loss of warranty coverage.
- Replacement parts provided under warranty are covered for the remainder of the original equipment warranty period.
- Walinga reserves the right to use new, remanufactured or refurbished components when performing warranty repairs and replacements.
- Walinga is entitled to a reasonable amount of time and a reasonable number of attempts to assess the claim, diagnose the problem, and perform any necessary repairs.
- The warranty offered on used or refurbished equipment is limited to that specified on the purchase contract. Where a warranty period has not been stipulated on the purchase contract, and where such equipment is "used", then such equipment is considered by Walinga to be sold "as is, where is" without the Walinga Warranty. Where such equipment is refurbished, then the Walinga Warranty shall apply.

Without limitation, Walinga reserves the right to reject a warranty claim or for any one or more of the following reasons:

- The warranty claim information provided is insufficient.
- The product evaluation does not substantiate the claim.
- The unit has been operated above and beyond its capacity or not maintained or serviced properly, resulting in damages incurred to major components.
- If the unit was equipped with a factory installed hour meter which has been disconnected, altered or inoperative for an extended period of time; with the result being that the equipment's operating hours cannot be verified.
- It is apparent that the operator's manuals have not been followed

- The equipment is not registered

Without limitation, Walinga's Warranty does not cover:

- Damage or deterioration due to lack of reasonable care or maintenance.
- Damage caused or affected by unapproved modifications to the equipment.
- Damage caused by negligence or misuse of the equipment.
- Damage caused by using the equipment for purposes for which it was not designed or intended.

Walinga's liability under this warranty, whether in contract or tort, is limited to the repair, replacement or adjustment of defective materials and workmanship. In no event will Walinga be responsible for any direct, indirect, loss of time, incidental or consequential expenses including, but not limited to, equipment rental expenses, towing, downtime, inconvenience, or any losses resulting from the inability to use the equipment. Further, Walinga shall not be liable for any damages or inconvenience caused by any delay in the supply or delivery of any equipment or component parts thereof.

The selling Dealer/Sales Person makes no warranty of its own and has no authority to make any representation or promise on behalf of Walinga, or to modify the terms or limitations of the Walinga Warranty in any way.

Punitive, exemplary or multiple damages may not be recovered unless applicable law prohibits their disclaimer.

Warranty related claims may not be brought forward as a class representative, a private attorney general, a member of a class of claimants or in any other representative capacity.

The Walinga Warranty and all questions regarding its enforceability and interpretation are governed by the law of the country, state or province in which you purchased your Walinga equipment. The laws of some jurisdictions limit or do not allow the disclaimer of consequential damages. If the laws of such a jurisdiction apply to any claim against Walinga, the limitations and disclaimers contained here shall be to the greatest extent permitted by law.

Walinga Inc. - Notes and Terms

Pneumatic Conveying System

Terms and Conditions

- The quote in this contract is valid for 30 days from the date stated on the cover page.
- Unless otherwise specified in this contract, a 20% down payment is due with the signed accepted contract, and the balance is due upon manufacturing completion and prior to shipment. All applicable taxes, duties and licensing are not included, unless otherwise specified with this contract.
- Any and all changes to contract specifications or terms after the order is processed, require a written confirmation initialed by both parties. Custom ordered components and/or nonstandard manufactured parts required to accommodate the changes may be subject to an up charge or restocking fee.
- Walinga PCS wholegoods include a two year limited warranty.
 - Ultra-Veyor systems equipped with Smart-Flo and Walinga supplied electrical components include a three year limited warranty.
- In the event that the Buyer shall fail or refuse to accept delivery of the items listed here in this contract, Walinga reserves the right to retain any deposits, without limitation or restriction as to any other remedies Walinga may choose to pursue at that time.
- Walinga will use all reasonable means to meet any commitments made regarding the estimated delivery date, but it is understood and the Buyer agrees that this is an estimated date only and not a firm date as manufacturing involves a number of factors that are not entirely within the control of Walinga. The Buyer will not hold Walinga liable for any loss or damage howsoever arising out of a delivery later than the estimated delivery date.
- In signing this contract, the Buyer commits to Walinga that it will
 - Train all operators, outside service personnel, other employees and third parties who deal with the equipment in its safe operation;
 - Implement and enforce appropriate lock out / tag out procedures for the equipment as per local and federal laws;
 - Use the purchased equipment only as it was intended to be used;
 - Keep the purchased equipment in good repair;
 - Keep all guarding and warning decals in place and visible;
 - Comply with all applicable laws and or NFPA (National Fire Protection Agency) regulations at all times;
 - Install all applicable conveying line isolation and fire suppression equipment appropriate to the purchased product and in compliance with current NFPA (National Fire Protection Agency) regulations;
 - Install the purchased product within their facility in a manner that complies with all applicable laws and in compliance with NFPA (National Fire Protection Agency) standards; and
 - Ensure all product containers are properly vented. Pressurized air entering a container from the conveying system as well as air being expelled by product displacement must be vented to an exterior source. Receiver cyclones are not designed to replace proper container venting;
- The Buyer expressly acknowledges and agrees that if any damage or injury (including death) to any person or to any property (including loss of use thereof) results, or is alleged to have resulted, in whole or in part from:
 - any modification or alteration of the equipment referenced in this contract (including but not limited to the removal of any guards);
 - the improper or abnormal operation of the equipment without Walinga's written consent or approval;
 - Any conduct or actions of the Buyer, or by those in law for whom the Buyer is responsible; or
 - the breach of any covenants or provisions of the contract,
- then the Buyer will defend, indemnify, and hold Walinga harmless from all liability, costs, and expenses (including attorney fees and all other costs of litigation and defense) for which Walinga is or may be held liable in connection with such damage or injury, whether Walinga's liability or alleged liability be in contract, negligence, strict tort or otherwise, and whether or not this indemnity is or is alleged to be in whole or in part for Walinga's own negligence.
- In the event that any provision, section or subsection of this contract is adjudged by any court to be void or unenforceable in whole or in part, this adjudication shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this contract, including any other provision, section, or subsection. Each provision, section or subsection is separable from every other provision, section and subsection, and constitutes a separate and distinct covenant.

