

Rural Municipality of Heart's Hill No. 352

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4.8 ROAD MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS

DEFINITION:

POLICY:

The Municipality may enter into Road Maintenance Agreements with haulers. Road Maintenance Agreements will be required if Council feels a significant quantity of goods are to be transported and there is the potential of damage and degradation to Municipal roads.

The hauler will be required to pay compensation for Road Maintenance and compensation for Capital Road Loss as per rates in the Municipalities Act Regulations.

The hauler may also be responsible for dust control. The terms of dust control shall be part of and negotiated within the Agreement.

If the hauler is transporting gravel from a pit located within the Municipality, excavation fees as per the Municipalities Act Regulations rates will also be applied.

RATIONALE:

Bulk haulers entering the Municipality should be respectful of the Municipality's infrastructure. The Municipal infrastructure enables the hauler to generate revenue, therefore compensating the Municipality for usage of infrastructure is warranted.

Through the creating of Road Maintenance Agreements the Municipality is also able to stipulate a specific route, timeframe, provision for dust control and other conditions that maybe applicable.

Road Maintenance Agreement Templates are available on the Publications Saskatchewan website.

AUTHORITY:

Bylaw 3/20: License the Excavation of Gravel from Gravel Pits

The Municipalities Act: 22

The Municipalities Act Regulations: 8.1, 12, 13