

Rural Municipality of Piapot No. 110

Haying Bylaw

A BYLAW of the Rural Municipality of Piapot No. 110 to establish a policy for the salvage of Hay/Grass

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Piapot No. 110, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

- 1. For the purpose of this bylaw, the expression:
a) "municipality" means the Rural Municipality of Piapot No. 110
b) "road" means a "roadway" as defined by The Municipalities Act.
2. Conditions for the salvage of hay from a road in the municipality:
a) The adjacent landowner, or lessee in the case of rented land, has first option to salvage hay along municipal roads.
b) After July 15th, any person may cut and salvage hay without the permission of the adjacent landowner or lessee provided the adjacent landowner or lessee has not begun salvage operations.
c) The right-of-way must be left in a neat appearance by the person salvaging the hay.
d) Bales of hay must be at least 10' (3 meters) from the edge of the shoulder of the roadway.
e) All bales must be removed from the right-of-way within one month of the baling of the hay, or by August 30th of that same year, whichever is sooner.
f) In order to minimize hazards to motorists, any bales not removed within one month, or by August 30 of the same year, may be removed by the municipality, and any bales so removed shall become the property of the municipality.
g) The council reserves the privilege and right for the top for its members, employees and/or agents to enter upon said right-of-way for the maintenance and or re-construction of said roadway or for other such purposes as may be deemed necessary and at no compensation or reimbursement to the party salvaging the hay therefrom.
h) It is the responsibility of the landowner or lessee to follow safe operating procedures when mowing or salvaging hay in the Municipal right-of-way.
i) No person shall cut hay on any portion of the public highway located in this municipality during the period from 1/2 hour after sunset until 1/2 hour before sunrise.
j) No person shall cut hay on any portion of the public highway located in this municipality so as to obstruct the travelled portion of the roadway.
k) Council reserves the right to mow on municipal road rights-of-way prior to July 15 for any reason, or as required for the control of noxious weeds, safety and aesthetic reasons or in order to secure a contractor to perform work;
l) Council reserves the right to mow the top 5' (1.5 meters) of municipal roadways at any time for any reason.

3. Bylaw No. 2-91 is hereby repealed.



Read a third time and adopted this 9 day of September, 2020.

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