Operational Terms and Conditions

- The successful operation of the pneumatic conveying system ("PCS") outlined in this contract is contingent upon the material information provided by you, the Buyer, and listed here in this contract. Walinga pneumatic conveying systems are specifically engineered for the material being conveyed at the capacity indicated. Changing the conveyed material or capacity without consultation may cause the system not to perform as specified in this contract, and may even damage the equipment. Please consult your Walinga representative before attempting to operate the equipment with different material or capacity specifically listed in this contract or subsequent engineering packages.
- Production rates and capacities of all Walinga PCS equipment are dependent on a wide variety of factors including, but not limited to, operator skill, quality of goods being conveyed, and the production and capacity of upstream equipment. Any capacities specified or referenced in any catalogue, brochure, web advertisement or other literature are only estimates and based on ideal conditions. They should not be taken as guarantees of performance in all conditions.
- This product offering is based upon technical information in Walinga's possession at the time of issuance. Walinga reserves the right to revise the contract if further mechanical, electrical, or engineering specifications or data become available from or are submitted by the Buyer. Equipment specifications are subject to change.
- It is the responsibility of the Buyer to review, determine and ensure compliance with local and federal regulations from time to time, and at any time. These regulations include, but are not limited to, local and federal laws as well as standards published by the NFPA (National Fire Protection Agency), ISO (International Organization for Standardization), OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration) or OH&S (Occupational Health and Safety Standards) and ANSI (American National Standards Institute). Such responsibility will necessarily include active measures by the Buyer, at the expense of the Buyer. Walinga and Walinga staff are not the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ) in relation to approving the safety of equipment and customer's facilities.
- Specifically, and without limitation, it is a requirement in NFPA 652 that the final operator completes a dust hazard analysis (DHA) of their facility and the products and processes it contains. Based on this, a DHA is required to be completed by the owner/operator prior to start-up/commissioning. In the event that a DHA is not available at start-up/commissioning, the owner/operator must provide written acknowledgement of their responsibility and intention to complete a DHA. The

owner/operator also agrees that they shall be solely responsible for ensuring that any applicable NFPA standards and regulations shall be satisfied in conjunction with the incorporation of Walinga's equipment into the Buyer's specific system of operations.

- The owner/operator understands that they are responsible for testing/reviewing all products being conveyed for explosive properties. Any additional safety features that may be required are the responsibility of the owner/operator.
- The prices quoted do not include any structural supports, anchors, or other installation items unless they are specifically detailed in an itemized fashion.
- The prices quoted do not include a control package, electrical connections, or labour unless specifically detailed in the contract. Equipment provided without controls may be subject to additional costs if additional support is required, and these costs are subject to the complexity of the system and/or nature of the issues experienced.



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Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
Weight 2,950 lbs	Yes	
Standard hose package	Yes	Detail: 45' of 7" diameter hose; cleans grain within a 49' radius from base of unit
Transport width 8'	Yes	
Length 9' 10"	Yes	
HP requirements 85	Yes	
Capacity – one hose/full bin 5,000-6,000 bu/hr	Yes	
Air system 1 fan	Yes	
Auger discharge height 14'	Yes	
Auger diameter 10"	Yes	
Hitch Type	See to right	Single Tongue hitch w/double tongue attachment
Specify the extra costs for other options available:	n/a	
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit	NEW 2021 AGI REM VRX	
Specify Warranty	See to right	Year 1: Parts & Repair Labor Year 2: Parts Only
Estimated time of delivery, from order date.	March 1, 2022	



Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	Yes	
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Grain Vac or comparable



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Grain Vac or comparable: \$36,500 each

*Do not include GST

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	Included YES/NO	Comments
Weight 2,950 lbs	Yes	3200 lbs
Standard hose package	Yes	
Transport width 8'	Yes	102 Inches— Wheel track width-97"
Length 9' 10"	Yes	126"
HP requirements 85	Yes	Minimum of 70HP
Capacity – one hose/full bin 5,000-6,000 bu/hr	Yes	5200 bu/hr
Air system 1 fan	Yes	
Auger discharge height 14'	Yes	15'
Auger diameter 10"	Yes	
Hitch Type	Yes	Clevis Hitch
Specify the extra costs for other options available:		Floor Sweep--\$600.00
		25' exhaust dust hose kit--\$1,843.00
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if unit is NEW or a DEMO unit	Yes	2022 Brandt 5200EX New
Specify Warranty	Yes	90 Days
Estimated time of delivery, from order date.	Yes	90 Days
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36 Avenue.	Yes	



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Grain Vac or comparable: \$45,500.00 each

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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Attention Sheila Kaus,

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Sincerely, Sheila Kaus

GrainVacs	5200 EX	1300 HP
Performance		
Capacity* (bu/hr)	5,200	8,000 - 8,500
Minimum Tractor Horsepower	70	120
Hydraulic Requirements (1 remote)	2,000 psi @ 2gpm	2,000 psi @ 2gpm
with Pile Driver (+ 3 remotes)	2,000 psi @ 11 gpm	n/a
Auger		
Diameter	10"	13"
Tube Thickness	10 ga	12 ga
Flighting Thickness	1/4"	5/16"
Flighting Material	Chrome	Chrome
Dimensions		
Transport Height	86" (2.18 m)	103" (2.62 m)
Auger Extended	182" (4.62 m)	200" (5.08 m)
Auger Lateral	160" (4.08m)	149" (3.79 m)
Length	126" (3.20 m)	174" (4.42 m)
Width	102" (2.59 m)	102" (2.59 m)
Wheel Track Width	97" (2.46 m)	100" (2.54 m)
Frame Size	4"x4" HSS	4"x4" HSS
Weight	3200 lb (1450 kg)	3400 lb (1542 kg)
Hitch Weight	680 lb (310 kg)	650 lb (300 kg)
Standard Hoses		
Flexible Stainless Steel	One: 7"x3.5' Two: 7"x7'	One: 8"x3.5' Two: 8"x7'
Flex-rigid Combination	-	One 8" x 7'
Rigid Aluminum	Two 7" x 7'	One 8" x 7'
Corrugated Rubber Hose	One 7" x 7'	One 8" x 7'
Cleanup Shovel	7"	8"
MaxFlo Full-bin Nozzle	7"	8"

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REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: Fertilizer Spreader Purchase

SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE

STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION

CAO: MANAGER: SK

GM: PRESENTER: SK

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board recommend Council approve the purchase of a Salford Fertilizer Spreader from Flaman, Edmonton, Alberta in the amount of \$40,900, with \$35,000.00 to come from Agriculture Capital and \$5,900.00 additional funds to be added to the Budget.

