

# BYLAW C-8077-2020

**A bylaw of Rocky View County to establish the composition of Rocky View County Council; divide Rocky View County into divisions and establish the boundaries of each division; and determine the title of the positions of Rocky View County's Chief Elected Official and Councillors.**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 143 and 144 of the *Municipal Government Act*, Council may by bylaw specify the number of councillors comprising Rocky View County Council;

**AND WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 148 and 149 of the *Municipal Government Act*, Council may by bylaw divide Rocky View County into divisions, establish the boundaries of each division, and provide for the number of councillors to be nominated and elected in each division;

**AND WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 150 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Chief Elected Official is to be appointed by Council from among the councillors;

**AND WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 152 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Deputy Chief Elected Official must be appointed by Council from amongst the councillors;

**AND WHEREAS** pursuant to section 155 of the *Municipal Government Act*, Council may direct another title appropriate for the office of Councillor and Chief Elected Official;

**AND WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 149 of the *Municipal Government Act*, a bylaw passed under section 148 of the *Municipal Government Act* must be passed by December 31 of the year before the general election at which it is to take effect.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of Rocky View County enacts as follows:

## **Title, Purpose, and Definitions**

- 1 This bylaw may be cited as the *Electoral Boundaries and Council Composition Bylaw*.
- 2 The purpose of this bylaw is to:
  - (1) establish the composition of Rocky View County Council;
  - (2) divide Rocky View County into divisions and establish the boundaries of each division; and
  - (3) determine the title of the positions of Rocky View County's Chief Elected Official and Councillors.
- 3 Words in this Bylaw have the same meaning as set out in the *Municipal Government Act* except for the definitions provided in Schedule 'A' of this Bylaw.

**Electoral Boundaries**

- 4 Rocky View County is divided into seven divisions with the boundaries established in Schedule 'B' of this bylaw.

**Council Composition**

- 5 Rocky View County Council is comprised of seven councillors, each representing one of the divisions established by this bylaw.
- 6 Candidates for the office of councillor must be nominated for a specific division and one councillor must be elected for each division.
- 7 The office of councillor has the title "Councillor."

**Chief Elected Official and Deputy Chief Elected Official**

- 8 One councillor must be appointed to the office of Chief Elected Official by Council from amongst the councillors.
- 9 One councillor must be appointed to the office of Deputy Chief Elected Official by Council from amongst the councillors.
- 10 The office of Chief Elected Official has the title "Mayor."
- 11 The office of Deputy Elected Official has the title "Deputy Mayor."

**Severability**

- 12 Each provision of this bylaw is independent of all other provisions. If any provision of this bylaw is declared invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, all other provisions of this bylaw remain valid and enforceable.

**Transitional**

- 13 Bylaw C-5298-2000, and any amendments thereto, are repealed upon this bylaw passing and coming into full force and effect.
- 14 Bylaw C-8077-2020, being the *Electoral Boundaries and Council Composition Bylaw*, is passed when it receives third reading and is signed in accordance with the Municipal Government Act.
- 15 Bylaw C-8077-2020, being the *Electoral Boundaries and Council Composition Bylaw*, comes into full force and effect on October 18, 2021.

READ A FIRST TIME IN COUNCIL this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

READ A SECOND TIME IN COUNCIL this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

*UNANIMOUS PERMISSION FOR THIRD READING this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020*

READ A THIRD TIME IN COUNCIL this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

\_\_\_\_\_  
Reeve

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Administrative Officer or Designate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Bylaw Signed

## Bylaw C-8077-2020

## Schedule 'A' – Definitions

- 1     **"Council"** means the duly elected Council of Rocky View County and includes the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, and all Councillors.
- 2     **"Councillor"** means a duly elected member of Council and includes the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, and all Councillors.
- 3     **"Deputy Mayor"** means the Deputy Chief Elected Official as defined and contemplated in the *Municipal Government Act*.
- 4     **"Division"** means ward as defined and contemplated in the *Municipal Government Act*.
- 5     **"General Election"** means an election as defined and contemplated in the *Local Authorities Election Act* but does not include a by-election or a vote on a bylaw or question also as defined in the contemplated in the *Local Authorities Election Act*.
- 6     **"Local Authorities Election Act"** means the *Local Authorities Election Act*, RSA 2000, c E-21, as amended or replaced from time to time, and does not include a by-election or a vote on a bylaw or question.
- 7     **"Mayor"** means the Chief Elected Official as defined and contemplated in the *Municipal Government Act*.
- 8     **"Municipal Government Act"** means the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA 2000, c M-26, as amended or replaced from time to time.
- 9     **"Rocky View County"** means Rocky View County as a municipal corporation and the geographical area within its *jurisdictional* boundaries, as the context requires.

