

BYLAW 1595/22
AMENDMENT OF BYLAW 1564/21 – 2022 FEES AND CHARGES BYLAW
STURGEON COUNTY, MORINVILLE, ALBERTA

A BYLAW OF STURGEON COUNTY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO AMEND BYLAW 1564/21 TO ESTABLISH FEES AND CHARGES FOR THE BROADBAND INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA 2000, c M-26 (“the Act”), as amended from time to time, authorizes Council to establish and adopt bylaws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

- a) services provided by or on behalf of the municipality;
- b) the establishment of fees for licenses, permits and approvals;

AND WHEREAS, Council may amend fees and charges from time to time;

AND WHEREAS, Council has approved a strategy improve broadband service to residents and businesses in Sturgeon County;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of Sturgeon County, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

1. Title

- 1.1. This Bylaw may be referred to as the “2022 Fees and Charges Bylaw Amendment for the Broadband Initiative”.

2. Purpose

- 2.1. The purpose of this Bylaw is to establish fees and charges for Sturgeon County’s Broadband Initiative.

3. Definitions

- 3.1. In this Bylaw:
 - i. “Bylaw” means this Fees and Charges amending Bylaw;
 - ii. “Core Service Area” means premises that are located in hamlets, residential subdivisions, business and industrial parks, and along the fibre route which are eligible for broadband fibre connectivity without a connection fee paid to Sturgeon County by virtue of their location;
 - iii. “County Commissioner” means the person appointed as the County Commissioner for Sturgeon County;
 - iv. “County” means the Municipality of Sturgeon County; and

- v. "Extended Service Area" means premises that are not located in the Core Service Area, but which are eligible for fibre extension in accordance with the fees and charges established in this Bylaw.

4. Amendment to Bylaw 1564/21

- 4.1. Bylaw 1564/21 is amended by adding Schedule "I" – Broadband Initiative, attached to this Bylaw.

5. Severability

- 5.1. If any portion of this Bylaw is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the invalid portion must be severed and the remainder of the Bylaw is deemed valid.

6. Effective Date

- 6.1. This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon being passed.

Read a first time this ____ day of ____, 20__.

Read a second time this ____ day of ____, 20__.

Read a third time this this ____ day of ____, 20__.

Alanna Hnatiw
MAYOR

Reegan McCullough
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (CAO)

DATE SIGNED

Schedule "I"

*Unless otherwise indicated, all fees are GST Exempt ("G" indicates GST applicable, "I" indicates GST included in price)
Any refunds will be issued in the same method as the original payment.*

BROADBAND INITIATIVE	Unit	Price
1. For Core and Extended Service Areas:		
Horizontal Drilling		At Cost
2. For Extended Service Area:		
Broadband Fibre Installation		At Cost
Drop Conduit (including required couplers)		\$1.90/metre
Delivery		At Cost