

# The SUMMER VILLAGE of Sandy Beach

## PROVINCE of ALBERTA



### Bylaw No. 08-2020

#### BEING A BYLAW OF THE SUMMER VILLAGE of SANDY BEACH IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO REGULATE PEDESTRIAN AND VEHICULAR TRAFFIC WITHIN THE CORPORATE BOUNDARIES OF THE SUMMER VILLAGE of SANDY BEACH

**WHEREAS** The Municipal Government Act, Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26, as amended from time to time, AND the *Traffic Safety Act*, Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter T-6, as amended from time to time, empower Municipal Councils to enact Bylaws which are not inconsistent with those ACTS, and

**WHEREAS** the Municipal Council of the Summer Village of Sandy Beach deems it appropriate and expedient to consolidate Municipal Bylaws of the Summer Village of Sandy Beach regulating Pedestrian and Vehicular Traffic into one document.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Municipal Council of the Summer Village of Sandy Beach hereby enacts a Bylaw to regulate Pedestrian and Vehicular Traffic in the Summer Village of Sandy Beach as follows:

**TITLE:** This Bylaw may be cited and known as "The Traffic Bylaw".

#### **SECTION ONE - INTERPRETATIONS**

Except wherein this Bylaw, or in a context otherwise required in this Bylaw, terms defined shall have the meaning as setout and/or as contained in the legislation referenced (as enacted by Province of Alberta and amended from time to time):

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| 1. Alley                     | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 2. Approved Helmet           | a safety helmet that is approved under the current <i>Vehicle Equipment Regulation</i> ;  |
| 3. Boulevard                 | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 4. Bylaw                     | a Village Bylaw, including any amendments thereto;  |
| 5. Bylaw Enforcement Officer | a Community Peace Officer, Sheriff, Public Officer, RCMP Member or a Village Employee or contractor delegated with the authority to enforce Bylaws of this Village; |
| 6. Carrier                   | any Vehicle that is transporting any amount of Dangerous Goods into, through or out of the Village;   |
| 7. Centre Line               | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 8. Commercial Vehicle        | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 9. Community Peace Officer   | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 10. Council                  | the Council of the Summer Village of Sandy Beach;   |
| 11. Crossing                 | a Curb, Sidewalk or Boulevard crossing constructed for the purpose of Vehicle access;   |
| 12. Crosswalk                | as defined in the current <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 13. Curb                     | the actual Curb if there is one or the division point between that portion of the Highway intended for the use of Vehicles and that portion occupied by a Sidewalk; |
| 14. Cycle                    | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 15. Dangerous Goods          | as defined in the current <i>Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act</i> ;  |
| 16. Driver                   | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 17. Emergency Access         | a route or lane so designated to provide Emergency Vehicles with unencumbered access to adjacent or nearby areas;   |
| 18. Emergency Vehicle        | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |

19. Funeral Procession a group of Vehicles, the occupants of which are gathered to attend funeral services, that is likely to block, obstruct, impede, hinder or otherwise interfere with Pedestrian or vehicular traffic on the Highway;
20. Highway as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
21. Heavy Vehicle a vehicle (with or without a load) weighing 4537 kgs or more or exceeding 11 meters in length, or a vehicle with a trailer (with or without a load) weighing 4537 kgs or more or exceeding 11 meters in total length, or a bus with a designated seating capacity of more than ten (10). Heavy vehicles do not include recreational vehicles;
22. Implements of Husbandry a vehicle designed and adapted exclusively for agricultural, horticultural, or livestock raising operations;
23. Inoperable Vehicle a Vehicle that, in the opinion of a Bylaw Enforcement Officer, is incapable of moving without repair;
24. Intersection the area embraced within the prolongation or connection of the lateral Curb lines, if there are not any lateral Curb lines, the exterior edges of the roadways, or if 2 or more Highways, which join one another at an angle whether or not, one Highway crosses the other;
25. Land Use Bylaw the *Summer Village of Sandy Beach Land Use Bylaw, as amended from time to time as deemed necessary*;
26. Loading Zone a portion of a Highway adjacent to the Curb designated for the exclusive use of Vehicles loading or unloading passengers or materials;
27. Mobile Home a structure, whether ordinarily equipped with wheels or not, that is constructed or manufactured to be moved from one point to another, and is intended to be occupied by one or more Persons, but does not include a holiday Trailer or a Recreational Vehicle when the holiday Trailer or Recreational Vehicle is being used for bona fide recreational purposes;
28. Mobility Aid as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
29. Motor Vehicle as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
30. Municipality the Summer Village of Sandy Beach;
31. Obstruction an encroachment, excavation, structure or other obstacle, including a tree, shrub or hedge, that interferes with or prevents the vision, passage, maintenance or use of Public Places by Vehicles or Pedestrians;
32. Off-Highway Vehicle as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
33. Operator a Person who drives a Vehicle or operates equipment as the Owner thereof, or as an agent, employee or servant of the Owner;
34. Operator License as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
35. Owner as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
36. Park as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
37. Parking Stall a portion of the street or designated area indicated by marking space or lines or signs;
38. Parkland recreational areas owned or controlled by the village, whether improved or in a natural state and shall include beautification areas and other areas maintained by the village;
39. Pedestrian as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
40. Permit as defined in the *Traffic Safety Act*;
41. Permitted area any area outside of village limits where an off highway vehicle may be legally operated;
42. Playground Zone that portion of a Highway identified as a playground zone by a traffic control device or sign;
43. Recreational Vehicle a boat or a vehicle that provides temporary