BACKGROUND/PROPOSAL:

The Agriculture Department has \$35,000.00 in the Interim 2022 Capital Budget allocated for a Fertilizer Spreader AG22005. The Interim Capital Budget will be reviewed for final approval in April 2022.

The lowest quote was \$40,900, 17% higher than the budgeted amount. Administration received quotes through the quote matrix. Flaman had the best value for purchase cost while meeting the specifications requested.

	AGRITERRA	DAVE ROSS-SALFORD	FLAMAN-SALFORD	MARTIN DEERLINE-NO QUOTE
Price	\$56,133.00	\$44,000	\$40,900	
Specifications	No-mechanical ground drive. Not PTO	Yes	Yes	
Operational Suitability	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Dealer/Vendor Relationship	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Delivery	May 2022	September 2022	March 1, 2022	
Warranty	1 yr.	1 yr.	1 yr.	
Parts Availability				
Other	\$12,500 ladder included in price			
Total Score	%	%		

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board recommending Council approve the purchase of the Fertilizer Spreader is that the implement may be delivered before the field season begins.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The disadvantage to the recommended motion is an increase to the Agricultural Services Capital Budget of \$5,900.00

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

Direct Cost: **\$40,900 (\$35,000 from AG2205 and \$5,900 additional funding to be added to the Agricultural Services Department capital budget.**

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS: N/A

ATTACHMENT(S):

- RFQ Fertilizer Spreader – Agriterra
- RFQ Fertilizer Spreader – Dave Ross Equipment
- RFQ Fertilizer Spreader - Flaman



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Fertilizer Spreader or comparable: \$ 56,133.00 each.

Delivery Date: May 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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Fertilizer Spreader or comparable

Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
5 – 8 Ton capacity	Yes	
Hopper capacity 230 – 244 cu ft	Yes	
540 PTO spinner drive	No	mechanical ground drive w/ Hydraulic Shut off
Stainless steel hopper	Yes	
100 HP	Yes	
Dual spreading spinners	Yes	
Hopper cover	Yes	
Heavy duty hitch & safety chains	Yes	cat # 3. Adjustable
High floatation tires	Yes	
Tandem axle	Yes	
Completely assembled & field ready	Yes	
Specify the extra costs for other options available.	Yes	Ladder \$12500.
		included in price
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if the unit is NEW or DEMO unit.	New 2022	
Specify Warranty	Yes	1- Year
Delivery:	May/22	



TO: Agricultural Equipment Dealerships

RE: Quotation Request – Fertilizer Spreader

DAVE ROSS EQUIP. LTD

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jay@rossequip.ca

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AB Continuous Grain Driers

The Municipality intends to purchase one Fertilizer Spreader for municipal rate payer rental use. Your firm is invited to provide a quotation by **2:00 p.m., Monday, January 31, 2022**, to the Municipality for units as specified below:

Fertilizer Spreader or comparable

Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
5 – 8 Ton capacity	YES	6.75 tons
Hopper capacity 230 – 244 cu ft	YES	270 cu.ft.
540 PTO spinner drive	YES	540 RPM SERIES 6CV
Stainless steel hopper	YES	PAINTED 409 S/S
100 HP	YES	
Dual spreading spinners	YES	TWIN 24" DIA. SPINNERS
Hopper cover	YES	10' BOX TARP
Heavy duty hitch & safety chains	YES	(PHOTO INCLUDED)
High floatation tires	YES	12.5" TIRES
Tandem axle	YES	7,000 lbs axles
Completely assembled & field ready	YES	INCLUDED
Specify the extra costs for other options available.		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if the unit is NEW or DEMO unit.		NEW - 2022 SALFORD BB1 TROOPER
Specify Warranty		180 DAYS PARTS + LABOUR
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36ave.	YES	INCLUDED



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:
UNIT PRICE*

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		AB Continuous Grain Driers	

Fertilizer Spreader or comparable: \$44,000 ~~xx~~ each.

Delivery Date: SEPTEMBER 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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As a company, Salford Group is taking the necessary precautions to protect our employees and customers from COVID-19. Our manufacturing team is working hard to keep equipment delivery on schedule, and our service, parts, engineering, and sales departments are operating at full capacity. In order to maintain social distancing, we will only call on you in person when it is safe to do so. We continue to serve you in other ways at this time - including phone calls and/or video calls. We are grateful for your business, and we wish you and yours health and prosperity as you ensure our food supply is safe & secure.

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BBI TROOPER - 10-FOOT MECHANICAL PULL-TYPE FLEET SPREADER

This durable spreader is engineered and priced for fleet applications. 10 feet long and towable with just about any reasonable vehicle, Trooper Fleet Spreader is ready to spread fertilizer on small and medium-sized farms. Mechanical, ground-wheel-drive design, matched with Salford precision and light footprint from flotation tires.

FLEET PERFORMANCE

Trooper is designed and priced for fleet applications. The durability makes it smart choice for rental application and the efficient driving interval will save farmers time. Mechanical, ground-wheel-drive achieves precision on small to medium-sized farms.

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10 feet long and easy to operate, Trooper Fleet Spreader is towable with almost any type of vehicle. Flotation tires prevent soil compaction, making this applicator ideal for small to medium-capacity jobs in a variety of settings, from row crops to sod/turf farms.

SPREAD PATTERN EFFICIENCY

Even our most economical mechanical model features our original, proprietary spreader system, achieving a consistently wide, flat spread pattern. Trooper Fleet Spreader is capable of spreading granular fertilizer up to 60 feet with the ground drive package and up to 80 feet with the hydraulic spinner option. The results—less wasted material, more money in your pocket.

FEATURES

- Distribution of granular fertilizer
- Targeted for fleet application
- Easy to operate
- Optimized for small to medium-size farm applications
- Pull with any reasonable towing vehicle **100hp**
- Ground wheel drive spinners spread fertilizer at 60 feet vs. traditional designs at 30 feet
- UHMW and stainless steel construction reduce corrosion issues and extend spreader life
- Proprietary Salford BBI spreader system
- Dual rack and pinion gate prevents jams
- Lowest capital cost spreader offered by Salford BBI
- Flotation tires minimize soil compaction
- 270 cu. ft. struck capacity
- Delivers a wider, flatter, more consistent pattern
- Ground wheel driven, stainless steel mesh chain

SPECIFICATIONS

BBI Trooper Specifications	
Fertilizer	
Working Width	Hydraulic - Fertilizer 80 feet PTO - Fertilizer 60 feet
Size	10 feet
Capacity (struck)	270 cubic feet / 6.75 tons
Hopper Material	Standard: Painted 409 stainless steel
Drive	Standard: Conveyor Ground Wheel Drive Standard: Manual Hydraulics to Engage Ground Wheel Optional: Conveyor & Spinner Ground Wheel Drive
Conveyor Chain	Standard: 8 inches Wide, 304 Stainless Steel Mesh Chain
Spinner Drive	Standard: Ground Wheel Drive Spinners Optional: 540 RPM Series 6 CV Joint PTO Shaft Optional: 1000 RPM Series 6 CV 1 3/4 20 Spline Optional: 1000 RPM Series 6 CV 1 3/8 21 Spline Optional: Hydraulic Spinners (Plug-to-Tractor) Includes ELIMINATOR Manifold
Spinners	Standard: Twin 24" Diameter Spinners that are driven by Ground Wheel Drive
Tires & Suspension	Standard: Tandem Axle Ground Wheel Drive, 7,000 lb Axles and 12.5 Tires

First name*

Last name

Phone number*

Email*

State/Province*

Postal code*

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	Optional: Tandem Axle Ground Wheel Drive Painted 409 stainless steel, 10,000 lb Torsion Axles and 16.5 Tires or 21.5Lx16.1 Tires
Electric Brakes	Standard: No brakes Optional: Electric Brakes Rear Axle 7,000 lb (Torsion Flex Axles ONLY) Optional: Electric Brakes Rear Axle 10,000 lb (Torsion Flex Axles ONLY)
Light Package	Standard: None Optional: Rear Tail Lights with Turn Signal, Side Markers, Wired with Corrosion Resistant Wiring Kit
Tarp Options	Standard: None Optional: 10 foot Box Type Tar with Bow (vinyl)

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Doty Plants Salford Group Flags at Empire Farm Days

Salford Group's Phill Doty is bringing the excitement to northeast ag with next week's running of the **Empire Farm Days** show in upstate New York.

The largest outdoor agricultural show in the northeastern United States, Empire Farm Days takes place annually at Rodman Lott & Sons Farm in Seneca Falls.

Aug 7, 2015

BBI Sponsors Tennessee Farmers Cooperative Annual Managers' Meeting

The **Tennessee Farmers Cooperative**, one of the country's largest agriculture federations, will hold its annual meeting of managers in July, and BBI Spreaders is proud to serve as an event sponsor for the eighth consecutive year.

Jul 2, 2013

BBI Launches Dealer Training Video Library

BBI Spreaders, a company committed to the design, manufacturing, and sales of spreaders for the agriculture, poultry, and construction industries, announces the launch of its dealer training video library.

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Salford BBI's obligation under this warranty is limited to the correcting of the defect(s) without charge at its factory or one of its authorized dealers. Transportation charges will be pre paid. BBI requires the opportunity to examine all parts in question in order to determine the original cause of defect. Correction of such defects by repair to or supplying of replacements for defective parts shall constitute fulfillment of all obligations to the original user.

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TO: Agricultural Equipment Dealerships

RE: Quotation Request – Fertilizer Spreader

The Municipality intends to purchase one Fertilizer Spreader for municipal rate payer rental use. Your firm is invited to provide a quotation by **2:00 p.m., Monday, January 31, 2022**, to the Municipality for units as specified below:

Fertilizer Spreader or comparable

Specification	Included YES/NO	Comments
5 – 8 Ton capacity	Yes	8 Ton
Hopper capacity 230 – 244 cu ft	Yes	270 cu. Ft.
540 PTO spinner drive	Yes	
Stainless steel hopper	Yes	#409 Painted Stainless Steel
100 HP	Yes	
Dual spreading spinners	Yes	#304 Stainless Steel Spinners 60' Spread Width
Hopper cover	Yes	Shur-Lock Roll Tarp
Heavy duty hitch & safety chains	Yes	
High floatation tires	Yes	21.5L X 16.1
Tandem axle	Yes	Tandem 10,000lb. Torsion Flex
Completely assembled & field ready	Yes	
Specify the extra costs for other options available.		
State year of manufacture and make/model of unit being quoted. State if the unit is NEW or DEMO unit.	2021 Salford/BBI Trooper 8.0	
Specify Warranty	1 Year	
Delivery FOB to Valleyview Ops Shop 4811 36ave.	Yes	



QUOTATION SUBMISSION:

UNIT PRICE*

Fertilizer Spreader or comparable: \$40,900 each.

Delivery Date: March 1, 2022

*Do not include GST

Please provide product and warranty information with your quotation.

Should you require more information please contact our office

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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW No. 16

Manager's Report

Department: Agricultural Service Board

Submitted by: Sheila Kaus, Manager, Agricultural Services

Date: 2/10/2022

In July of 2021, the Pests Regulatory Management Agency (PMRA) launched a regularly scheduled review of Compound 1080 as a toxicant to control canid species. While the results of this review have not been finalized, changes are expected. All M44 devices must be returned to Alberta Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Economic Development. A new requirement of confirmed coyote predation within the last 30 days has been added to the criteria for Administration to release Compound 1080. Additionally, PMRA is considering adding the requirement to ensure baited carcasses are disposed of properly, recording the number of coyotes controlled and if there were any secondary poisonings. Administration has developed a policy for the Boards review within this agenda package.

