TOWN OF GRIMSHAW

Bylaw No. 1192

BEING A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF GRIMSHAW, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO ESTABLISH METHODS FOR ADVERTISING STATUTORY AND NON-STATUTORY NOTICES IN THE TOWN OF GRIMSHAW

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 606 of the *Municipal Government Act*, a Council must give notice of certain bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings or other things by advertising in a newspaper or other publication circulating in the area, mailing or delivering a notice to every residence in the affected area or by another method provided for in a bylaw under section 606.1;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to section 606.1(1) of the Municipal Government Act, a council may, by bylaw, provide for one or more methods, which may include electronic means, for advertising proposed bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings and other things referred to in section 606;

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Grimshaw is satisfied that the advertising methods set out in this Bylaw is likely to bring matters advertised by these methods to the attention of substantially all residents, or groups or area of the Town to which the bylaw, resolution or other thing relates, or in which the meeting or hearing is to be held;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Town of Grimshaw, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

SECTION I - PURPOSE, NAME AND DEFINITIONS

Purpose

1. The purpose of this Bylaw is to establish methods for advertising statutory and non-statutory notices to the public within the Town of Grimshaw

Name

2. This Bylaw may be cited as the "Public Notification Bylaw".

Definitions

- 3. In this Bylaw,
 - a) "Act" means the Municipal Government Act, RSA 2000, as amended.
 - b) "Council" means the duly elected municipal Council of the Town of Grimshaw.
 - c) "Public" means residents, groups or other stakeholders located within the corporate boundaries of the Town of Grimshaw required to be notified by the Act or a bylaw of the Town of a proposed bylaw, resolution, meeting, public hearing or other things referred to in the Act or a bylaw of the Town.
 - d) "Method" means the preferred method(s) chosen by the Council of the Town of Grimshaw for advertising statutory and non-statutory notices to the public.
 - e) "Town" means the corporation of the Town of Grimshaw.

SECTION II - ADVERTISING METHOD

 The notice of any proposed bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings or other thing required to be given under the Municipal Government Act, or a bylaw of the Town, shall be advertised in accordance with the timelines prescribed in the Act or the bylaw by:

a) publishing in a local newspaper or any other publication circulating in the Town

or

- b) publishing electronically by posting the notice prominently on the
 - i. Town website or
 - ii. any of the Town's social media sites

or

- c) posting the notice prominently on the bulletin board provided for that purpose in
 - i. the Town Office or
 - ii. public library or
 - iii. municipal recreational facilities

SECTION III - SEVERABILITY

Severability

1. If any portion of this Bylaw is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the invalid portion shall be severed.

SECTION IV - EFFECTIVE DATE

Effective Date

 This Bylaw shall come into full force and effect upon the date of its final passing thereof.

READ a First time this 23 day of May 2018.
PUBLIC HEARING held on this 13 day of June 2018.
READ a Second time this 13 day of June 2018.
READ a Third time this 13 day of June 2018.
SIGNED AND PASSED this 13 day of June 2018. MAYOR CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER