# BYLAW NO. 2020-3

# A Bylaw of the Town of Lampman, in the Province of Saskatchewan, to provide for the entering into an agreement to provide Mutual Aid Fire/Disaster Services with neighboring municipalities.

The Council of the Town of Lampman, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

1. The Town of Lampman is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the Councils of:

Rural Municipality of Argyle #1
Rural Municipality of Mount Pleasant #2
Rural Municipality of Enniskillen #3
Rural Municipality of Storthoaks #31
Rural Municipality of Reciprocity #32
Rural Municipality of Moose Creek #33
Rural Municipality of Browning #34

Village of Gainsborough
Village of Carievale
Village of Storthoaks
Village of Glen Ewen
Village of Alida
Town of Carnduff
Town of Alameda
Town of Oxbow
Town of Lampman
City of Portal, North Dakota, USA
City of Sherwood, North Dakota, USA

The terms of which are attached hereto and marked Exhibit "A", for the purpose of establishing a mutual inter-municipal fire/disaster services protocol.

- 2. The Mayor and Administrator of the Town of Lampman are hereby authorized to sign and execute the agreement, the terms of which are set out in Exhibit "A" here before referred to.
- 3. This bylaw shall come into effect and take force upon final passing thereof.

INTRODUCED AND READ A FIRST TIME THIS 14TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2020.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 14<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2020.

READ A THIRD AND FINAL TIME ON THE UNANIMOUS CONSENT OF THE COUNCIL PRESENT THIS 14<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2020.

OF LAMINO SASKAT GLEWAN &

Mayor

#### "Exhibit A"

#### Between:

Rural Municipality of Argyle #1
Rural Municipality of Mount Pleasant #2
Rural Municipality of Enniskillen #3
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### This Agreement witnesseth as follows:

- That each of the parties whose Mayor, in the case of urban municipality, or Reeve in the
  case of a rural municipality, and Administrator, in the case of a Canadian municipality, or
  City Auditor, in the case of an American municipality, sign this agreement and affix their seal
  agree to form a Mutual Aid area. Once the seal and signatures are affixed to this agreement,
  a Mutual Aid area is deemed to be formed between the signatory parties regardless of
  whether all parties have signed.
- That the parties understand this agreement is for Mutual Aid purposes and only exists with relation to the operations of the respective municipal fire departments for fire and rescue service assistance;
- That each party to the agreement will assist any other party to the agreement in the event that more resources are required responding to an emergency event. The parties of this agreement mutually acknowledge that each may not in all cases be able to respond with sufficient resources;
- 4. That the objectives of the mutual aid area are as follows:
  - To provide a unified, effective area of coverage that encompasses each of the party's respective jurisdictions to lend reciprocal assistance, expertise, and equipment for fire and rescue services;
  - b) To meet at least annually to prepare an up-to-date list of the available resources in each community, inclusive of equipment and manpower services;
  - c) To, inasmuch as is possible, plan and participate jointly in training opportunities delivered within the mutual aid area;
- 5. The Fire Chief, or designate, is authorized to request assistance;

- In the event that a fire department determines that assistance is required, the Fire Chief, or designate of the requesting party will request assistance from the Fire Chief or designate of the assisting party;
- 7. The assisting party shall, unless command is transferred at the scene, provide assistance under the direction of the Fire Chief, or designate, of the requesting party;
- 8. In the event that the assisting party is the only party at the scene, the assisting party shall provide emergency services in accordance with the policies and operating procedures of the assisting party;
- The Fire Chief, or designate, of the assisting party has the unfettered discretion to not provide assistance when requested and may or may not choose to state the reasons;
- 10. The assisting party shall charge fees for the provision of fire and rescue services in accordance with the rates in the "Fee Schedule", attached to and forming part of this agreement, which may be by mutual agreement of all parties revised from time to time;
- 11. The parties each covenant and agree that they shall carry insurance covering their respective equipment and comprehensive general liability insurance to commercially reasonable rates;
- 12. That this agreement shall be continuous; however, any party to the agreement may withdraw from the agreement by giving each other party to the agreement (60) days' notice, in writing, of each withdrawal.
- 13. The parties expressly covenant and agree that the requesting party shall in respect of third-party claims of any nature arising from the provision of fire and rescue services by the assisting party under this agreement, indemnify and hold harmless and keep indemnified and held harmless the assisting party from all loss costs, claims expense, demands, claims, actions and causes of action asserted by any third parties and in any way arising from performance or non-performance under this agreement by the assisting party. The within covenants of indemnity shall survive the termination of this agreement with respect to any cause of action arising during the currency hereof.

Rural Municipality of Argyle #1

Reeve McMoDo

**Rural Municipality of Mount Pleasant #2** 



Mul Bayloke
Reeve Hammell

**Rural Municipality of Enniskillen #3** 

Jen Well

Hamel Baulitt

Rural Municipality of Storthoaks #31



Reeve - Brian Chicoine

School Herrion
Administrator – Elissa Henrion

**Rural Municipality of Reciprocity #32** 

Reeve Cutter

Rural Municipality of Moose Creek #33

Reeve

Rural Municipality of Browning #34



Reeve

Village of Gainsborough

OF GAINGROUP CANADA OF CAN Mayor

Village of Storthoaks

OF STOR (INCORPORATED) MAJCHEN S

Mayor Chicago

Sisele Bouchard

Administrator

Village of Carievale

Mayor P. Wely
Administrator



Village of Glen Ewen



Mayor - Deputy

Village of Alida

Town of Carnduff





Mayor Michelle New ham

**Town of Oxbow** 

Mayor OXDOW Administrator 2000 OXDOW

Town of Lampman

OF LAMBON

SASKATCHEWAN

Mayor

## Mutual Aid "Fee Schedule"

- 1. The cost of fire prevention, suppression, and emergency response services shall be:
  - a. Billed at a rate of \$750 per hour
  - b. Billed for any and all consumables used at the site at cost;
  - c. Billed for any and all subcontractors used at the site at cost;
  - d. Billed directly to the municipality that established the assisting party.