

BYLAW NO. 188-14

**A BYLAW OF THE CLEAR HILLS COUNTY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA,
FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING A WEED AND PEST CONTROL
APPEAL COMMITTEE.**

WHEREAS, Section 19 (1) of the WEED CONTROL ACT states that a local authority shall at least once a year appoint an independent appeal panel to hear and determine appeals under the Weed Control Act;

AND WHEREAS, Section 14(5) of the AGRICULTURAL PEST ACT states that a local authority at the beginning of each calendar year appoint a committee to hear and determine appeals under this section and on a receipt of a notice of appeal a local authority shall refer the appeal to that committee;

WHEREAS, the Council of the Clear Hills County, in the Province of Alberta desires to establish a Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Clear Hills County, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

1. THAT, a Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee for the Clear Hills County shall be established.
2. THAT, the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee will be an independent committee that shall consist of three members at large, one Council member, and one alternate Council member, each of whom shall be appointed to the Weed Control Appeal Committee at the annual organizational meeting of Council.
 - 2.a. Council may, by agreement form a Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee with another municipality.
3. THAT, the Chairman of the committee will be the Council member.
4. THAT, the duration of the term of the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee will be four years, coinciding with the election of Council, unless otherwise indicated in a Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee agreement with another municipality;
5. THAT, remuneration shall be paid to members of the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee at the rates established by Council at the time of their appointment to the Weed Control Appeal Committee.
6. THAT, the chief elected official may appoint a person as an acting member of the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee if any member

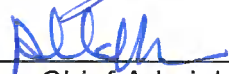
or alternate member is unable for any reason to attend a hearing of the committee.

7. THAT, three members of the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee shall constitute a quorum.
8. THAT, a decision of a majority of the members of the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee is the decision of the Weed Control Appeal Committee.
9. THAT, the Weed and Pest Control Appeal Committee shall be governed by the Weed Control Act.
10. Bylaw 182-14 be repealed upon effective date of Bylaw 188-14.
11. THAT, this bylaw shall come into full force and effect on the date of final reading hereof

READ for a FIRST time this day of _____, 2014.

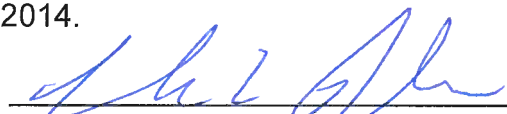


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Allan Rowe, Chief Administrative Officer

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READ for a THIRD time this day of _____, 2014.



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