Administration has received two new forage probes, and the two RFID tag readers have been ordered, with an arrival expected in March 2022. Work has begun on the administrative backend for both units to be used by ratepayers shortly. Request For Quotation was sent to RMA Vendors and Flaman for the 14 ft heavy disk, the fertilizer spreader and the grain vac with a closing date of January 31. The results of this effort are included within this agenda package. 2 skid-mounted sprayers, a tree seedling planter and a plastic mulch applicator have been sourced, and Administration is investigating the next steps to procuring the equipment.

Seasonal positions have been advertised, with six positions requiring recruitment. Administration anticipates having all seasonal hiring complete before the end of March, and the Landcare Coordinator position has been posted with a closing date of March 14.

Agricultural Services has completed the necessary regulatory steps to offer Greenview residents the Rural Acreage Owner Program and sale of Range and Pasture herbicides in 2022. Currently, Administration is finalizing communications and processes for these two new offerings. Additionally, Administration is working with ratepayers to set up a herbicide demonstration site along Highway 43. This site will utilize the

herbicides approved in the Weed Incentive Program, which Administration hopes will result in more program participants.

The Greenview shelterbelt program will launch shortly after passing the Schedule of Fees, with sales being accepted in all Greenview Public Service Buildings and at the Agricultural Services office. Orders will be distributed at the Public Service Buildings in Grovedale, DeBolt, and Grande Cache, with the Agricultural Services office acting as pick-up point in Valleyview.

Administration attended the 2022 Provincial ASB Conference from January 25th-27th. Of note, CleanFarms announced the end to the municipal collection of pesticide jugs in 2022 in areas that collect low volume. Collection will be facilitated through retailers in the future. Administration will be reaching out to CleanFarms for confirmation, as there are areas within Greenview that are up to 90 minutes away from an agricultural inputs retailer.

Rental Equipment finished the year at 597 rental days for 2021.

In 2021, 64 wolves were submitted for incentive, totalling \$19,200, and 456 beavers have been submitted for incentive, totalling \$13,680—total hunting incentive payments for 2021 stand at \$32,880.

Problem Wildlife Work Orders, up to October 21

File Status	Beaver-MD	Beaver-Ratepayer	Customer Service	Predation	TOTAL
In Queue					
Open	0	0	0	2	2
Closed	25	27	19	12	83
TOTALS	25	29	19	14	85

PWO Culls: Over 300 beaver, 17 skunks, 19 muskrats.

Other highlights: Solved multiple black bear and roadkill issues.

The problem wildlife officer has been focusing on depredation- working with producers and all relevant parties to implement long-term solutions in problem areas, including coordinating wolf bait locations with Fish and Wildlife utilizing roadkill. Other activities have included training, equipment maintenance and repair, and catching up on office work.

VSI Quarterly Reports and Service Breakdown - 4th Quarter

	# Services	2021	2020	+/- (%)
Total 1st Quarter	99	\$19,269.77	\$21,172.35	-8.99%
Total 2nd Quarter	231	\$33,953.33	\$36,569.40	-7.15%
Total 3rd Quarter	53	\$ 8,382.80	\$ 8,342.09	+0.50%
Total 4th Quarter	130	\$40,995.55	\$34,228.60	+19.8%
2021 Claims	513	\$102,601.45	\$100,312.44	+2.3%

Semen Testing: 694 claims; \$27,578.16

Preg Checks: 14205 claims; \$39,751.40

C-Sections: 22 claims; \$5,893.25

Exams: 87 claims; \$5,708.35



REQUEST FOR DECISION

SUBJECT: **Correspondence**

SUBMISSION TO: AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BOARD

MEETING DATE: February 10, 2022

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURE

STRATEGIC PLAN: Level of Service

REVIEWED AND APPROVED FOR SUBMISSION

CAO:

MANAGER: SK

GM:

PRESENTER:

LEG:

RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Provincial (cite) – N/A

Council Bylaw/Policy (cite) – N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

MOTION: That the Agricultural Service Board accept the correspondence as information.

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Email from Canadian Food Inspection Agency regarding the transition to digital equine infectious anemia (EIA) test certificates in Canada.
2. EIA Notification Letter 2021 – 12 Province wide notice final.
3. Response letter from Honourable Nate Horner to County of Paintearth No. 18 regarding ASB funding.
4. Letter from County of Warner regarding support of fertilizer emissions.
5. Letter to Honourable Nate Horner from Greenview regarding Grizzly Populations.
6. Letter to Honourable Jason Nixon from Greenview regarding Elk Forage Depredation.
7. Letter from MD of Taber to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions.
8. Letter from Cardston County to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions.
9. Letter from Flagstaff County to Minister of Environment Re Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions.

UPCOMING EVENT(S):

- | | |
|----------------------|---|
| 1. February 10, 2022 | Challenges & Successes: Producer Experience |
| 2. February 11, 2022 | Virtual Grazing Conference |
| 3. February 15, 2022 | Peace Beef Cattle Day - Fairview |
| 4. February 17, 2022 | The Latest Research on Intercropping |
| 5. February 22, 2022 | The Future of Food Conference |
| 6. February 23, 2022 | Top Crop Summit - Virtual |
| 7. February 24, 2022 | Grassland Restoration Forum - Webinar |
| 8. February 24, 2022 | Canola Watch Webinar: Pesticide Update – With a Herbicide Focus |

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|-------------------------|--|
| 9. March 2 – 4, 2022 | <u>Alberta Beef Industry Conference</u> |
| 10. March 15, 2022 | <u>Farm Credit Canada – Farmland Values Report</u> |
| 11. March 15 - 17, 2022 | <u>AFAC - Prep for Livestock Emergencies</u> |

BENEFITS OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

1. The benefit of the Agricultural Service Board accepting the recommended motion is that the Board will be made aware of the events, seminars and conferences within the agricultural community throughout the Province.

DISADVANTAGES OF THE RECOMMENDED ACTION:

1. There are no perceived disadvantages to the recommended motion.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

Alternative #1: The Agricultural Service Board has the alternative to alter or deny the recommended motion.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

There are no financial implications to the recommended motion.