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|                            | accommodation for recreation or travel purposes and includes, but is not limited to, campers, tent trailers, travel trailers, fifth wheel trailers and motor homes; |
| 44. Roadway                | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 45. Road Maintenance       | shall include, but not be limited to, repairs to the road, curb, sidewalk or infrastructure and shall include snow removal and street cleaning                      |
| 46. School Zone            | that portion of a Highway identified as a school zone by a traffic control device or sign;  |
| 47. Self-propelled         | containing a motor and own means of propulsion, not requiring a vehicle to pull it to be mobile, i.e. motorhomes, camper vans;                                      |
| 48. Trailer                | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ,   |
| 49. Traffic Control Device | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 50. Vehicle                | as defined in the <i>Traffic Safety Act</i> ;   |
| 51. Violation Ticket       | a violation ticket issued in accordance with the current <i>Provincial Offences Procedure Act and as sited for offences of contravening this Bylaw</i> ;            |

## **SECTION TWO - AUTHORITIES**

### **AUTHORITY of COUNCIL**

- 201 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Bylaw, Council may by resolution prescribe where traffic signs for controlling and regulating traffic in public places are to be located.
- 202 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Bylaw, Council may by resolution prescribe a Highway as one to be divided into traffic lanes.

### **AUTHORITY of CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER**

#### **General**

- 203 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby delegated the authority to manage the operations of pedestrian and vehicular traffic within the Summer Village of Sandy Beach not inconsistent with this Bylaw, the *Traffic Safety Act* and other applicable government legislation and designate any duties or responsibilities therein as and when required including the enforcement of this Bylaw.

#### **Crosswalks**

- 204 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate Crosswalks upon any Roadway and cause to mark the same.

#### **Turns**

- 205 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate a Highway intersection or other place on a Highway as a place at which no left-hand turn or no right-hand turn or both shall be made, and shall cause the place to be signed, barricaded or otherwise restricted.
- 206 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any intersection or place on a Highway, including a place where a railway right-of-way crosses a Highway, as a place where U-turns are prohibited and shall cause such intersections or places to be marked. U turns shall otherwise be regulated by the *Traffic Safety Act - Use of Highway and Rules of the Road Regulation*.
- 207 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any Highway as one, which is closed in whole or in part to traffic, and shall cause such Highway to be marked.

#### **Parking**

- 208 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate distances from any intersection with which no parking is permitted and may cause Traffic Control Devices to be erected or

- 209 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate portions of a Highway where parking is limited to a period of time and shall cause Traffic Control Devices to be erected indicating such parking limitations.
- 210 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate parking stalls or sites on any Highway and to cause the same to be marked.
- 211 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any day or days, or parts thereof, in which parking meters will be inoperative.

#### **Traffic Control Devices**

- 212 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby delegated the authority to authorize the placing, marking, or erecting of Traffic Control Devices at any location considered necessary for controlling Highways subject to its direct, control and management in accordance to *Section 110 of the Traffic Safety Act*.

