



Meeting Date: July 17, 2024

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Report No: BLD-07-2024

Subject: Parking By-law Update

Recommendation:

THAT Report BLD-07-2024, re: Parking By-law Update be received;

AND THAT the Parking By-law be amended to include the recommended revisions outlined in this report.

Purpose:

To obtain council approval of amendments to the municipality's Parking By-law.

Background:

In May 2024, the Community Services Department initiated the requirement for paid parking at the Douglas B. Weldon Park in Arva.

In response to this paid parking initiative, the municipality must update its Parking By-law. The purpose of the amendment is for enforcement and to apply penalties for those park patrons who park, but do not pay in municipal parking lots where payment is required.

Analysis:

The resulting by-law, which is attached to this report, has included the addition of a section pertaining to paid municipal parking lots including a table listing these lots (of which at this time there is only Douglas B. Weldon Park), a provision prohibiting parking without payment and a set fine for those found to be parking without payment.

Financial Implications:

The set fine approval will allow for ongoing cost recovery related to municipal parking enforcement services.

Strategic Plan:

This matter aligns with following strategic priorities:

- Responsive Municipal Government

Objective 5.3 – Foster a culture of innovation, continuous improvement, and cost-effective service delivery

The approval of set fines will ensure funding for enforcement services through fines for non-compliance as well as improve parking efficiency for area residents.

Attachments:

A1 Proposed Amending By-law and Schedules