STAFFING IMPLICATION:

There are no staffing implications to the recommended motion.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEVEL:

Greenview has adopted the IAP2 Framework for public consultation.

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FOLLOW UP ACTIONS:

There are no follow up actions to the recommended motion.



To: Equine stakeholders

From: Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA)

Subject: Transition to digital equine infectious anemia (EIA) test certificates in Canada

Date: November 2021

For Information Purposes Only

The CFIA will be making the use of **digital equine infectious anemia (EIA) test certificates** (Coggins) **mandatory in Canada as of December 1, 2021**. The current paper version of the single horse EIA test certificate (Form CFIA/ACIA 3937), will only be allowed in unique circumstances. The multiple horse test certificate (Form CFIA/ACIA 4679) will not be accepted as of December 1, 2021.

Many EIA accredited veterinarians already use a CFIA-approved digital EIA test certification system and as a result, their clients will not notice any change when the mandatory policy goes into effect. For those horse owners whose veterinarian will be making the change to digital in the near future, it's important to note the following:

- The actual EIA test has **not** changed
- The EIA test certificate will look a little different and include photographs of the horse instead of hand drawings
- You will be able to access the digital EIA test certificate online in real-time and when needed, a **paper version can be printed off***
- Your veterinarian will need to take **digital photographs of each horse the first time** they are tested using a digital system. An exception to this would be if the horse's appearance changes significantly since the original pictures were entered into the system.
- To ensure good quality photographs can be taken by your veterinarian, it will be important for the horse to be clean enough so that their markings are visible and they are located in a well-lit area.

***Do not photocopy** printed versions of digital EIA test certificates. Specifically, only use the computer-printed version for official purposes.

If you have any questions, please follow up with your accredited veterinarian or your local CFIA [animal health district office](#).

From: Dr. Keith Lehman
Chief Provincial Veterinarian

Date: December 6, 2021

Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) cases in Alberta in 2021.

As of December 6th, 2021, 87 cases of EIA have been detected on 15 premises, located in 10 different counties or municipalities (Athabasca, Big Lakes, Bonnyville, Foothills, Grande Prairie, Lac Ste. Anne, Opportunity, Parkland, Smoky Lake, and Sturgeon). The Office of the Chief Provincial Veterinarian is electing to notify all owners of horses registered in Alberta's PID system by email to increase horse owner awareness.

For more current information, new cases are generally available on the Canadian Animal Health Surveillance Systems (CAHSS) equine disease dashboard within 2 to 3 weeks of detection by CFIA. A link to the dashboard can be found at the CAHSS equine network page at <https://cahss.ca/cahss-networks/equine>

Signs of EIA and what to do

Infected animals may show few clinical signs of disease, particularly in the early stages of infection. However, infected animals remain carriers of the virus for life, putting other animals at risk. Infected animals may show some of the following signs:

- loss of coordination*
- anorexia
- depression
- general weakness
- intermittent fever up to 41°C
- jaundice
- bleeding under the tongue and eye
- swelling of the extremities
- weight loss

*Note: loss of coordination may be the only clinical sign observed.

EIA is a federally reportable disease, which means that producers or veterinarians must notify the CFIA of all suspected or confirmed cases. If you suspect your horse may be infected, contact your veterinarian as soon as possible. Many other diseases can cause the same signs in horses, which is why it's so important to call your veterinarian to examine and possibly test your horse for EIA. There is **no human health risk** with EIA.

Preventing EIA and more information

While no vaccine is available for EIA, you can ask your veterinarian about other ways to prevent EIA in your horses. You can also visit the CFIA website at bit.ly/1gNSwGN to learn more about prevention and other general information about EIA. If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact the Office of Alberta's Chief Provincial Veterinarian at 780-427-3448.

About this notice

You have received this notification as an animal owner who has registered your land location in Alberta's Premises Identification System. It is important your information in the system is accurate and up-to-date for effective and timely notification. To check if your information (e.g. contact information, location, species at the location) is current or to make a change, please visit <https://partners.agric.gov.ab.ca/pid/> or call the Alberta Ag-Info Centre toll-free at 310-FARM (3276).



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December 9, 2021

Mr. Maurice Wiart

A.S.B. Chair, County of Paintearth No. 18

#1 Crowfoot Drive, Crowfoot Crossing

Box 509 Castor, AB T0C 0X0

Dear Mr. Wiart:

Thank you for your October 29, 2021, letter regarding funding for Agricultural Service Boards (ASBs).

ASBs are an important resource in Alberta's agriculture industry and I can assure you that my department and I appreciate all the work done each year. The ASBs and Agricultural Fieldmen enforce the *Agricultural Service Board Act*, *Weed Control Act*, *Agricultural Pest Act*, *Soil Conservation Act*, assist with the *Animal Health Act* and promote sustainable farming practices. Over the past 75 years, ASBs have protected the agricultural industry from harmful and market-affecting pests and improved agricultural land productivity. The Government of Alberta remains committed to supporting the important work ASBs do.

As you know, the economic downturn and the onset of COVID-19 have led to significant reductions in government revenue. It put immense pressure on the budget and led to tough decisions about how we supported organizations and what services we could provide. As a result, the 2020-21 budget included a reduction in the overall ASB program budget, starting in spring 2020. Although the 2020-24 ASB program budget was reduced, the new five-year ASB Grant Program agreement is intended to provide increased program stability and ensure annual program payments will be processed quickly. I understand the grant reduction has put pressure on municipal budgets. Unfortunately, due to the existing economic climate, Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Economic Development is not in a position to increase ASB grant amounts at this time.

I also understand that changes to the ministry staff and website have led to shifting demands on the expertise and technical knowledge that agricultural fieldmen and other municipal staff provide. I appreciate the support that these professionals have supplied over the last year. To ensure we remain connected to ASBs and Agricultural Fieldmen, we recently launched the new Regional ASB Liaison program, which replaces the Key Contact program. The Regional Liaisons will link more informally with fieldmen and ASB members on a regular basis. In addition, an ASB-directed newsletter will be shared with ASBs on a quarterly basis, along with a town hall meeting to be held between ASB Chairmen and Assistant Deputy Minister John Conrad twice per year. We recently updated the ASB webpage to be a one-stop shop that links to information relevant to ASBs. Engagement with ASBs on all four levels—newsletter, liaison, updated ASB website, and through executive senior management—will support a strengthened relationship between the department and ASBs.

