

Village of Dewberry
Bylaw No. 331

A Bylaw

of the Village of Dewberry in the Province of Alberta to establish a Fire Pit Bylaw to control and regulate burning in the Village of Dewberry.

And Whereas

under the Municipal Government Act being Chapter M26.1 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1994 with amendments thereto, the Council of the Village of Dewberry may pass bylaws for the safety, health and welfare of people and protection of people and property.

Now Therefore

The council of the Village of Dewberry duly assembled enacts as follows:

Definitions

"Acceptable Fire Pit" means:

- i) a minimum of 3 metre clearance, measured from the nearest fire pit edge is maintained from building, property lines or any combustible materials. Common sense must be used in the placing of the pit.
- ii) height of pit should not exceed 24 inches
- iii) the firepit installation has enclosed sides constructed from bricks concrete blocks, heavy gauge metal or other non combustible materials.

Fire pit regulations

- A. No burning in an acceptable firepit shall take place unless:
 - i) a means of controlling or extinguishing the fire is available on the property and within reasonable distance from where the fire occurs.
 - ii) a responsible adult is present on the property when the fire is burning.
- B. Fire Pits are for recreation camp fires not for burning garbage or waste. Use only clean, dry wood or charcoal.
- C. No burning permit is required for the above.

Offences and Penalties

The Village of Dewberry shall be entitled to recover from any person who burns or being the owner or occupant of land permits or allows burning of material, all costs incurred by the Village Volunteer Fire Department to extinguish such fire or otherwise responding to a call in connection with such a fire.

Effective Date

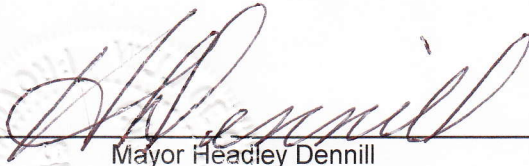
This Bylaw is to take effect upon the date of it being finally passed.

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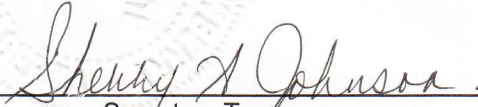
for the first time this 14 day of October 2008

for the second time this 14 day of October 2008

for the third and final time in open Council this 14 day of October 2008.



Mayor Headley Dennill



Secretary Treasurer