# **PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE**

# **BYLAW NO. 01-23**

### LEDUC COUNTY

A BYLAW FOR ESTABLISHING THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE AND THAT BYLAW NO. 16-18 BE RESCINDED.

#### **WHEREAS**

pursuant to Sections 145 and 146 of the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26, Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and amendments thereto, the Council of Leduc County may pass a bylaw for the establishment and functions of council committees; and

the Council of Leduc County is desirous of amending the terms of reference for the Public Works Committee and rescind Bylaw No. 16-18.

#### **NOW THEREFORE**

be it resolved that the Council of Leduc County, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

#### 1. Title

1.1 This bylaw may be cited as the "Public Works Committee (PWC)".

### 2. Membership and organization

- 2.1 The Committee shall consist of all seven (7) councillors.
- 2.2 The Committee shall select a chair and vice chair at its first meeting following Council's annual Organizational meeting.
- 2.3 A quorum shall consist of at least four (4) councillors.
- 2.4 The Committee shall follow the rules of order for the conduct of the meetings as established by Council and the meeting requirements as established within the Municipal Government Act.

#### 3. Duties and powers

- 3.1 The duties and powers of the Public Works Committee shall be to:
  - a) act in an advisory capacity to Council relating to the following services:
    - i) road operations;
    - ii) engineering;
    - iii) utilities;
    - iv) waste management; and
    - v) water management, excluding the management of surface water on agricultural lands.
  - b) provide feedback on the development of policies, studies, programs, services, and initiatives; and
  - c) Make recommendations on establishing key performance indicators for service delivery;

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## 4. Administrative support

- 4.1 The director of road operations is responsible for the development and administration of programs under road operation services.
- 4.2 The director of engineering and utilities is responsible for the development and administration of programs under engineering and utilities services.
- 4.3 Clerical and minute taking assistance will be provided by administrative staff within the Road Operations and/or Engineering and Utilities departments.

### 5. Limitations of power

- 5.1 Pursuant to Section 203(1) of the Municipal Government Act, Chapter M-26, 2000, the Public Works Committee shall have the same power as Council, except the Committee does not:
  - a) have the power or duty to pass a bylaw;
  - b) have the power or duty to adopt policy;
  - c) have the power to make, suspend, or revoke the appointment of a person of Chief Administrative Officer;
  - d) have the power to adopt budgets under Part 8 of the Municipal Government Act;
  - e) have the power with respect to taxes under Section 346 of the Municipal Government Act; and
  - f) have a duty to decide appeals imposed on it by this or another enactment or bylaw, whether generally or on a case by case basis unless the delegation is to a Council Committee authorized by bylaw.
- 6. Bylaw No. 16-18 is rescinded upon this bylaw coming into force.
- 7. This bylaw shall take effect on the date of third reading.

Read a first time this 14th day of February, A.D. 2023.

Read a second time this 14th day of February, A.D. 2023.

Read a third time with the unanimous consent of the Council Members present and finally passed this <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>February</u>, A.D. 2023.

**MAYOR** 

**COUNTY MANAGER** 

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