#### **Private Driveway Prohibition Signs**

- 213 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to prohibit or restrict the movement of Vehicles from a private driveway by Traffic Control Devices where such prohibition or restriction is deemed advisable in the public interest and for better regulation of traffic.
- 214 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to temporarily close any existing median or divider opening on any Municipal Highway.

#### **Snow Clearing - Street Cleaning - Road Maintenance**

- 215 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to cause Traffic Control Devices to be placed regulating parking on Highways, public parking areas or Alleys within the Summer Village limits as follows:
- a) No parking between (specified time) and (specified time), OR
  - b) "No Parking - Emergency" or "No Parking - Snow Removal" or "No Parking - Street Cleaning" or "No Parking - Road Maintenance" or No Parking for a specified time
  - c) "No Parking - Snow Removal" or "No Parking - Street Cleaning" or "No Parking - Road Maintenance" signs must be placed a minimum of 24 hours prior to Snow Removal, Street Cleaning or Road Maintenance.

Any vehicle that is on a roadway when this Section is put into effect shall be removed promptly by the owner or operator of the vehicle.

The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to move or impound vehicles from Highways, public parking areas and Alleys at the owner's expense when any vehicle is found parked in contravention of this Section or after signage placed indicating "No Parking - Snow Removal" or "No Parking - Street Cleaning" or "No Parking - Road Maintenance" has been in place for more than 24 hours.

The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to move vehicles from Highways, public parking areas and Alleys at the Village's expense in the case of an emergency if required.

#### **School Zones/Playground Zones**

- 217 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate "School Zones" and "Playground Zones" by marking such zones with Traffic Control Devices.

#### **Overarching Authority**

- 218 Notwithstanding anything in this Bylaw, no person shall
- a) Act in contravention of the directions of a Bylaw Enforcement Officer while acting in the course of his or her employment duties;

- b) Obstruct the Bylaw Enforcement Officer while carrying out their duties in relation to investigating or enforcing any Municipal Bylaw and/or other government legislation.

### **SECTION THREE - SPEED**

301 In accordance with the *Traffic Safety Act*, and amendments thereto, which provide that a municipal government may, by Bylaw, establish speed limits on Highways, Roadways, school zones and playgrounds; thereby,

Unless otherwise posted by an approved Traffic Control Device, no person shall drive a vehicle at a speed in excess of 40 kilometers per hour on any Highway within the Village with the exception of the following:

- a) Playground and school zones shall be restricted to 30 kilometers per hour at all times.

### **SECTION FOUR - PARKING**

401 All vehicles parking within the municipal boundaries including any section of Highway 642 shall be in accordance to the Traffic Control Devices posted and/or as indicated at the parking stall.

402 Unless required or permitted by a Traffic Control Device, this Bylaw, the *Traffic Safety Act*, in compliance with the direction of a Bylaw Enforcement Officer or to avoid conflict with other traffic, a driver shall not stop, park, or leave a Vehicle:

- a) on a sidewalk or boulevard;
- b) in any area marked with a yellow curb
- c) on a Crosswalk or any part of a Crosswalk;
- d) between signs (specified time) and (specified time) or between "no parking" signs marked with arrows indicating no parking between signs,
- e) within 5 (five) meters of the approach to any "STOP" sign or "YIELD" sign or as marked by a yellow curb;
- f) within 5 (five) meters of any fire hydrant, or when the hydrant is not located at the curb, within 5 (five) meters of the point on the curb nearest the hydrant;
- g) within 1.5 meters from an access to a garage, private road or driveway or a vehicle crossway over a sidewalk;
- h) within 5 (five) meters from the nearest side of a marked Crosswalk;
- i) alongside or opposite any Highway excavation or obstruction when stopping or parking would obstruct traffic;
- j) on any bridge or on the approaches to a bridge;
- k) on any portion of a Roadway marked as an Emergency Access Route or fire lane;
- l) on the Roadway side of a Vehicle parked or stopped at the Curb or edge of the Roadway;
- m) such that the Vehicle impedes or obstructs the orderly flow of Vehicle or Pedestrian traffic;
- n) at any place for a time longer than that stated on Traffic Control Devices providing for parking for a specified time;
- o) on wrong side of a Roadway against the flow of traffic;
- p) in a Roadway maintenance or construction area unless the Vehicle is employed in the maintenance or construction work;
- q) where any Vehicle may interfere with the use of a doorway intended as a fire or emergency exit from any building abutting the Highway;
- r) such that the Vehicle obstructs access to the entrance way of a fire hall or other emergency service station;
- s) upon Parkland, or land designated by a public authority other than the Village, as park or reserve land;
- t) on private land which has been clearly marked by a Traffic Control Device directed by the owner/tenant/agent, unless in charge of the private land;

