



## RECREATION PARK AND CAMPGROUND BYLAW 698-25

**BYLAW 698-25** being a Bylaw of the Village of Innisfree, in the Province of Alberta TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTROL AND OPERATION OF Parks and campgrounds under the jurisdiction of the municipality, hereby cited as the **RECREATION PARK & CAMPGROUND BYLAW**.

**WHEREAS** the Municipal Government Act R.S.A. 2000, Chapter M-26, as amended thereto, grants authority to Council pass bylaws with respect to the safety, health and welfare of people and the protection of people and property;

**AND WHEREAS**, Council of the Village of Innisfree has established a public park and campground;

**AND WHEREAS**, Council of the Village of Innisfree wishes to establish rules and regulations for the control and operation of its public park and campground.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of the Village of Innisfree, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts the following:

### **1.0 Definitions and Interpretations:**

**1.1 'Abandoned'** means left standing at a location for more than seventy-two (72) consecutive hours other than pursuant to:

**1.1.1** a license, permit or other similar authorization or,

**1.1.2** prior authorization of a Park Manager.

**1.2 'Animal'** means a domestic animal and includes an animal that is wild by nature but has been domesticated.

**1.3 'Bicycle'** means a bicycle as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*, RSA 2000, c.T-6 and amendments thereto.

**1.4 'Burnable Debris'** means those materials permitted to be burned in a designated fire pit and in accordance with statutes and bylaws written to protect and enhance the environment.

**1.4 'Camping Accommodation Unit'** means:

**1.4.1.** A tent;

**1.4.2** A trailer;

**1.4.3** A tent trailer;

**1.4.4** A motor home;

**1.4.5** A van;

**1.4.6** A truck camper;

**1.4.7** A converted bus; or

**1.4.8** Other motorized accommodation unit;

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used by a person as shelter while camping.

- 1.5 **'Campground'** means a Park designated as a site on which daytime or overnight camping is permitted.
- 1.6 **'CAO'** means 'Chief Administrative Officer' as defined in section 1(1)(c) of the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA, 2000, c.M-26.
- 1.7 **'Campsite Rental Agreement'** means the agreement issued by a campsite reservation service or a Park Manager or their Delegate, providing payment confirmation and permission to occupy a designated area of the Park, including but not limited to individual campsites, group campsites, multi-unit campsites or group use areas.
- 1.8 **'Council'** means the Council of the Village of Innisfree as defined in section 1(1)(e) of the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA, 2000, c.M-26.
- 1.9 **'Child'** means a Person of no more than twelve (12) years of age.
- 1.10 **'Facilities'** means all buildings, structures, residences, shelters, furnishings, signs, light fixtures, fire pits, fences, waste receptacles, tables, benches or tennis courts within a park or recreation area.
- 1.11 **'Firearm'** means any device that propels a projectile by means of explosion, spring, air, gas, string, wire or elastic material or any combination of those things, excluding water guns.
- 1.12 **'FOIP'** means the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. F-25, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time and any Regulations thereunder, as applicable.
- 1.13 **'Highway'** means a highway as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*, RSA 2000, c.T-6 as amended and regulations thereto.
- 1.14 **'Individual Campsite'** means a campsite in the park or recreation area designated as an individual campsite under this bylaw.
- 1.15 **'Innisfree Birch Lake Campground and Recreation Park'** shall be referred to as 'Park' in this bylaw.
- 1.16 **'Motor Vehicle'** means a vehicle as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*, RSA 2000, c.T-6 as amended and regulations thereto.
- 1.17 **'Noise'** means any sound that, in the judgement of a Peace Officer, considering, all relevant factors such as the time of day and the type of noise-producing activity, is deemed to be bothersome or disruptive to individuals or poses a risk to the well-being, tranquility and safety of individuals within the Park limits.
- 1.18 **'Off-Highway Vehicle'** means an off-highway vehicle as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*, RSA 2000, c.T-6, as amended and regulations thereto.
- 1.19 **'Park Manager'** means the individual(s) responsible for the management and operation of the Innisfree Municipal Recreation Park, and their Delegates.





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### 1.20 'Park or Outdoor Recreation Area' includes:

1.20.1 any land developed or used by the Village as a public park, trail, campground, sports field, playground, golf course or recreation area, under title or lease to the Village of Innisfree;

1.20.2 any land acquired by the Village through subdivision as a Municipal Reserve, Municipal School Reserve or Environmental Reserve;

1.20.3 any land used as a highway buffer strip, whether on a permanent or temporary basis.