**Bylaw C-8077-2020****Schedule 'B' – Electoral Boundaries****Division 1**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within Tsuu T'ina Nation 145, that are within

Sections 1 through 4, Sections 8 through 17, Section 19, Sections 22 through 27, Sections 29 through 32, Section 34 through Section 35, Township 23, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian excepting thereout the north half of Section 35

Sections 5 through 8, Township 24, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 17 through 18, Township 24, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Lower Springbank Road,

Sections 1 through 22, Township 24, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

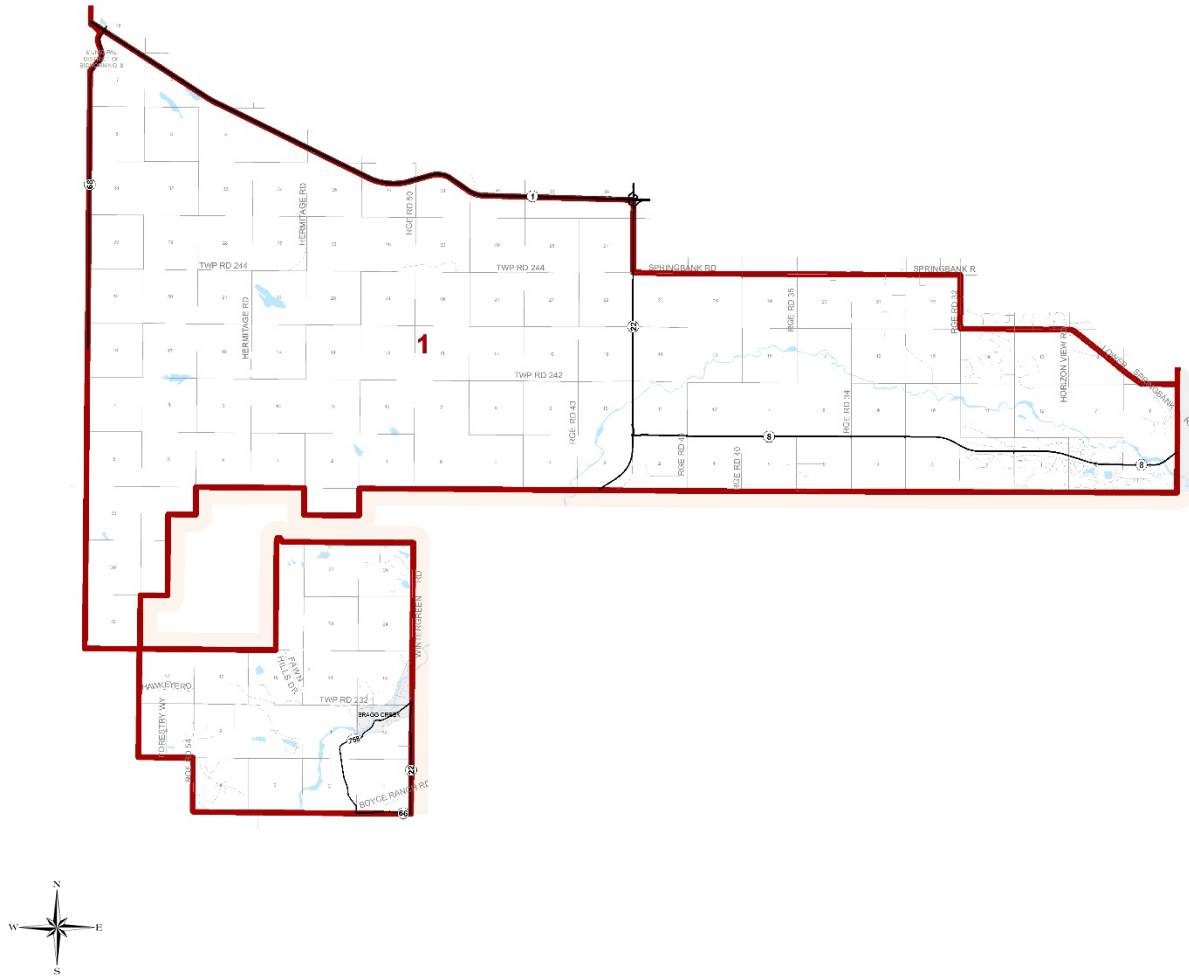
Sections 1 through 24 and Sections 27 through 34, Township 24, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1,