- u) In any place where a Traffic Control Device indicates that parking or stopping is prohibited or restricted during the period in which the vehicle is parked or stopped.
- v) Where a sign, blue curb painting or pavement painting indicates that it is for the exclusive use of persons with disabilities who display on their vehicles a handicap placard or license plate that is issued or recognized by Province of Alberta.
- w) in such manner as to obstruct the access to or exit from any hall, arena or other building being used for public gatherings;
- x) in such manner as to interfere with the proper operation of any Vehicle used by the Fire Department or other department of the Village;
- y) on any land owned by the Village unless designated as a Parking stall or with Traffic Control Device
- z) on any land owned by the Village and designated as reserved parking for Village vehicles
  - aa) unattended on a roadway if the vehicle has been placed on a jack or a similar device and:
    - (a) one or more wheels have been removed from the vehicle or part of the vehicle is raised.
    - bb) with no license plates or with expired license plates parked on a highway, roadway or alley within the Village
    - cc) parked in a laneway or alley
    - dd) which is inoperable parked on a highway, street, roadway, alley or laneway
    - ee) abandoned on a public or private property without the express or implied consent of the owner or person in lawful possession or control of the property. A vehicle left standing for more than 72 consecutive hours shall be deemed to have been abandoned at that location. Where the abandonment or obstruction is unavoidable due to mechanical failure the operator will not be in breach of this section provided they promptly takes measure to remove the faulty vehicle

- 403 A Bylaw Enforcement Officer may cause any vehicle parked contrary to Section 4 of this bylaw to be removed and to be impounded at the owner's expense in a compound maintained by the Village, an agent of the Village for this purpose or at a commercial towing and storage lot. The owner of said vehicle shall be required to pay, in addition to the fine, all towing and storage fees before his vehicle is recovered.
- 404 No person shall place or leave on, cross, or above any part of a Highway, sidewalk, boulevard, or any other Village property, a cord or cable that may transmit electrical energy from a private property to any part of aforementioned property where a vehicle may park.
- 405 No person shall drive, park, or stop any vehicle upon any Highway in such a manner as to block, obstruct, impede or hinder traffic thereon. Where the obstruction is unavoidable due to mechanical failure of the vehicle, the operator will not be in breach of this section provided the operator promptly takes measures to clear the vehicle from the Highway.
- 406 Where a vehicle parking space is marked or designated upon a Highway, every driver of a vehicle using the same shall park such vehicle wholly within the limits of the space.
- 407 No person shall park in any truck loading or unloading space properly marked by a Traffic Control Device indicating the restrictions which apply thereto except a commercial vehicle lawfully engaged in loading or unloading merchandise.
- 408 That the vehicle concerned in such loading or unloading passengers or goods does not so obstruct the lane or highway as to prevent other vehicles or persons from passing along such lanes while the loading or unloading of passengers is taking place.
- 409 No person shall park any Trailer or Recreational Vehicle upon any highway unless the said Trailer or Recreational Vehicle is self-propelled or attached to a vehicle by which it may be propelled or drawn.
- 410 Self-propelled recreational vehicles and trailers or recreational vehicles which are attached to a vehicle by which it may be propelled or drawn may be parked on village highways from May 1 through September 30 for no more than 96 continuous hours between October 1<sup>st</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup> they must be removed from all highways within the village. For the purpose of this

bylaw, a trailer or recreation vehicle shall be deemed to be continuously parked in a location unless it has been moved at least one block from that location or off the highway for a minimum of seven days.