### 1.21 'Peace Officer' means:

2.21.1 any member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police,

2.21.2 a Bylaw Enforcement Officer appointed by the Village of Innisfree, and

2.21.3 the Chief Administrative Office of the Village of Innisfree or any Person designated by the Chief Administrative Officer to enter and inspect property in accordance with the provisions of this Bylaw.

1.22 'Person' includes His Majesty, public bodies, corporate bodies, societies, partnerships, firms, individuals or companies;

1.23 'POPA' means the *Provincial Offences Procedures Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. P-34, as amended and regulations thereto.

1.24 'Primary Campsite Renter' means the individual named on the Site Rental Agreement

1.25 'Prohibited Item' means an item that could be deemed as threatening, including but not limited to a rifle, shotgun, pistol, handgun, target pistol, air rifle, pellet gun, hunting bow, crossbow, slingshot, fireworks and paintball gun.

1.26 'Unsatisfactory Condition' means a condition of unreasonable accumulation of materials, debris and/or refuse within parkland in the opinion of a Peace Officer having regard for all circumstances.

1.27 'Vegetation' includes all trees, shrubs, plants, flowers, and grass or ground cover, whether it is in its wild or natural state or has been planted;

1.28 'Village' means the Village of Innisfree or the area within the corporate limits or the Village of Innisfree, as the context may require;

1.29 'Violation Tag' means a Tag or similar document issued by the Village pursuant to the provisions of the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time.

1.30 'Offence Violation Ticket' means a ticket issued pursuant to the *Provincial Offences Procedures Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c.P-34, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time and any Regulations thereunder, as applicable.



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- 1.31 'Voluntary Penalty'** means a penalty specified in this Bylaw for a contravention of a provision of this Bylaw for the amount which will be paid by a person to whom a Municipal Violation Tag has been issued.

### **3.0 General:**

- 3.1** The Park Manager shall have general supervision, charge and control of the operation of the Innisfree Birch Lake Campsite and Recreation Park.
- 3.2** The Park Manager shall be authorized to direct ~~have charge of~~ all persons and/or work of whatever nature being performed in the Innisfree Birch Lake Campsite and Recreation Park, under the direction of the CAO.
- 3.2** The speed limit in the Park is 15 kilometres per hour.
- 3.3** Any and all campsite usage of the current camping season is considered to be for recreational camping purposes only and is not to be considered to be used for primary or permanent residency.
- 3.4** All RV units and vehicles must have valid registration and insurance.

### **4.0 Conduct:**

- 4.1** A Person who enters a Park or outdoor recreation area shall comply with:
- 4.1.1** any lawful orders and instructions made or issued pursuant to this Bylaw and,
  - 4.1.2** instructions, prohibitions and directions prescribed by all lawfully designated and erected signs and notices.
- 4.2** If, in the opinion of the Park Manager, a nuisance exists, the Park Manager may verbally, or in writing, order the Person causing the nuisance to cease the nuisance or clean the site or both.
- 4.3** No Person who has been removed from a Park or outdoor Recreation area pursuant to sub-section 4.4 of this bylaw shall, within the following Seventy-two (72) hours' period, enter or attempt to enter that Park or outdoor Recreation area.

### **5.0 Alcohol and Cannabis Use:**

- 5.1** A Person may consume liquor or cannabis within the Park, within registered campsites only and in accordance with the *Alberta Gaming, Liquor and Cannabis Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. G-1, as amended or repealed from time to time and any Regulations thereunder.
- 5.2** Open liquor and cannabis shall be prohibited in public areas, including but not limited to:
- 5.2.1** on Highways, trails and walking paths;
  - 5.2.2** on public beaches;
  - 5.2.3** in washrooms, outhouses and shower buildings; and
  - 5.2.4** in picnic shelters.





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**5.3** No Person shall enter or remain in any Park or outdoor Recreation area, being disruptive or destructive, while intoxicated.

### **6.0 Park Use and Hours of Operation:**

**6.1** Campground will be closed between October 1<sup>st</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup> unless otherwise approved by the CAO or delegate, and as directed by Council.

