

Sturgeon County

Request Form

Delegation/Public Presentation to Sturgeon County
Council or Committee-of-the-Whole (COW)

Please complete both pages of the request form and submit it to the Legislative Services Department. You will be contacted at the receipt of your request to schedule a date and time for your presentation, as well as to address any additional concerns, questions or accommodations you may have or require.

PART A: COLLECTION OF INFORMATION

CONTACT INFORMATION	
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PURPOSE AND NATURE OF YOUR REQUEST	
Please check that which applies to you:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	I/we would like to make a presentation at the Council Meeting
<input type="checkbox"/>	I/we would like to make a presentation at the Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting
<input type="checkbox"/>	I/we do not know at this time
Please provide the details of your request:	
<p>ON Aug/30/2020 we made a check to pay to Sturgeon County property Tax. we discover that is a charge of</p> <p>Regarding weed control for the past 10 years we hired our people to control weeds</p> <p>(If more space required, please attach additional information)</p>	
Will your presentation include any visual aids (ie: PowerPoint Presentation)? If so, please specify.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No
Severed in line with Section 17 of the FOIP Act	
Signature:	Date: Oct/5/2020
<p>The personal information you request for a Public Presentation to Sturgeon County Council or to the Committee-of-the-Whole and is collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. Your information will form part of a file available to the public. If you have any questions about the collection and use of this information, please contact the Sturgeon County FOIP Coordinator at 9613-100 Street, Morinville, Alberta, T8R 1L9 (780) 939-4321.</p>	

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PART B: DELEGATION/PUBLIC PRESENTATION PROCEDURE

Please read the following specifications carefully and initial to acknowledge that you have read and understand them. They are instructions regarding Council procedure and expectations that will assist you with your Request and Presentation. Further information is available online at sturgeoncounty.ca within Bylaw 1301/13 Procedure Bylaw.

Requests for Public Presentations shall be made to the Legislative Officer in writing at least twelve (12) business days prior to a Regular Meeting. Requests received less than twelve (12) business days before a regular meeting of Council shall be included on the Agenda for the next Regular Meeting immediately following.

Initials YJ

Verbal presentations including question and answer shall be limited to twenty (20) minutes in length unless there is consent prior to establishment of the Agenda or by Council at the Regular Meeting to extend the time for a presentation.

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Debate concerning matters raised during public presentations shall take place at the discretion of Council.

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Personal presentations to Council shall not be allowed with regard to an undisposed matter which has been the subject of a Public Hearing.

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When a person or representative of a delegation or group wishes to address the Council on a matter which is not on the agenda, the Council may refer the matter to any appropriate Committee, appoint a special Committee to deal with the matter, or deal with the matter itself at the meeting, if proceeding is approved by a 2/3 majority vote of council.

Initials YJ

Council and Committee Meetings are public in nature and it is understood that an individual writing or submitting items to a Councillor or to Administration of Sturgeon County has a reasonable expectation that their correspondence/presentations, which may include personal information (ie. name) or business information could be disclosed at a public Council Meeting and/or Committee Meeting and as part of the Council Agenda Package on the Sturgeon County website.

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MAIL OR HAND DELIVERY

Attn: Legislative Officer
Sturgeon County Centre
9613-100 Street
Morinville, AB T8R 1L9

PHONE

780.939.8279

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legislativeservices@sturgeoncounty.ca

FAX

780.939.3003

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Her Worship Mayor and Council members of Sturgeon County

9613-100 St

Morinville, AB T8R 1L9

Re: Weed control charges at Northern Light Subdivision

Dear Mayor and Council members,

My name is Pat Vuong, resident of Sturgeon County since 2008. I was supposed to attend a council meeting on January 26, 2021. However, Lisa Schovanek informed us to reschedule till February 9, 2021. I won't be able to attend due to a prior commitment.

Here is the brief history of what happened. In the summer of 2012, we were fixing the road in the subdivision and there was a truck with two fellows who were about to unload their equipment in the field. We approached them to inquire and were told they were here to spray the weed. I told them my guys already took care of it. For your information we have taken care of the weed control since 2008 within the subdivision. The two fellows left and I thought that was the end of it. We received this surcharge on our property tax in 2014(copy attached), I spoke to Peter Tanawsky (former CAO) about this. He had Dinnu(former county planning manager) call me back and said "the county is in the middle of hiring the person to look after this". He will have this person look into this issue to resolve it once hired. I left it at that. I started to work more in Mississauga, On than Sturgeon County, so I didn't follow up with Dinnu after that.

As Covid-19 hit this year, I started to review the taxes and found out that it has ballooned to \$14,902.96 and continuing!

I called Cara, the agricultural manager of the county, to inquire the original invoice since I know the two fellows that dropped by didn't do any work, I also asked if it was the county internal staff or an outside contractor. I was impressed with her professionalism but she said that she couldn't find any record. I want to emphasize to the council that there was nothing done to generate this bill in the first place. Therefore, I respectfully request the council to remove this "weed control bill." Thank you so much for your time and stay safe.

Best regards,

Pat Vuong

Sturgeon County Property Taxes outstanding from Jun 30, 2014 To June 30, 2020 Re- Weeds Control Charge Move to Property Taxes							
Tax Roll #	2014 Balance Amount	2015 Balance Amount	2016 Balance Amount	2017 Balance Amount	2018 Balance Amount	2019 Balance Amount	2020 Balance Amount
3710017	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710019	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710024	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 970.96
3710027	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710028	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710030	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710031	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710032	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710033	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710039	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710042	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710043	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710045	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710048	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710049	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
3710050	\$ 238.41	\$ 299.05	\$ 375.12	\$ 470.56	\$ 590.26	\$ 740.43	\$ 928.80
Total	\$ 3,814.56	\$ 4,784.80	\$ 6,001.92	\$ 7,528.96	\$ 9,444.16	\$ 11,846.88	\$ 14,902.96