- 411 No person shall occupy any recreational vehicle or trailer as a dwelling or sleeping place at any time while it is parked on a highway, alley or in a public parking area unless that area is designated for such use.
- 412 at no time shall a trailer or recreational vehicle be parked on a highway within the village with slides out or steps out as to impede use of the sidewalk or highway.

#### **Temporary No Parking Notification**

- 413 Notwithstanding any other provisions in this Bylaw the designated employee may cause movable signs to be placed on or near a roadway to notify the public of road repair, emergency utility repair or maintenance, pending snow removal, pending street cleaning, or other emergent public works matters.
- 414 No person shall park a vehicle, or permit a vehicle to be parked on a Highway that has been declared banned from parking by the Village Administrator or their designate and is in effect until portable notification signs are removed.
- 415 All vehicles disregarding this notification and violating the ban in effect by parking where prohibited may be subject to immediate removal of the vehicle at the expense of the registered owner of said vehicle.

#### **SECTION FIVE - PARADES AND PROCESSIONS**

- 501 Any person, community group or organization desiring to hold a parade or procession within the Summer Village of Sandy Beach shall complete and submit an application for approval to the office at least forty eight (48) hours prior to the time of the event for approval.
- 502 The Summer Village of Sandy Beach approves the following: in accordance to Section 113.2.b of the *Traffic Safety Act*, and amendments thereto, provide a Municipal Council the authority to pass a Bylaw to permit a vehicle, in a funeral procession, during daylight hours, other than the lead car, to enter an intersection without stopping if its headlights are on and if the vehicle is immediately behind the vehicle in front of it to form a continuous line and the passage into the intersection can be made in safety. Other vehicle operators shall make every effort to not interfere or interrupt a funeral procession.

#### **SECTION SIX - PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC**

- 601 Sidewalks and boulevards shall be limited to pedestrian traffic only with the exception of
- I. Young children's tricycles or bicycles with a wheel diameter of less than sixteen (16) inches
  - II. Mobility aids including scooters, wheel chairs and walkers used by persons with a disability or reduced mobility
  - III. Temporary approval of permit application from the Village for an event or occasion
- 602 Any event or activity requiring the use of a Highway for the purpose of a race, relay, horse traffic or other similar activity necessitating pedestrians to utilize a Highway for foot traffic requires the approval from the Village at least seven (7) days prior to the scheduled day of the event.
- 603 No pedestrian is permitted to obstruct, impede, impose, annoy, inconvenience or hinder the flow of traffic by hitchhiking, erecting signage, throwing objects or missiles at traffic, pushing another pedestrian on to the Highway, assembling on the Highway, walking on Highway, selling goods from a vehicle parked on the Highway, and other similar prohibited activity without an approved permit from the Village.
- 604 Pedestrians shall cross the Highway where designated and obey the traffic rules.
- 605 The assembly of pedestrians for the purpose of watching a parade, procession, street event, or other similar permitted activity authorized by the Village Administrator or Village Council shall not be considered as a contravention of this Bylaw.

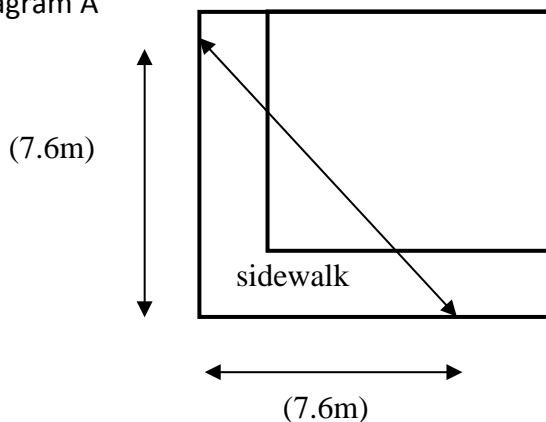
## **SECTION SEVEN - RULES FOR OPERATION OF VEHICLE**

701 All operations of a vehicle shall be in compliance with the Alberta *Traffic Safety Act* and all other applicable government legislation and regulations.