**6.2** The Park Manager may:

**6.2.1** temporarily close a Park or Recreational Area or any portion thereof to public use,

**6.2.2** from time to time establish hours of operation of the Park or outdoor Recreation area or any part thereof;

**6.2.3** may designate 'No Smoking' areas in the Park or outdoor Recreation area or any part thereof.

**6.3** Park cleanliness is necessary to keep the Campsite and Recreation Area clean, safe and an enjoyable experience for all users. No Person shall:

**6.3.1** fail to deposit litter in a litter receptacle;

**6.3.2** litter in the Campground nor Recreation Areas;

**6.3.3** occupy any campsite which in the opinion of the Park Manager or their Delegate, or a Peace Officer constitutes an unsightly premise or safety hazard;

**6.3.4** leave any washroom, toilet or shower facility in any condition requiring special attention, maintenance or clean up; and,

**6.3.5** bath or clean clothing, cooking utensils, vehicle or other equipment at or near the fresh water supply location or water pumps.

**6.4** A Person vacating a campsite must restore it to a clean condition; if vacated and left in an unsatisfactory condition, the Primary Campsite Renter will be held responsible for the cost of such clean up and will be charged pursuant to the Village of Innisfree Master Rates Bylaw.

**6.5** No Person, except Park employees, servants or agents acting in the course of their duties, shall enter or remain in a Park or outdoor Recreational Area or any facility contained therein, after the designated hours of operation.

**6.6** A Person registering to be the Primary Campsite Renter for a campsite must be a minimum of 18 years of age at the time of registration and may be required to present photograph identification at any time for confirmation.

**6.7** All Persons renting a campsite shall register with the Park Manager or delegate upon arrival where a sign or notice is located at or near the entrance to the Park.

**6.8** The Park Manager or Designate may issue individual campsite permits, day use permits and group camping permits under this Bylaw.



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- 6.9** The collection and use of personal information from the Primary Campsite Renter shall be in accordance with the *FOIP Act*.
- 6.9** The Park Manager or designate may issue individual campsite permits, day use permits and group camping permits under this Bylaw.
- 6.10** If a Park's campsite occupant violates this Bylaw and their name and contact information cannot be obtained, the registered Primary Campsite Renter for the campsite may be issued a penalty under this Bylaw.

### **7.0 Campsite Use:**

**7.1** Check in times are as follows:

**7.1.1** Check in: 2:00 p.m.

**7.1.2** Check out: 12:00 p.m., unless otherwise approved by the CAO or delegate.

**7.2** No Person, unless otherwise approved in writing by the CAO or delegate, shall:

**7.2.1** generate noise the disturbs the rest, peace or enjoyment of any Person within the Campground between the hours of 11:00 pm to 7:00 am;

**7.2.2** be a nuisance or engage in any form of nuisance behavior; and,

**7.2.3** all visitors must leave by 11:00 pm.

**7.3** Each campsite that can accommodate more than one Camping Accommodation Unit shall be subject to an additional Unit Fee as determined by the Campground Rates in the Village of Innisfree Master Rates Bylaw, as amended and repealed from time to time.

**7.4** All vehicles and equipment shall remain within the boundaries of the campsite of the registered guest or in a designated parking area, and shall not impeded traffic at any time, or into an adjacent campsite or park area.

**7.5** A basic Campsite Rental Agreement fee covers the following maximum number or units:

**7.5.1** One (1) camping accommodation unit and one (1) tent; or

**7.5.2** Two (2) tents.

**7.6** No Person who is visiting a Person camped in an individual campsite, shall park their vehicle at the campsite that is:

**7.6.1** in a manner or at a location that impedes traffic, or

**7.6.2** in a location prohibited by a sign.

**7.7** No Person shall interfere with the rights of others to the quiet and peaceful enjoyment of a Park.

**7.8** No Person shall enter or remain in any Park or portion of a park where travel or access restrictions have been imposed by the Village of Innisfree.





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- 7.9** No Person shall display or post any signs or advertisements in the Park other than those approved by the CAO or delegate.
- 7.10** No Person shall remove, deface, damage or destroy any property, object, equipment, facility or grounds in the Park, whether created by natural means or otherwise.
- 7.11** No Person shall hunt or discharge a firearm or use a prohibited item within the Park.
- 7.12** No Person shall conduct business operations in the Park unless they have received written approval from the CAO or delegate.

### **8.0 Vegetation:**

- 8.1** No Person shall remove, injure, mutilate, or damage or destroy any vegetation in or upon any Park or outdoor Recreation area.
- 8.2** No Person shall walk, stand or sit in any planting bed in or upon any Park or outdoor Recreation area.

