

MEETING DATE: AUGUST 20, 2019

REQUEST FOR DECISION - TO COUNCIL

SUBJECT

LLOYDMINSTER AND COUNTY OF VERMILION RIVER MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR WASTEWATER SERVICES – MOTION REQUIRED

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the County of Vermilion River approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Lloydminster and the County of Vermilion River regarding the provision of wastewater services to the residents in the Hamlet of Blackfoot.

DETAILS

Background: The City of Lloydminster is proceeding with Provincial and Federal funding to upgrade their current waste water treatment system. The County and the City are wanting to move forward with working together to connect the Hamlet of Blackfoot's wastewater lagoon to the City's wastewater network. The Provincial and Federal funding the County has received to put towards the construction of the wastewater transmission line will assist the County and the Hamlet of Blackfoot in additional treatment capacity to allow growth in the Hamlet.

Discussion: The administrations for both the County and the City would be working together to ensure the design meets the needs of both parties to confirm the downstream treatment system has the adequate capacity to accommodate the County's wastewater.

Relevant Policy/Legislation Practices:

Alberta wastewater regulations

Saskatchewan wastewater regulations

Desired Outcome (s): THAT the County of Vermilion River approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Lloydminster and the County of Vermilion River regarding the provision of wastewater services to the residents of the Hamlet of Blackfoot.

Response Options: THAT the County of Vermilion River approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Lloydminster and the County of Vermilion River regarding the provision of wastewater services to the residents of the Hamlet of Blackfoot.

IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION

Organizational: Planning and Development to provide Public Works with direction to move forward with the design of the project.

Financial: 90% of the transmission line funding from Provincial/Federal funding, 10% funding from County budget.

Communication Required: MOU to be provided to the City for signature.

Implementation: Signing of MOU will move to the next stage of designing and tendering.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Memorandum of Understanding for Wastewater Services

PREPARED BY: Director of Planning and Development

DATE: August 12, 2019