Bylaw 730-10

A BYLAW OF BRAZEAU COUNTY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO DESIGNATE WILD CARAWAY (Carum Carvil) AS A PROHIBITED NOXIOUS WEED WITHIN BRAZEAU COUNTY, PURSUANT TO THE PROVINCIAL WEED CONTROL ACT (Statutes of Alberta 2008, Chapter W-5-1).

WHEREAS Brazeau County has discovered Wild Caraway (Carum Carvil) on lands within our municipality;

WHEREAS Wild Caraway (Carum Carvil) has not been declared a noxious nor a prohibited noxious weed pursuant to the Weed Control Act (Statues of Alberta 2008, Chapter W-5-1) as some regions have grown Caraway as a production crop. Wild Caraway has not been grown as a production crop with in Brazeau Country and this plant has the ability to be very invasive and damaging to native and improved pastures, as well as damaging to the understory in forest vegetation;

WHEREAS Brazeau County sees it beneficial to the agriculture industry, to control Wild Caraway (Carum Carvil) and restrict the spreading of this invasive weed;

WHEREAS declaring Wild Caraway (*Carum Carvil*) as a Prohibited Noxious Weed within the municipality, would assist Brazeau County in its control efforts on private and public lands;

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to the Appendix of the *Weed Control Act* and *Weed Control Regulations* Part 2 Designation of Weeds, Municipal designation of the Weed Control Act, 9(1) – The local authority of a municipality may designate a plant as a noxious weed or prohibited noxious weed within the municipal bylaw, the Council OF Brazeau County duly assembled, do hereby order:

1. That Wild Caraway (*Carum Carvil*) is declared a Prohibited Noxious Weed within Brazeau County.

Upon the passing of this bylaw, Bylaw 421-2002 is repealed.

READ a first time this 31st day of August, A.D. 2010

READ a second time this <u>31st</u> day of <u>August</u>, A.D., 2010

Reeve

Chief Administrative Officer

Approved this 8 day of 0 4 , 2010

Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Development

READ a third time and finally passed this <u>2nd</u> day of <u>November</u>, A.D., 2010.

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Chief Administrative Officer