### **9.0 Animal Control:**

- 9.1** Individuals responsible for an Animal must not bring it into the Park or permit its entry unless the Animal is contained within a cage or controlled by a leash, chain or similar device that does not exceed three (3) meters in length.
- 9.2** No Person having custody or control of an Animal shall bring into, or allow an Animal to enter or remain in or on any area of a Park or outdoor Recreation area that is:
  - 9.2.1** designated swimming or aquatic play areas;
  - 9.2.2** a beach area;
  - 9.2.3** a park or outdoor recreation area facilities;
  - 9.2.4** a play area sandpit;
  - 9.2.5** a planting bed, nursery or greenhouse for vegetation purposes; and,
  - 9.2.6** an area where signs are posted prohibiting Animals.
- 9.3** No Person shall bring or permit to enter a Park or outdoor Recreation area, any other non-defined Animal, under the Person's custody or control except:
  - 9.3.1** a horse or pony or beast of burden that is within an area of land that has been established for equestrian use; or,
  - 9.3.2** an Animal that has been authorized to enter the Park or outdoor Recreation area by a Park Officer.
- 9.4** A Person who has custody or control of an Animal shall immediately remove any feces deposited in a Park or outdoor Recreation area.



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**9.5** The Park Manager may refuse to admit to a Park or outdoor Recreation area or may require to be removed from a Park or outdoor recreation area, any Animal if the Park Manager considers it is not under control or may be a nuisance or cause damages to the life, safety, health, property or comfort of any Person in the Park or Recreation outdoor area.

**9.6** No Person shall allow any Animal under that Person's custody or control to:

**9.6.1** remove, kill, injure, tease, molest or disturb any other Animal or remove, destroy or disturb the eggs or young of such Animals in any Park or outdoor Recreation area or,

**9.6.2** remove, injure, mutilate, damage or destroy any vegetation in or upon any Park or outdoor Recreation area.

### **10.0 Vehicles:**

**10.1** No Person shall park or leave a motor vehicle, boat, trailer or camping accommodation unit or permit a motorboat, trailer or camping accommodation unit to be parked or left in a Park or outdoor Recreation area other than in parking areas designated for that purpose by the Park Manager or the CAO.

**10.2** No Person shall operate a motor vehicle, other than an off-Highway vehicle, within a Park or outdoor Recreation area except:

**10.2.1** on a highway or,

**10.2.2** in the case of an area that is not a highway, with written authorization from the Park Manager.

**10.3** No Person shall, within a Park or outdoor Recreation area, operate or ride an off-highway vehicle or any other such specialized means of conveyance, whether motor driven or propelled by human power, except:

**10.3.1** on a trail or in an area set aside, designated or identified by regulatory signs, notices or trail markers posted as a trail or area for the use of such conveyances or,

**10.3.2** in an area other than one referred to in Subsection 10.3.1, with written authorization from the Park Manager.

**10.4** No Person who is the owner or operator of an off-Highway vehicle may operate or permit any other Person to operate the off-highway vehicle when there is not a subsisting certificate of registration and/or a financial responsibility card indicating valid insurance issued pursuant to the *Traffic Safety Act, R.S.A. 2000, c. T-6*.

**10.5** Subsection 10.3 does not apply to bicycles.

**10.6** The CAO or Park Manager may prohibit the entry of a vehicle into any part of any Park or outdoor Recreational area.

### **11.0 Firearms, Fireworks, Projectiles and Dangerous Objects:**





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- 11.1** No unauthorized Person shall use any fireworks, rockets or explosives as defined by the *National Fire Code, Alberta Edition (NFC-AE), as amended or repealed* and replaced from time to time and any Regulations thereunder, as applicable in a Park or an outdoor Recreation area.
- 11.2** No Person shall, shoot, fire, or release an arrow, dart, stone or missile or other projectile in a Park or outdoor Recreation area.
- 11.3** No Person shall propel a golf ball, outside of an area designated for that purpose, in any manner in the Park or outdoor Recreation area without prior authorization from the Park Manager or the CAO.

