

Agenda Item: <u>D.13</u>

# **Request for Decision**

Title	Bylaw 1451/19 - Amendment of Bylaw 1382/16 – Emergency Manageme Bylaw		
Proposed Motion	That Council give first reading of Bylaw 1451/19.		
Administrative Recommendation	Administration recommends that Council give first reading of Bylaw 1451/19.		
Previous Council Direction	October 25, 2016: Motion 381/16: That Council approve the Sturgeon Regional Emergency Advisory Committee Terms of Reference.  Motion 380/16: That the Emergency Management Bylaw 1382/16 be referred to the Minister of Municipal Affairs for approval, along with the parallel Bylaws approved by the Towns of Bon Accord, Gibbons, Legal, Morinville and Redwater.  Motion 379/16: That Council give third reading to Bylaw 1382/16.  Motion 378/16: That Council give second reading to Bylaw 1382/16, as amended.  October 11, 2016: Motion 340/16: That Council give first reading to Bylaw 1382/16.  Motion 339/16: That Council authorize the Mayor and CAO to sign and execute the Regional Emergency Management Partnership Agreement.		
Report	Background Information		
	In 2016, Sturgeon County entered into the Sturgeon Regional Emergency Management Partnership (SREMP). Part of this partnership was the establishment of the County's Emergency Management Bylaw, Bylaw 1382/16.		
	Recently, the Province of Alberta passed a new Emergency Management Act		

and Regulation. With the formation of the SREMP, most of the requirements

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in the new Act are met.

Representatives from the Alberta Emergency Management Agency met with our regional coordinator to review some of the new requirements and content of our Emergency Management Bylaw.

At the SREMP meeting held on May 23, 2019, the required amendments to the bylaw were discussed, reviewed and compiled. Bylaw 1451/19 includes amendments now required under the new *Emergency Management Act* and Regulation.

#### **External Communication**

· Not applicable.

#### Relevant Policy/Legislation/Practices:

- Municipal Government Act
- Emergency Management Act
- Local Authorities Emergency Management Regulation
- SREMP Partnership Agreement

## Implication of Administrative Recommendation

#### Strategic Alignment:

**Strong Local Governance and Regional Leadership** – Council has key partnerships to maintain and enhance municipal service levels and meet legislative requirements.

#### Organizational:

None.

#### Financial:

None.

### Alternatives Considered

No alternatives have been considered. The amendments are required by legislation.

## Implications of Alternatives

**Strategic Alignment:** 

Not applicable.

Organizational:

Not applicable.

Financial:

Not applicable.

#### **Follow up Action**

- 1. If first reading is given, Administration will bring the Bylaw back to Council for second and third reading (Protective Services, September 2019).
- 2. Once passed, the new Bylaw will be filed and referenced accordingly (Legislative Services, September 2019).

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### Attachment(s)

- 1. Bylaw 1451/19 Amendment to Bylaw 1382/16 Emergency Management Bylaw
- 2. Bylaw 1382/16 Emergency Management Bylaw

## **Report Reviewed**

by:

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## **Strategic Alignment Checklist**

**Vision:** Sturgeon County: a diverse, active community that pioneers opportunities and promotes initiative while embracing rural lifestyles.

**Mission:** Provide quality, cost effective services and infrastructure to meet the diverse needs of the Sturgeon County community, while improving competitiveness and sustainability.

Focus Areas	Not consistent	N/A	Consistent
Planned Growth and Prosperity			
We encourage varied and integrated enterprises that enhance our strong economic base, while balancing the needs of the community and natural environment. (Strategic Plan and MDP pg. 36)		×	
<ul> <li>Supports a strong thriving business environment to strengthen our economic foundation</li> </ul>		×	
<ul> <li>Plans for responsible growth through the MDP and regional growth plan.</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$
<ul> <li>Manages growth for current and future developments through:         <ul> <li>transparent bylaws, policies and processes to enable responsible</li> <li>land development</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			×
<ul> <li>targeting growth around existing and identified future growth areas</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
Maintain and Enhance Strong Communities			
We are committed to a safe and viable community, where our residents are			
provided with access to opportunities and quality of life.			$\boxtimes$
(Strategic Plan and pg. 27 MDP)			
<ul> <li>Provides access to programs and services that have a positive impact on residents' quality of life</li> </ul>			×
<ul> <li>Provides access to safe and reliable infrastructure assets</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$
Supports the safety of people and property			$\boxtimes$
Strong Local and Regional Governance			
We promote consistent and accountable leadership through collaborative and transparent processes (Strategic Plan and pg. 27 MDP)			⊠
<ul> <li>Provides effective leadership and management consistent with Strategic Plan, MDP, master plans, bylaws, policies, community engagement</li> </ul>			×
<ul> <li>Considers fiscal stability and sustainability</li> </ul>			$\boxtimes$
Fosters collaborative intergovernmental partnerships			×
Community Identity & Spirit			
We will build upon our strengths, where together we will create an inclusive, caring community (Strategic Plan and MDP pg. 27)			×
<ul> <li>Promotes and/or enhances residents' identification with Sturgeon County</li> </ul>		$\boxtimes$	
Support and/or collaborate with voluntary organizations in the region			$\boxtimes$
Environmental Stewardship			
We foster a healthy environment and minimize our impact on ecosystems. (Strategic Plan and MDP pg. 27)		×	
<ul> <li>Plans and partnerships that minimize environmental impact on natural areas</li> </ul>		×	
Provides awareness of environmental issues impacting the County		$\boxtimes$	

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