Sections 1 through 36, Township 24, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1, and

Sections 2 through 9 and Section 18, Township 25, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1

as presented in Map 1 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

Map 1 – Division 1



**Division 2**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within Stoney 142-143-144, the City of Calgary, and Town of Cochrane, that are within

Sections 17 through 20 and Sections 29 through 30, Township 24, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Lower Springbank Road,

Sections 23 through 36, Township 24, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 25 through 26 and Sections 35 through 36, Township 24, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 31 through 34, Township 24, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1,

Sections 35 through 36, Township 24, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1,

Section 1 through 12, Sections 14 through 23, and Sections 27 through 30, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the right (south) bank of the Bow River,

that portion of Section 13, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the left (north) bank of the Bow River,

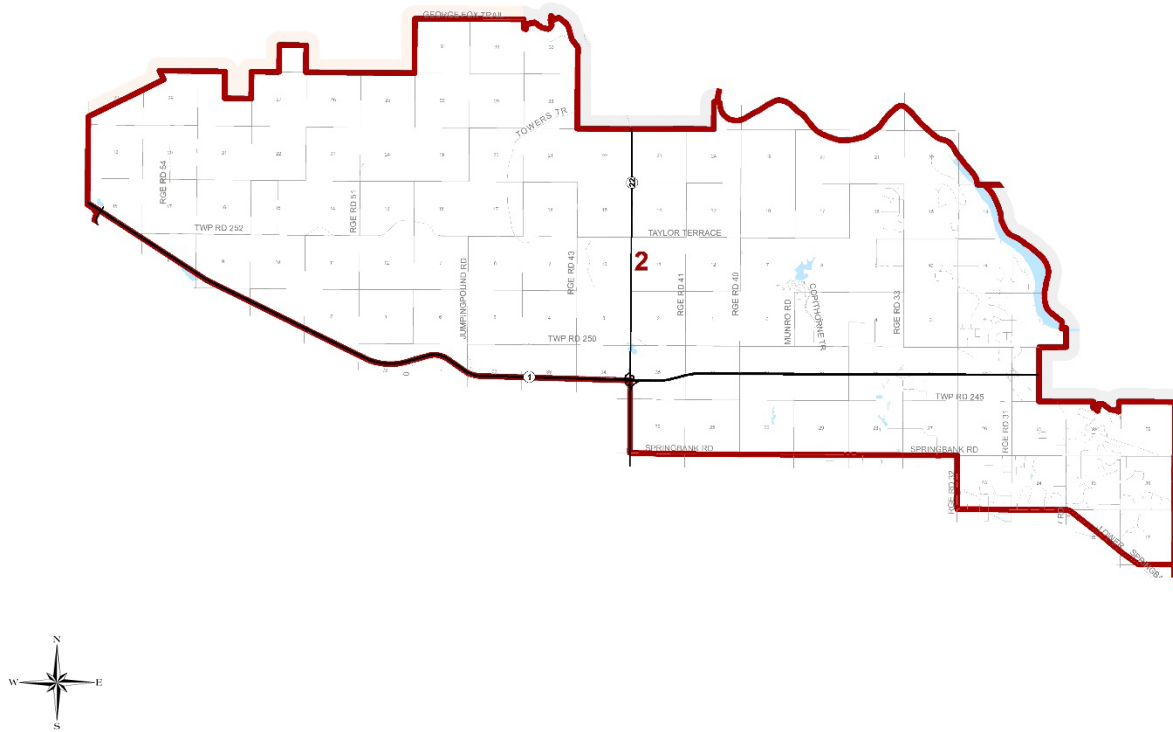
Sections 1 through 25 and Sections 28 through 33, Township 25, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the right (south) bank of the Bow River,

Sections 1 through 4, Sections 7 through 30, and Section 34, Township 25, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1, and

that portion of Section 4, Township 26, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that is south of the Town of Cochrane

as presented in Map 2 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

Map 2 – Division 2





**Division 3**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within Stoney 142-143-144, the City of Calgary, and Town of Cochrane, that are within

Section 7, Sections 18 through 19, and Section 30, Township 25, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1A,

Section 13, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian excluding that portion that is south the left (north) bank of the Bow River,

Sections 20 through 35, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the right (south) bank of the Bow River and that are south of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1A,

the balance of Sections 33 through 34, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1A,