### **12.0 Fires:**

- 12.1** No Person shall set, light or maintain a fire in a Park or outdoor Recreation area except in a fireplace, pit or other facilities provided for that purpose and is confined to either a non-combustible container or portable appliance, which is set for the purpose of:
  - 12.1.1** cooking food;
  - 12.1.2** obtaining warmth; or
  - 12.1.3** viewing for pleasure.
- 12.2** Such fire may only be fueled with seasoned wood, charcoal, coal or propane.
- 12.3** No Person shall leave a fire unattended or allow it to spread.
- 12.4** Strict adherence to fire bans must be followed at all times when in place.
- 12.5** No Person shall deposit or dispose of hot coals, ashes, ambers or any other burning or smoldering material in a place other than a stove, fireplace, pit or other place or facility provided for that purpose by the Park Manager.
- 12.6** A Person shall extinguish all fires, hot coals or smoldering materials before leaving the campsite.
- 12.7** When a fire has been deemed unsafe by the CAO or delegate, the CAO or delegate have authority, under this Bylaw, to extinguish the flames.
- 12.8** Where the Park Manager is of the opinion that a fire hazard exists in a Park or outdoor Recreation area, the Park Manager may, by erecting signs and notices for that purpose, prohibit the setting, lighting or maintaining of fires in all or part of a park or outdoor Recreation area.

### **13.0 Waste and Littering Control:**

- 13.1** No Person shall deposit liquid or solid waste matter in the Park or outdoor Recreation area except in a receptacle or area provided for that purpose.
- 13.2** No Person shall bring commercial or residential waste matter into the Park or outdoor Recreation area for disposal.
- 13.3** No Person shall contaminate by placing, depositing or allowing to enter, any litter, refuse, or substance or material of any sort in any body of water in a Park or outdoor Recreation area.





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**13.4** No Person shall deposit or dump in the Park or outdoor Recreational area, soil products, snow, or any other refuse or debris which may cause damage to such areas and/or be offensive or injurious to any other person using such areas.

**13.5** In areas of the Park or outdoor Recreation area where waste disposal receptacles or areas are not provided, waste matters shall be carried out of the area for disposal.

### **14.0 Signs:**

**14.1** The Village may, subject to the *Highway Traffic Act*:

**14.1.1** control and prohibit the movement of vehicular, pedestrian and other traffic by means of signs and notices designated and erected by the Park Manager; and,

**14.1.2** designate and erect other signs and notices governing and prohibiting activities that are provided for in this bylaw.

**14.2** The existence of a sign or notice referred to in Subsection 13.1 is prima-facie proof that it was properly designated and erected under this bylaw.

**14.3** No Person shall display or post any signs or advertisements in the Park or outdoor Recreation area other than signs approved by the Park Officer as authorized by Council.

**14.4** No Person shall remove, deface, damage or destroy any sign board, sign or notice posted or placed in the Park or outdoor Recreation area under authority of this or any other Bylaw or Act.

### **15.0 Business Activities:**

**15.1** No Person shall, in a Park or outdoor recreation area, without prior written approval:

**15.1.1** distribute any handbills or circulars;

**15.1.2** use any audible advertising device or,

**15.1.3** sell or offer for sale any refreshments or any goods or services for a fee.

### **16.0 Water Activities:**

**16.1** Children must be supervised by an adult while in the water.

### **17.0 Camping:**

**17.1** All Persons entering the Park or outdoor Recreation area shall register with the Park Manager or Designate when required to do so by sign or notice at or near the entrance to the Park or outdoor Recreation area.

**17.2** The Park Manager, under the authority of the Village, may provide for and designate areas within its Park or outdoor Recreation areas for camping and day use purposes.

**17.3** Permits shall be issued on a first-come, first served basis except in that portion of a Park or outdoor Recreation area in which a campsite reservation system is in effect.