## **SECTION EIGHT - GENERAL PROVISIONS**

801 That nothing shall be erected/placed, planted, or allowed to grow in a manner which may restrict traffic visibility at highway intersections. This restriction applies to any development or vegetation which would materially impede vision in excess of a height of 80 cm (0.8 m) above the sidewalks of the intersecting streets in the area. This restriction includes anything within a triangle drawn 25' (7.6 meters) back of the outside of the curb as shown in diagram 'A' below. Within this restricted area tree branches between 80 cm (0.8 m) and 220 cm (2.2 m) from ground level must be removed to allow visibility

Diagram A



- 802 All residents within the Village shall remove and clear away within 48 hours of accumulations exceeding 4 cm, all snow, ice, dirt or debris, and other obstructions from the sidewalk and gutter adjoining the premises owned or occupied by them
- 803 All persons owning or occupying premises in areas of the business district within the Village shall remove and clear away within 48 hours of accumulations exceeding 4 cm, all snow, ice, dirt or debris, and other obstructions from the sidewalk and gutter adjoining the premises owned or occupied by them.
- 804 Sweeping, shoveling or pushing of snow or any other material from private property on to Municipal Highways is strictly prohibited.
- 805 Piling of snow or any other material on private property within the boundaries shown in Diagram 'A' so as to interfere with good visibility for safe traffic flow is strictly prohibited.

## **SECTION NINE - HEAVY VEHICLE AND HEAVY VEHICLE ROUTES**

- 901 No person shall park a heavy vehicle of any type or any type of construction equipment on any highway, alley or public parking area other than that designated by this bylaw for parking of such vehicles with the only exceptions being:
- commercial vehicles while actually loading or unloading of goods or people or
  - construction equipment that is being used during construction or improvement of property, provided that such equipment is parked adjacent to the property where such work is being done or
  - public utility vehicles while repairing or installing utilities within the village or
  - vehicles owned or in the service of the village or
  - service vehicles in the act of retrieving or repairing vehicles
- 902 Heavy vehicles delivering or collecting goods or people in the Village or working in the village shall take the shortest route from the heavy vehicle route to complete the delivery or work and take the shortest route to return to the heavy vehicle route to exit the Village



No person shall park a heavy vehicle with the engine running for more than 10 minutes total within any area of the Village between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of any day

- 903 No person shall operate or allow to be operated a vehicle within the Village in excess of the weight or size limits established by the government agencies regulating such activity and all required documentation and permits shall be in the possession of the operator who shall provide copies on demand. A 75% road ban shall be in effect within the Village from March 15 to May 30 of each year.
- 904 Any vehicle operator causing damage to the Village roads due to overweight oversized vehicles or by having metal spikes, lugs or cleats projecting from the wheel or tire or having skids, etc. may be required to pay for any damages in addition to the violation ticket fine.
- 905 No person shall operate a motor vehicle hauling explosives without prior approval from the Village and a permit issued.

## **SECTION 10 - OFF HIGHWAY VEHICLES**

- 1001 Off- Highway Vehicle use is permitted in the Village only from the 1<sup>st</sup> of November through to and including the 30th of April unless it is:
- a. being used for snow clearing, or
  - b. being used by municipal employees in the act of maintenance when undertaking work on behalf of the Village
- 1002 When the use of an Off-Highway Vehicle is permitted under Section 1001 of this bylaw the following regulations apply to that use:
- a. No person shall operate an Off Highway vehicle in the summer Village of Sandy Beach except for the purpose of proceeding directly from his/her residence to a permitted area and back to his/her residence by the most direct route possible. If the most direct and shortest route of travel available to the driver is not the safest route, with reasonable care and caution by the safest and most direct route available to the driver.
  - b. In proceeding directly to a permitted area or returning to his/her residence, the operator of an Off-Highway Vehicle shall use the alleys and lanes of the Village only, except as otherwise provided in this bylaw
  - c. Off-Highway Vehicles, when proceeding directly to a permitted area or returning to his/her residence and alleys or lanes are not available, must travel on the right hand side of the road so as to not interfere or impede with the natural flow of traffic
  - d. All Off-Highway Vehicles shall be limited to the driver unless the vehicle is specifically designed to carry a passenger
  - e. Off-Highway Vehicles must not travel at a rate of speed in excess of sixteen (16) km/hr.
  - f. No person shall at any time operate an Off-Highway Vehicle upon any parkland, school grounds or other restricted area within the Village limits
  - g. Without restricting the generality of the foregoing, all off highway vehicles must be licensed and insured.
  - h. The provisions of the Off-Highway Vehicle Regulations and *Traffic Safety Act* shall apply to the operation and use of the Off-Highway Vehicles within the limits of the Village.
  - i. No person shall operate or be a passenger on an Off-Highway Vehicle unless he/she is wearing an approved safety helmet securely attached to his/her head.
  - j. At no point shall an off highway vehicle be driven on a sidewalk or path meant for pedestrian use

