

BYLAW NO. 19-09

**A BYLAW OF THE COUNTY OF VERMILION RIVER IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA
TO AMEND THE NUISANCE AND UNSIGHTLY PREMISES BYLAW NO. 14-14**

WHEREAS the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000, Chapter M-26.1, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time, grants the County of Vermilion River the authority to amend bylaws for municipal purposes including providing for the safety, health, and welfare of people, and the regulation and prevention of Nuisances, including Noise and Unsightly and Dangerous Premises;

AND WHEREAS the County of Vermilion River deems it necessary to amend the Nuisance and Unsightly Bylaw No. 14-14 to comply with the Weed Control Act, R.S.A. 2008, c. W-5.1 as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the County of Vermilion River, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. That Bylaw No. 14-14, being the Nuisance and Unsightly Premises Bylaw of the County of Vermilion River, is hereby amended as follows:
 - a) Section 2.13 is amended to reflect the change in the *Alberta Weed Control Act Regulation* to read "Alberta Regulation 19/2010".
 - b) Section 2.15 definition of "Nuisance Weed" is to read "Nuisance Weed means a nuisance weed as described in Schedule E.
 - c) Section 2.25 definition of "Restricted Weed" is to read "Restricted Weed means a nuisance weed as described in Schedule E.
 - d) Section 2.30 is amended to reflect the change in the *Alberta Weed Control Act Regulation* to read "Alberta Regulation 19/2010".
 - e) Section 10.1 is amended to read "This Bylaw shall only apply to property located in hamlets and multi-lot subdivisions, and zoned as country residential, industrial and commercial in the Land Use Bylaw in force at the time".
 - f) The addition of "Schedule E" attached hereto which defines "Nuisance Weed" and "Restricted Weed"

SHOULD any provision of this Bylaw be determined to be invalid, then such provisions shall be severed and the remaining bylaw shall be maintained.

THIS Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon receiving third and final reading and having been signed by the Reeve and Chief Administrative Officer.

Read a first time this 30 day of April, 2019

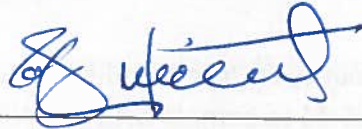
READ A SECOND TIME THIS 11 DAY OF June, 2019.

READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 11 DAY OF June, 2019.

SIGNED by the Reeve and Chief Administrative Officer this 18 day of June, 2019.



REEVE



CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

SCHEDULE "E"

1. The following plants are defined as "Nuisance Weeds" in the County of Vermilion River:

- a) Dalmatian toadflax – *Linaria dalmtica*
- b) Wild Radish – *Raphanus raphanistrum*
- c) Creeping bellflower – *Campanula rapunculoides*
- d) Hedge bindweed – *Convolvulus sepium*
- e) Bluebur – *Lappula echinata*
- f) Downy brome – *Bromus tectorum*
- g) Tartary buckwheat – *Fagopyrum tataricum*
- h) Wild buchwheat – *Polygonum convolvulus*
- i) Biennial campion – *Silene cserei*
- j) Night-flowering catchfly – *Silene noctiflora*
- k) Common chickweed – *Stellaria media*
- l) Field chickweed – *Cerastium arvense*
- m) Mouse-eared chickweed – *Cerastium vulgatum*
- n) Rough cinquefoil – *Potentilla norvegica*
- o) Cow cockle – *Saponaria vaccaria*
- p) Flixweed – *Descurainia sophia*
- q) Green foxtail – *Setaria viridis*
- r) Quack grass – *Agropyron repens*
- s) Narrow-leaved hawk's-beard – *Crepis tectorum*
- t) Hemp nettle – *Galeopsis tetrahit*
- u) Henbit – *Lamium amplexicaule*
- v) Lady's thumb – *Polygonum persicaria*
- w) Round-leaved mallow – *Malva rotundifolia*
- x) Ball mustard – *Neslia paniculata*
- y) Dog mustard – *Erucastrum gallicum*
- z) Green tansy mustard – *Descurainia pinnata*
- aa) Wild mustard – *Sinapis arvensis*
- bb) Wormseed mustard – *Erysimum cheiranthoides*
- cc) Wild oats – *Avena fatua*
- dd) Redroot pigweed – *Amaranthus retroflexus*
- ee) Shepherd's purse – *Capsella bursa-pastoris*
- ff) Annual sow thistle – *Sonchus oleraceus*
- gg) Corn spurry – *Spergula arvensis*
- hh) Stinkweed – *Thlaspi arvense*
- ii) Russian thistle – *Salsola pestifer*
- jj) Dandelion – *Taraxacum officinale*

2. The following plants are defines as "Restricted Weeds" in the County of Vermilion River:

- a) Red bartsia – *Odontites serotina*

- b) Diffuse knapweed – *Centaurea diffusa*
- c) Spotted knapweed – *Centaurea maculosa*
- d) Nodding thistle – *Carduus nutans*
- e) Eurasian water milfoil – *Myriophyllum spicatum*
- f) Dodder – *Cuscuta* spp.
- g) Yellow star-thistle – *Centaurea solstitialis*