**17.4** No Person shall camp overnight in a Park or outdoor Recreation area:





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- 16.4.1** except in an area designated for that purpose, unless that Person is otherwise authorized by the Park Manager;
- 16.4.2** unless that Person has a valid permit under this bylaw to do so.
- 17.5** No Person shall:
- 17.5.1** alter a camping permit;
  - 17.5.2** transfer a camping permit to another person.
- 17.6** The owner of a camping permit shall keep it available for inspection at any time or shall produce it for inspection by the Park Manager or designate.
- 17.7** At the time of issue of a group camping permit, pursuant to any Bylaw amendments and endorsements, the permit may be subject to any conditions determined appropriate.
- 17.8** Where a campground within a Park or outdoor Recreation area, is developed in individual campsites, only the following vehicles and camping accommodation units are permitted to be kept in the campsite unless the Park Manager gives written permission to the contrary:
- 17.8.1** one motor vehicle, whether or not it is a camping accommodation unit;
  - 17.8.2** in addition to the motor vehicle referred to in clause 17.8.1, one camping accommodation unit of any kind, including a camping accommodation unit that is a motor vehicle; and,
  - 17.8.3** in addition to the motor vehicle referred to in clause 17.8.1, one tent.
- 17.9** No Person in whose name an individual campsite is registered shall bring into or permit to remain on the campsite, more vehicles or camping accommodation units that are permitted by Subsection 17.8.
- 17.10** No Person who is visiting a person camped in an individual campsite shall park a vehicle:
- 17.10.1** after 11:00 pm; and,
  - 17.10.2** in a manner or at a location that impedes traffic.
- 17.11** Not more than six (6) Persons may occupy an individual campsite unless they are all members of a family.
- 17.12** A campsite shall be considered to be unoccupied when, without the written permission of the Park Manager, the permittee:
- 17.12.1** leaves the campsite unattended for a period exceeding twelve (12) continuous hours during the first twenty-four (24) hours period after the permit is issued, or,
  - 17.12.2** leaves the campsite unattended for a continuous period for more than twenty-four (24) hours during the period of the permit.
- 17.13** A camping permit is automatically cancelled if the campsite to which it relates is unoccupied within the meaning of Subsection 17.12.





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- 17.14** A Park Manager may cancel a camping permit on written notice to the registered camper, if the registered camper contravenes this bylaw and the registered camper shall vacate the campsite within one (1) hour from receiving such notice.
- 17.15** On the expiry or cancellation of a camping permit, the registered camper shall ensure that the campsite is vacated and that all shelter equipment and other property is removed belonging to the registered camper or Person in the registered camper's group.

### **18.0 Penalties and Enforcement:**

- 18.1** Any Person who violates, contravenes or breaches any provision or requirement of this Bylaw is guilty of an offense.
- 18.2** Any Peace Officer is hereby authorized to issue a municipal Violation Tag, or a Violation Ticket, pursuant to the provisions of Part 2 or Part 3 of the *Provincial Offences Procedures Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. P-34 ("*POPA*"), or under the provisions hereunder, in regard to this Bylaw.
- 18.3** The CAO or designate are hereby authorized to issue a municipal Violation Tag.
- 18.4** A municipal Violation Tag may only be issued for those offences for which a specified penalty is prescribed in this Bylaw. The municipal Violation Tag shall state the specified penalty prescribed, and set out the voluntary payment option available, therefore.
- 18.5** Where a municipal Violation Tag is issued pursuant to the terms of this Bylaw, the Person to whom the municipal Violation Tag is issued may plead guilty to the offence by signing the municipal Violation Tag in the space provided thereon, and in lieu of being prosecuted for the offence in Court, may deliver the signed municipal Violation Tag, and a voluntary payment in an amount equal to the specified penalty for the offence, to the Village, in the manner specified on the municipal Violation Tag.
- 18.6** In those cases where a municipal Violation Tag has been issued and the specified penalty provided therein has not been paid within the prescribed time, any Peace Officer is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a Violation Ticket pursuant to either Part 2 or Part 3 of *POPA*, as amended.
- 18.7** A Violation Ticket issued pursuant to the provisions of *POPA*, shall be served in the manner described in *POPA*. A municipal Violation Tag shall be served in any manner described in either Part 2 or Part 3 of *POPA*.
- 18.8** Nothing contained in this Bylaw shall prevent or prohibit the immediate issuance of a Violation Ticket pursuant to either Part 2 or Part 3 of *POPA*. Without restricting the generality of the foregoing, it is not mandatory to issue a municipal Violation Tag, prior to issuing a municipal Violation Ticket pursuant to the provisions of *POPA*.
- 18.9** In the case of an offence that is of a continuing nature, a contravention constitutes a separate offence in respect of each day, or part of a day, on which it continues, and a Person found guilty of such an offence is liable to a fine in an amount not less than that established by this Bylaw for each day upon which the offence occurs.





