

BY-LAW NUMBER 2002/40

BY-LAW NO. 2002/40 is a by-law of the County of Wetaskiwin No. 10 in the Province of Alberta, for the purpose of amending By-law 81/11 which imposes a penalty on all current taxes September 1st if not paid by August 31st each year and By-law 91/28 which imposes a penalty on all unpaid taxes on the 1st day of January of the succeeding year and in each succeeding year the taxes remain unpaid.

WHEREAS: the existence of drought conditions over the past several years in central Alberta has had a devastating effect on the agricultural industry.

AND WHEREAS: this year's continuing drought is having catastrophic consequence both on the livestock and crop and foliage producers within the County of Wetaskiwin No. 10.

AND WHEREAS: subsequent to the drought conditions Council is desirous of reducing the financial burden on the agricultural industry by reducing the penalty on current and unpaid taxes.

WHEREAS: Section 191 of the Municipal Government Act, 1994, Chapter M-26.1, allows for the amendment of by-laws.

NOW THEREFORE: the Council of the County of Wetaskiwin No. 10, duly assembled, hereby enacts the following amendments to By-law 81/11 and 91/28:

1. By-law 81/11, replace the 12% penalty amount with a 6% penalty.
2. By-law 91/28, replace the 14% penalty with a 7% penalty.
3. This by-law comes into effect on the date of third reading.

READ: A First time this 8th day of August, A.D., 2002.

READ: A Second time this 8th day of August, A.D., 2002.

READ: A Third time and finally passed this 8th day of August, A.D., 2002.