

THE TOWN OF CARMAN
BY-LAW #01/1836

Being a by-law of the Town of Carman providing for the fixing and recovery of a charge related to false fire alarms, pursuant to Section 267 of *The Municipal Act*.

WHEREAS Section 266 of *The Municipal Act* allows the Town to enter into an agreement with a third party for the provision of fire protection services and the Town has done so; and

WHEREAS Section 267 of *The Municipal Act* provides in part as follows:

- (1) A Municipality... may fix a fee or other charge, or a method for determining a charge, for responses by the fire protection force to false alarms caused by automatic fire detection systems.
- (2) A fee or charge under subsection (1) may be collected by the municipality in the same manner as a tax may be collected or enforced under this Act; and

WHEREAS Council has determined the advisability of setting recovering a charge for such false alarms, based on the cost of providing fire protection services;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Carman, in open council assembled, enacts as follows:

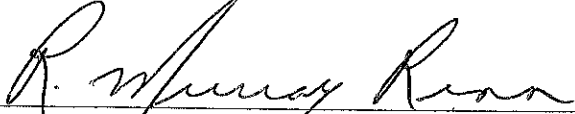
1. THAT no charge shall be payable by the owner of property from which an automatic fire detection system causes a false alarm, providing it is the first such false alarm received from that property in that calendar year.
2. THAT the owner of property from which an automatic fire detection system causes a false alarm, in the second and each successive instance of a false alarm in the same calendar year, shall pay a charge to the Town of Carman, with said charge to be a flat fee of \$100, per false alarm.

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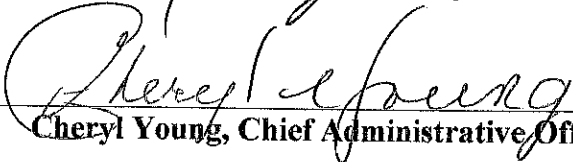
3. THAT the Carman Dufferin Fire Department shall provide a report, on a quarterly basis, to the Town of Carman a list of all calls made for the purpose of issuing bills to the owners of property in the case of false alarms in excess of the minimum allowed.
4. THAT all charges imposed pursuant to paragraph 2 of this By-Law may be collected by the Town in the same manner as a tax may be collected or enforced under *The Municipal Act*.

DONE AND PASSED in council, duly assembled, at the Council Chamber, in the Memorial Hall, in the Town of Carman, in the Province of Manitoba, this 26TH day of APRIL A.D. 2001.

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R. Murray Rinn, Mayor



Cheryl Young, Chief Administrative Officer

Read a first time the 12TH day of APRIL A. D. 2001.
Read a second time the 26TH day of APRIL A. D. 2001.
Read a third time the 26TH day of APRIL A. D. 2001.