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- 18.10** Specified penalties as set out in Schedule 'A' attached hereto, are hereby established regarding the offences set out in Schedule 'A,' which forms part of this Bylaw.
- 18.11** Notwithstanding the specified penalties provided for in Schedule 'A' attached hereto, a Judge of the Provincial Court of Alberta, or any other Court, may increase the penalties provided for in Schedule 'A,' where the Court deems it appropriate to do so, having regard, among other things, to the gravity or consequences of the offence, or whether the offence has been repeated.
- 18.12** Voluntary payments, where allowed, for any offence not specified in Schedule 'A,' shall be as follows:
- 18.12.1** For a first offence, a specified penalty in the sum of SEVENTY (\$75) DOLLARS;
  - 18.12.2** For a second offence, a specified penalty in the sum of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY (\$150) DOLLARS; AND,
  - 18.12.3** For a third or subsequent offence, a specified penalty in the sum of THREE HUNDRED (\$300) DOLLARS.
- 18.13** Notwithstanding Section 18.12 hereof, nothing contained within shall restrict the Village from pursuing such further or other remedies as may be prescribed by law related to those matters set out in this Bylaw.

### **19.0 Severability of Bylaw Provisions:**

- 19.1** Each separate provision of this Bylaw shall be deemed independent of all other provisions and,
- 19.2** Should any provision of this Bylaw be declared invalid for any reason by a Court of competent jurisdiction, then that provision may be severed, and all other provisions of the Bylaw remain valid and enforceable.

### **20.0 Effective Date:**

- 20.1** This Bylaw will come in effect on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.
- 20.2** This Bylaw, upon coming into affect will repeal Recreation Park Bylaw 612-15.
- Read a first time this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.
- Read a second time this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.
- Read a third time and finally passed this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.

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**Evan Raycraft, Mayor**

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**T. Rogers, Interim CAO**



## RECREATION PARK AND CAMPGROUND BYLAW 698-25

### SCHEDULE 'A'

Section	Violation	Penalty	2 <sup>nd</sup> Penalty
<b><u>General</u></b>			
<b>3.2</b>	Exceeding speed limit of 15 kph	50.00	100.00
<b>3.4</b>	No valid vehicle/RV registration or insurance	200.00	500.00
<b><u>Conduct</u></b>			
<b>4.1.1</b>	Does not comply with lawful orders	50.00	100.00
<b>4.1.2</b>	Does not comply with instructions, prohibitions, signs, etc.	50.00	100.00
<b>4.3</b>	Re-entering of park or outdoor recreation area following removal within seventy-two (72) hours	75.00	150.00
<b><u>Alcohol/Cannabis</u></b>			
<b>5.1</b>	Consumes liquor or cannabis contrary to the Act.	50.00	100.00
<b>5.2</b>	Consumes liquor or cannabis in prohibited areas	75.00	150.00
<b>5.3</b>	Enters Public area while intoxicated, disruptive, etc.	75.00	150.00
<b><u>Park Use</u></b>			
<b>6.3</b>	Failing to keep campsite/Park clean	50.00	100.00
<b>6.3.1</b>	Fail to deposit litter in a litter receptacle	50.00	100.00
<b>6.3.2</b>	Litter in the Campground or Recreation Area	50.00	100.00
<b>6.3.3</b>	Occupy a campsite with unsightly premises or safety hazards	50.00	100.00
<b>6.3.4</b>	Leave mess in washroom, toilet or shower facility	50.00	100.00
<b>6.4</b>	Failure to restore vacated campsite	50.00	100.00
<b>6.5</b>	Entering a park or outdoor recreation area after designated hours of operation	50.00	100.00
<b>6.7</b>	Failure to register upon arrival	25.00	50.00
<b>6.10</b>	Violates Bylaw & does not provide contact information	50.00	100.00
<b><u>Campsite Use</u></b>			
<b>7.2</b>	Generate excessive noise; be a nuisance	50.00	100.00
<b>7.4</b>	Park vehicle outside boundary of Camping area	50.00	100.00
<b>7.6</b>	Park a vehicle that impedes traffic or where restricted by a sign	50.00	100.00
<b>7.7</b>	Disturbs the peaceful enjoyment of the Park	50.00	100.00
<b>7.8</b>	Travels or parks a vehicle in restricted areas	75.00	150.00
<b>7.9</b>	Posts or displays unauthorized sign or advertisements	75.00	150.00
<b>7.10</b>	Destroys property, an object equipment, facility or grounds in the Park	150.00	300.00
<b>7.11</b>	Hunt or discharge a firearm in the Park without authority	150.00	300.00
<b>7.12</b>	Conduct business operations in the Park without authorization	150.00	300.00
<b><u>Vegetation</u></b>			
<b>8.1</b>	Remove, injure, mutilate or destroy any vegetation	50.00	75.00
<b>8.2</b>	Walk, stand or site on any planting bed	50.00	75.00

