



Public Notification Bylaw

(C-7860-2019)

**A Bylaw of Rocky View County, in the Province of Alberta,
to establish alternate methods for advertising statutory notices.**

WHEREAS Rocky View County is required to advertise certain bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings, and other things in accordance with section 606 of the *Municipal Government Act*;

AND WHEREAS Section 606.1 of the *Municipal Government Act* allows Rocky View County Council to pass a bylaw to provide for one or more alternate methods to advertise certain bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings, and other things as required under section 606;

AND WHEREAS Rocky View County Council is satisfied that the advertising methods set out in this Bylaw are likely to bring a matter to the attention of substantially all residents in the relevant area;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of Rocky View County enacts as follows:

Title

- 1 This Bylaw may be cited as the *Public Notification Bylaw*.

Definitions

- 2 Words in this Bylaw have the same meaning as those set out in the *Municipal Government Act* except as follows:
 - (1) **“Council”** means the duly elected Council of Rocky View County;
 - (2) **“County”** means Rocky View County;
 - (3) **“Rocky View County”** means Rocky View County as a municipal corporation and the geographical area within its jurisdictional boundaries, as the context requires.
 - (4) **“Municipal Government Act”** means the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA 2000, c M-26, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (5) **“Detailed notice”** means a notice containing all of the information required under section 606 of the *Municipal Government Act*;
 - (6) **“Social media”** means any electronic online form of communication through which groups of users share information and content.

Methods of Advertising

- 3 Rocky View County will advertise bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings, and other things as required under the *Municipal Government Act* by publishing detailed notices on the County's website.
- 4 Rocky View County may also choose to use one or more of the following methods to advertise or to advertise detailed notices or summaries of website notices:
 - (1) Newspaper(s).
 - (2) The County's social media sites.
 - (3) The County's electronic opt-in communications.
 - (4) Other methods as may be directed by County policy.
- 5 Rocky View County will make detailed notices available at the County Hall.

Severability

- 6 If any provision of this Bylaw is declared invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, all other provisions of this Bylaw will remain valid and enforceable.

Effective Date


- 7 Bylaw C-7860-2019, being the *Public Notification Bylaw*, is passed and comes into full force and effect when it receives third reading and is signed by the Reeve and the Chief Administrative Officer or their designate pursuant to the *Municipal Government Act*.

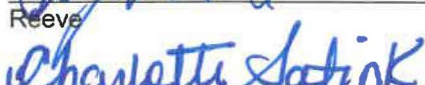
READ A FIRST TIME IN COUNCIL this 22nd day of October, 2019

PUBLIC HEARING WAS HELD IN COUNCIL this 26th day of November, 2019

READ A SECOND TIME IN COUNCIL this 26th day of November, 2019

READ A THIRD TIME IN COUNCIL this 26th day of November, 2019



Reeve


Chief Administrative Officer or Designate
November 26, 2019
Date Bylaw Signed