Thank you again for writing. The growth and success of Alberta's agriculture industry remains at the heart of the Government of Alberta's economic strategy, and ASBs will continue to be an important partner in that success.

Sincerely,



Honourable Nate Horner
Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Economic Development

cc: Sebastian Dutrisac, Provincial ASB Committee Chair
Paul McLauchlin, RMA President



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December 20, 2021

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Honorable Steven Guilbeault
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Dear Minister Guilbeault,

Re: Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

The County of Warner Agriculture Service Board (ASB) is supporting letters from other municipalities regarding the federal government's emissions target for synthetic fertilizer.

Canadians in both urban and rural communities rely on agriculture as we overcome the crisis that we are in. There is currently a focus on increasing Canadian agricultural exports, increasing production of crops used for biofuels, and continued domestic demand for agricultural products from a growing population.

To achieve this, an increase in fertilizer is also required, as producing more crops requires the use of fertilizers. We ask your government not to further jeopardize this keystone industry by providing an emission target, which will result in cutting of use. Instead, a reduction in emission intensity or a measurement based on bushels produced may be more appropriate. Additionally, increased grants for research and development into innovative technologies to improve crop fertilizer uptake and retention are better approaches to meet the goal for better agricultural products and practices that will save farmers money and time while protecting Canada's environment.

The County of Warner ASB strongly encourages Honourable Steven Guilbeault to continue to review how best to achieve the fertilizer emissions target without placing limits on overall crop production.

Yours Truly,

Shawn Rodgers, ASB Chairman
Councillor Division 5 | County of Warner No. 5

Cc Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau, Federal Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
Premier Jason Kenney
Honourable Jason Nixon, AB Minister of Environment and Parks
Honourable Nate Horner, AB Minister of Agriculture
Honourable John Conrad, Assistant Deputy Minister, ADM Primary Agriculture
Glen Motz, MP Medicine Hat-Cardston-Warner
Grant Hunter, MLA Taber-Warner
Provincial Agricultural Service Boards



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW

January 11, 2022

Honourable Nate Horner
Minister of Agriculture and Forestry
229 Legislature Building
10800-97 Ave
Edmonton AB, T5K 2B6

Dear Hon. Minister Nate Horner,

RE: GREENVIEW GRIZZLY POPULATIONS

Greenview is part of Bear Management Areas (BMA) 2 and 7. BMA 7, Swan Hills, population survey conducted by Foothills Research Institute in 2018 suggested an estimate of sixty-two grizzly bears in BMA 7 be used for management purposes until a study with higher precision could be performed. The grizzly population density in BMA 7 is estimated at 12.6 bears per 1,000 km².

BMA 2, Grande Cache, was last surveyed in 2008, with no further surveys announced. The 2008 survey revealed an estimated population of 271 grizzly bears. The density of grizzlies stood at 18.11 bears per 1,000 km². This density was most concentrated in the Wilmore/Kakwa areas.

With the range of an adult male grizzly bear being 1800 km², the proximity of ranches in the Grovedale and Grande Cache areas increases the potential for conflicts. As populations appear to have rebounded in other BMAs, Greenview requests the Alberta Government update grizzly population estimates for BMA 2 and reassess with increased precision in BMA 7. With increased reports from residents of grizzly bears, the development of a Provincial Grizzly Mitigation Plan needs to be prioritized to address the safety of rural residents and inform agricultural producers as to what they can do to protect their livelihoods, potentially reducing wildlife conflicts.

Respectfully,

Tyler Olsen, Reeve
Municipal District of Greenview

Cc: Clearwater County, Yellowhead County, Big Lakes County, County of Grande Prairie, Brazeau County, Mountain View County, Bighorn County, MD of Ranchland, Crowsnest Pass, Municipal District of Pincher

Creek, MLA Todd Loewen, Minister Toews, Rural Municipalities of Alberta, Minister Jason Nixon, Provincial ASB Committee, Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldman





MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW

January 11, 2022

Nixon, Jason, Honourable
Minister of Environment and Parks
323 Legislature Building
10800 - 97 Avenue
Edmonton AB, T5K 2B6

Dear Honourable Minister Nixon


RE: Elk Forage Depredation

Greenview would like to take this opportunity to express concerns with the population of elk and the damaging effect that has resulted on the agricultural industry. The agricultural industry has struggled with the elk crop depredation annually, however, the population in combination with the extreme weather conditions has compelled an urgent appeal for abatement solutions. Resolutions have been endorsed by members of the Rural Municipalities of Alberta and the Provincial Agricultural Service Board in the past, specifically related to elk population control, although there are no active resolutions currently established.

Many Greenview livestock producers have been challenged with establishing adequate feed production, resulting in sourcing feedstocks, however, due to the supply and demand, the costs have substantially risen in comparison to previous years. The risen cost of feed production, and depredation impacts of the elk, has resulted in the dispersal of farm production herds, causing herd size reduction. These challenging and repetitive circumstances have put a strain on the mental and financial thresholds of the local producers.

The Livestock Feed Assistance programs through the Agriculture Financial Services Corporation (AFSC) provides some relief, however, livestock producers are at the breaking point and require forward momentum on the elk abatement issue. Greenview supports the resolution sponsored by Saddle Hills County, titled "Properly Managing Ungulate Populations," this resolution will be presented at the Provincial Agricultural Service Board (ASB) Conference January 25 – 27, 2022. Greenview strongly urges the Alberta Government to act on this perennial issue immediately.

Respectfully,

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Tyler Olsen

Reeve

TO/tm

Cc: Hon. Jason Kenny, Premier of Alberta

Hon. Nate Horner, Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Rural Economic Development

MLA Travis Toews, Grande Prairie-Wapiti

MLA Martin Long, West Yellowhead

MLA Todd Loewen, Central-Peace Notley

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Municipal District of Taber Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

January 21, 2022

Honorable Steven Guilbeault
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Dear Minister Guilbeault,

Re: Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

The Municipal District of Taber Agriculture Service Board (ASB) is supporting letters from other municipalities regarding the federal government's emissions target for synthetic fertilizer.