## **SECTION ELEVEN - ENFORCEMENT**

- 1101 Any person who contravenes this Traffic Bylaw may be subject to a Provincial Violation Ticket or a Municipal Violation Ticket.
- 1102 Any person who is issued a Municipal Violation Ticket shall be subject to a penalty as listed in Schedule C of this Bylaw
- 1103 Any person who is issued a Provincial Violation Ticket shall be subject to a penalty as listed in the Alberta *Traffic Safety Act*.

**SECTION TWELVE - SEVERANCE**

1201 If any provision herein is found to be invalid for any reason then that provision shall be severed from the remainder of this Bylaw and all other provisions of this Bylaw shall remain valid and enforceable.

**SECTION THIRTEEN - VALIDITY**

- 1301 This Bylaw shall come into force and effect on the final date of passing thereof.
- 1302 Traffic Bylaw 09-2015 and Master Rates and Schedules Bylaw Section 1: Legislative - Traffic Bylaw 09-2015 Appendix A: Enforcement Penalties are hereby rescinded in their entirety upon the Third and Final Reading of this Bylaw

**READ A FIRST TIME IN COUNCIL THIS \_\_\_\_\_**

**READ A SECOND TIME IN COUNCIL THIS \_\_\_\_\_**

**READ A THIRD TIME IN COUNCIL AND FINALLY PASSED THIS \_\_\_\_\_**

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SIGNED BY THE CEO THIS DATE

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CHIEF ELECTED OFFICIAL

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SIGNED BY THE CAO THIS DATE

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CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

# **The Summer Village of Sandy Beach**

## **Traffic Bylaw 08-2020**

### ***Schedule A***

Any person who contravenes the Traffic Bylaw may be subject to a Provincial Violation Ticket or a Municipal Violation Ticket. Any person who is issued a Municipal Violation Ticket shall be subject to a penalty as listed in this Bylaw.

Any person who is issued a Provincial Violation Ticket shall be subject to a penalty as listed in the Alberta Traffic Safety Act or associated regulations including, but not limited to, the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, (Alberta), Vehicle Equipment Regulation (AR 122/2009) the Use of Highway and Rules of the Road Regulation (AR 304/2002), Commercial Vehicle Dimension and Weight Regulation (AR 315/2002), Commercial Vehicle Safety Regulation (AR 121/2009) and amendments thereof

Every person who contravenes the provisions of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable to summary conviction to a penalty as prescribed in this bylaw. A notice or form commonly called an Violation Ticket, may be issued by a Bylaw Enforcement Officer, as defined in this bylaw, to any person alleged to have breached any provision of this bylaw, and the amount specified in this bylaw

A Violation Ticket shall be deemed to be sufficiently served: If served personally on the accused; or if mailed to the address of the registered owner of the property concerned, or the vehicle concerned or to the person concerned;

Except as otherwise provided in this bylaw, a person who is guilty of an offence under this bylaw for which a penalty is not otherwise provided, is liable to a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and in default of payment, is liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six

(6) Months or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six (6) months without the option of a fine.

SECTION NO.	OFFENCE	VIOLATION TICKET PENALTY
218	Failure to act on directions of a Bylaw Enforcement Officer or obstruct a Bylaw Enforcement Officer	\$270 or as per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
301	Speed Limit on Village Roads	As per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
401 –415	Parking	\$68 or as per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
501	Parades	\$100
601-604	Pedestrians	\$68 or as per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations,
701	Rules for Operation	As per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
801-805	General Provisions, Cleaning and Clearing	\$50
901-905	Heavy Vehicles and Heavy Vehicle routes, weights, explosives	\$100 or as per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
1001	Off Highway Vehicles	\$270 or as per the Alberta Traffic Safety Act and associated regulations
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