

**THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WOODLANDS NO. 15  
BYLAW NO. 011/94**

**PROVINCE OF ALBERTA**

**A BYLAW BEING ENACTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONTROLLING AND REGULATING THE COLLECTION, REMOVAL  
AND DISPOSAL OF HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE IN THE  
HAMLETS OF FORT ASSINBOINE AND BLUE RIDGE, AND  
ESTABLISHING THE APPLICABLE RATES THEREFOR**

WHEREAS Section 199 of the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 1980, c. M-26, as amended, provides that a Council may pass bylaws governing garbage collection and disposal;

AND WHEREAS The Municipal District of Woodlands No. 15 deems it necessary to regulate garbage collection and disposal and to establish applicable rates therefor;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Municipal District of Woodlands No. 15, duly assembled, enacts the following:

1. That this Bylaw may be cited as the "**M.D. of Woodlands' Garbage Collection Bylaw**".
2. That words used in this Bylaw shall have the same meaning as words used or defined in the Municipal Government Act.
3. That household garbage collection shall be provided to residential dwellings only, being dwelling units consisting of a single family residence or each dwelling unit within a duplex.
4. That household garbage eligible for collection shall include household refuse only and shall not include metal, toxic material or industrial waste requiring specialized disposal methods.
5. That garbage receptacles shall be metal or plastic containers of not less than 20 inches or more than 30 inches in height with a base diameter of not less than 17 inches or more than 20 inches, and shall have proper and tightly fitting metal or plastic covers.
6. That household garbage from a residential dwelling designated for pickup shall be placed in garbage receptacles supplied by the owner or occupant of the unit, which receptacles shall be sufficient in number to adequately dispose of the waste material and shall be located inside the property line, adjacent to and readily accessible from the lane, except as otherwise approved by Council.
7. Where a property cannot be accessed by a lane, the resident shall be required to place receptacles adjacent to the street adjoining the property.
8. Garbage receptacles shall be kept tightly covered at all times.
9. No person shall fill a garbage receptacle to a greater height than within two inches from the top thereof or with material of such weight that the combined weight of the receptacle and its contents exceeds Twenty-two (22) kilograms (50 pounds).
10. No person shall place for collection beside a garbage receptacle a bundle, package or other material, the length, width or height of which exceeds four (4) feet.

11. A collector shall not be required to remove any garbage receptacle which, together with its contents, exceeds the maximum weight specified herein or which exceeds the size specified herein.
12. All household garbage placed in receptacles shall be initially placed in a plastic garbage bag and securely sealed. Receptacles may be placed on or in a stand which shall not be more than 24 inches above the ground.
13. All household garbage shall be drained and wrapped and no liquid waste shall be disposed of in the receptacles.
14. There shall be levied against each residential unit a charge for garbage collection/disposal of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per month.
15. Charges shall be invoiced to residents who are assessed a utility charge and to those residents within the boundaries of the Hamlets of Fort Assiniboine and Blue Ridge who do not currently receive water and sewer services. Charges shall be invoiced in accordance with operational policies and procedures of The Municipal District of Woodlands No. 15.
16. That should any provision of this Bylaw be invalid, that invalid provision shall be severed and the remaining provisions of the Bylaw shall be maintained.

This Bylaw shall have force and take effect on the final reading thereof.

**READ** a first time this 7th day of September, A.D. 1994.

**READ** a second time this 21st day of September, A.D. 1994.

**READ** a third time this 21st day of September, A.D. 1994.

  
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D. Borg, Reeve

  
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N. Kjemhus, Municipal Administrator