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<b>SCHEDULE 'A' (Continued)</b>			
<b>Section</b>	<b>Violation</b>	<b>Penalty</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Penalty</b>
<b><u>Animal Control</u></b>			
<b>9.1</b>	Animal not under control	25.00	50.00
<b>9.2</b>	Enter area with animal in restrict areas	50.00	100.00
<b>9.3</b>	Enter Park with non-defined Animal	50.00	100.00
<b>9.4</b>	Failure to remove Animal defecation	100.00	150.00
<b>9.5</b>	Refuse to remove Animal per Park Manager direction	100.00	150.00
<b>9.6</b>	Remove or destroy any other Animal or vegetation in Park	100.00	150.00
<b><u>Vehicles</u></b>			
<b>10.1</b>	Parking or leaving vehicle in non-designated area	25.00	50.00
<b>10.2</b>	Operating motor vehicles where prohibited	50.00	75.00
<b>10.3</b>	Operating off-highway vehicle where prohibited	50.00	75.00
<b>10.4</b>	Failure to provide registration or valid insurance	150.00	300.00
<b><u>Firearms, Etc.</u></b>			
<b>11.1</b>	Unauthorized use of any fireworks, rockets or explosives	100.00	175.00
<b>11.2</b>	Shoot, fire or release arrow, dart, stone or missile or other projectile	100.00	175.00
<b>11.3</b>	Shoot, club or propel a golf ball in non-designated area	100.00	175.00
<b><u>Fires</u></b>			
<b>12.1</b>	Lighting of fires in places not provided for that purpose	100.00	175.00
<b>12.2</b>	Using unauthorized fuel to start fire	100.00	175.00
<b>12.3</b>	Leave fire unattended	50.00	75.00
<b>12.4</b>	Ignore Fire Bans	100.00	200.00
<b>12.5</b>	Disposal of hot coals, ashes or ambers in a place other than provided for that purpose	100.00	175.00
<b>12.6</b>	Failure to extinguish all fires	100.00	200.00
<b><u>Waste</u></b>			
<b>13.1</b>	Improper disposal of liquid or solid waste matter	50.00	75.00
<b>13.2</b>	Bringing commercial or residential waste into Park or recreation area	50.00	75.00
<b>13.3</b>	Contaminate any body of water	100.00	200.00
<b>13.4</b>	Disposal of refuse that may cause damage or be offensive	50.00	75.00
<b>13.5</b>	Failing to remove waste out of the area where waste disposal receptacles or areas are not provided	50.00	75.00
<b><u>Signs</u></b>			
<b>14.3</b>	Display or post unauthorized signs/advertisements	50.00	75.00
<b>14.4</b>	Remove, deface, damage or destroy any signs	100.00	150.00

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<b>SCHEDULE 'A' (Continued)</b>			
<b>Section</b>	<b>Violation</b>	<b>Penalty</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Penalty</b>
<b><u>Business Activities</u></b>			
<b>15.1.1</b>	Distribute unauthorized handbills or circulars	50.00	75.00
<b>15.1.2</b>	Using audible advertising device without authorization	50.00	75.00
<b>15.1.3</b>	Sell articles for a fee without authorization	50.00	75.00
<b><u>Water Activities</u></b>			
<b>16.1</b>	Failure to accompany a child under fourteen (14) years of age in swimming areas	50.00	75.00
<b><u>Camping</u></b>			
<b>17.1</b>	Failure to register when required	25.00	50.00
<b>17.4</b>	Camping where prohibited	25.00	50.00
<b>17.5</b>	Altering/transferring of permit	50.00	75.00
<b>17.6</b>	Failure to keep available and/or provide permit	25.00	50.00
<b>17.8 &amp; 17.9</b>	Improper vehicles or camping units in campsites	25.00	50.00
<b>17.10</b>	Visiting after 11 pm or impeding traffic	50.00	100.00
<b>17.11</b>	Too many individuals in one campsite	25.00	50.00
<b>17.12-17.13</b>	Leave campsite unoccupied	25.00	50.00
<b>17.14-17.15</b>	Failure to vacate the campsite and/or remove belongings	50.00	75.00