

BY-LAW NO.143
THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF ARGENTIA BEACH

BEING A BY-LAW OF THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF ARGENTIA BEACH TO PROVIDE FOR THE
REGULATION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WITHIN THE AMBULANCE ZONE 2
AREA

WHEREAS the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 1994, Chapter M-26.1, and amendments thereto provides that a municipal council of a municipality may pass by-laws to provide for an ambulance service in the municipality, and

WHEREAS the Summer Village of Argentia Beach entered into an agreement with the Wetaskiwin Ambulance Authority for the provision of emergency medical services with the County of Wetaskiwin Zone 2 Ambulance Area by By-Law, and

WHEREAS the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A., 1994, Chapter M-26.1 and amendments thereto, provides that a municipal council may pass a by-law prohibiting any other person from providing a public ambulance service, unless so authorized by council;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Council of the Summer Village of Argentia Beach in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. All equipment used for emergency medical services within the Zone 2 boundaries shall be provided and operated in accordance with the legislation and regulations of the Province of Alberta and any additional terms contained in any Agreement entered into between the Summer Village of Argentia Beach or the Wetaskiwin Ambulance Authority and the operator, Wetaskiwin Emergency Medical Services.

2.(a) Except as otherwise provided herein, the licensed ambulance operator as described in Section 1 of this By-Law has commenced to provide emergency medical services, and the County of Wetaskiwin No.10 has so notified other licensed ambulance operators, no other person shall operate a commercial ambulance service within the designated Ambulance Zone 2 Area; being from 1/2 mile west of S.H.795 west to the end of Range 3 of the County of Wetaskiwin No.10; as shown on attached Schedule "A"

(b) The Crown in the Right of Canada or of the Province of Alberta may operate a commercial ambulance notwithstanding the provisions of the Section.

3. This By-Law does not apply to:

(a) A private ambulance used exclusively by employees of the owner or operator of the ambulance.

(b) A transfer ambulance or ambulances owned or contracted by a hospital district, hospitals or nursing homes.

4. This By-Law shall not be read so as to prohibit an emergency medical service located outside the Zone 2 Ambulance Area from bringing persons to any location within the County of Wetaskiwin No.10.

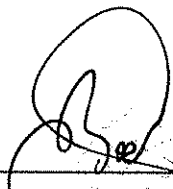
5. A person who contravenes any provisions of this By-Law is guilty of an offence and is liable upon prosecution to a fine of \$2,500.00. A person convicted of an offence under this By-Law shall not be subject to imprisonment.

6. This By-Law shall come into force and effect upon the date of the passing of third and final reading thereof.

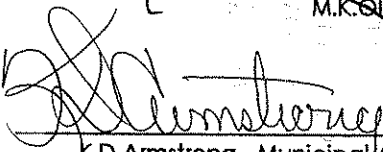
READ a first time this 9th day of January, 1996.

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READ a third time and finally passed this 9th day
of January, 1996.



M.K. Olsen - Mayor



K.D. Armstrong - Municipal Administrator