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July 6, 2021

Attn: Rocky View County Council

To Council:

We request to appeal the late tax penalty. (Roll no. 05712020).

We took possession of our new house on June 25th of this year. It has been an extremely trying and long couple of years since we last owned and moved out of our old house (where we lived for 10 years), uprooting our two small children in the process, in Manitoba in May 2019. My cancer diagnosis precipitated the very quick move and the COVID pandemic as well as uncertainty of our job statuses extended our stay in a small rental house in Calgary near family. We moved ourselves during the week following June 25, gathering our possessions from no less than three homes of our parents and siblings where it was being stored. With the last day of school, work, and moving, the payment was missed. Going through lists of moving tasks to be done we submitted the payment today July 6 (including the late payment penalty fee, as instructed), missing the deadline by six days including the long weekend. Our sincere apologies for this oversight. It will not be repeated as we always aim to be very fastidious in all our responsibilities.

Sincerely,

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