The MD of Taber is located in the heart of irrigation country in Southern Alberta. Under irrigation in this area we can grow a large variety of what you may find in your grocery store. To produce these high quality vegetable crops under irrigation it takes nutrients.

Canadians in both urban and rural communities rely on agriculture as we overcome the crisis that we are currently facing. There is currently a focus on increasing Canadian agriculture exports, increasing production of crops used for biofuels, and continued domestic demand for agricultural products from a growing population.

To achieve the goals set by government for exports or for feeding or fueling our own country this will take fertilizer. The need for fertilizer will continue to grow as the agriculture industry continues to grow.

We ask that your government not further jeopardize the agriculture industry by providing an emission target, which will result in cutting of fertilizer use. Instead, a reduction in emission intensity or a measurement based on bushels produced may be more appropriate. Additionally, increased grants for research and development into innovative technologies to improve crop fertilizer uptake and retention are better approaches to meet the goal for better agricultural products that will save farmers money and time while protecting Canada's environment.

The Municipal District of Taber Agricultural Service Board strongly encourages Honourable Steven Guilbeault to continue to review how best to achieve the fertilizer emissions target without placing limits on overall crop production.

Sincerely *Murray Reynolds*

Murray Reynolds, ASB Chairman
Councillor Division 6, MD of Taber

cc: Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau, Federal Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
Honourable Jason Nixon, Alberta Minister of Environment and Parks
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Provincial Agricultural Service Board



Cardston County

January 21, 2022

Honourable Steven Guilbeault
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON
K1A 0A6

Dear Minister Guilbeault,

RE: Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

The Cardston County Agricultural Service Board is writing this letter in support of other letters that you have received regarding the Federal Government's emissions target for synthetic fertilizer.

Agriculture is a vital part of Canada's economy, and all Canadians rely on farmers and ranchers for their daily food. There is a growing demand for agricultural products around the world which means Canadian agricultural producers can't have their hands tied, so to speak, with this restrictive emissions target. Achieving fertilizer reduction of 30% below 2020 levels would decimate many agricultural producers in this country- and at a time when getting food to market is hard enough already. The global pandemic has resulted in less food on shelves in grocery stores, and now is a time when we need to support Agricultural producers more than ever.

Agriculture production in this country is a net user of carbon emissions, not a net producer, and therefore should be encouraged to produce as much as possible in as efficient a manner as they can. This will help use up carbon from other sources and benefit carbon reduction overall.

We strongly encourage you to reevaluate the reduction of synthetic fertilizer target levels that you are wanting to achieve.

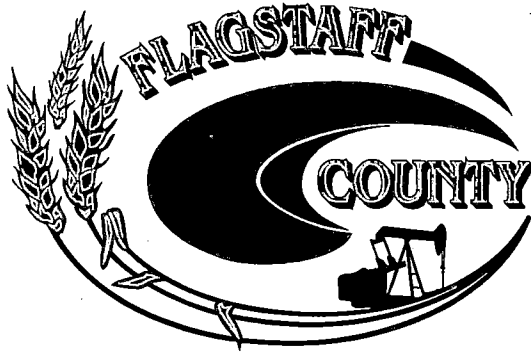
Sincerely

Roger Houghton
Agricultural Service Board Chairman
Cardston County

CC: Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau, Federal Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food

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Premier Jason Kenney
Honourable Jason Nixon, AB Minister of Environment and Parks
Honourable Nate Horner, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry
Glen Motz, MP Medicine Hat-Cardston-Warner
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Provincial Agricultural Service Boards



January 10, 2022

Honorable Steven Guilbeault
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

RE: Synthetic Fertilizer Emissions

Flagstaff County would like to reiterate the concerns previously raised by Brazeau County, Woodlands County, the M.D. of Smokey River, and the M.D. of Woodlands regarding the Canadian federal Government's emissions target for synthetic fertilizer.

Flagstaff County is a rural municipality with extensive crop production acres. Synthetic fertilizers are essential for crop production and, in conjunction with other technological advances, have allowed Canadian farmers to steadily increase crop yields over the past 60 years.

Our agriculture and food production industry is a shining light in international trade and provides food security to Canadians. With increased interest and trade in crop components as ingredients in the food industry, coupled with the federal Government's 2025 goal of \$75 billion in agri-food and seafood exports, we question why your Government would limit crop production and impact the wellbeing of the agriculture industry.

Consultation with producer groups, fertilizer manufacturers and other industry stakeholders would make the stated emission reductions much easier to achieve. The agricultural fertilizer industry already promotes the use of the 4R Nutrient Stewardship Protocols which are intended to improve nitrogen use efficiency. These protocols are fertilizer at the *right time, right source, right rate* and *right place*. Research shows significant emissions reductions can be achieved when utilizing the 4R protocols as compared to conventional fertilization practices. The modeling used to estimate the nitrous oxide production from agricultural use of fertilizers does not account for the improved fertilizer use efficiency that the 4R Stewardship provides. Wouldn't we all benefit through the estimation of emissions based on the intensity of emissions per unit of production? A shift to focusing on emission intensity would spur innovation and lead to quicker technology adoption, achieving the overall goal of nitrous oxide reduction.

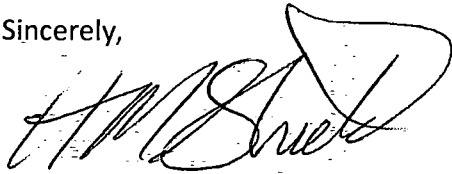
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We ask that you carefully consider how this emission goal is to be measured and achieved. Industry and producer stakeholder input is essential, prior to implementing a policy that otherwise may have devastating impacts on the agricultural industry, our economy and our country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H. Shield', written in a cursive style.

Howard Shield,
Agricultural Service Board Chairman
Flagstaff County

cc: Minister of Agriculture and Agrifood Canada, Marie-Claude Bibeau
Member of Parliament Battle River-Crowfoot riding, Damien C. Kurek
Member of Legislative Assembly Camrose provincial riding, Jackie Lovely
Minister of Provincial Agriculture, Forestry, and Rural Economic Development, Nate Horner