Section 25 and Section 36, Township 25, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north/east of the right (south/west) bank of the Bow River,

Section 3 through 10, Sections 15 through 22, and Sections 27 through 34, Township 26, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 2, Section 5, Sections 7 through 8, and Sections 11 through 36, Township 26, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 8 and Sections 13 through 36, Township 26, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 13, Sections 24 through 25, and Section 36, Township 26, Range 6, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

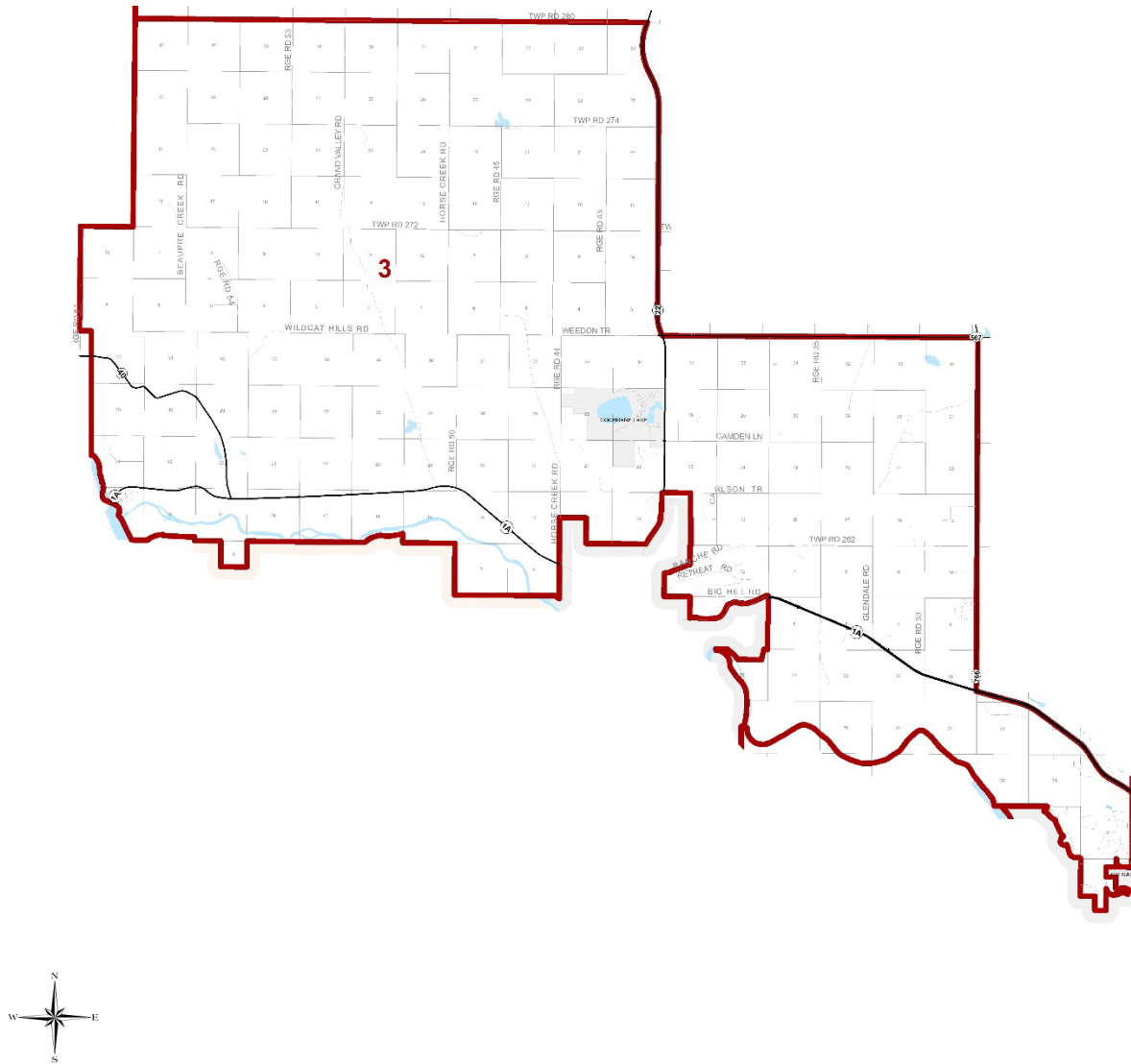
Sections 2 through 10, Sections 15 through 22, and Sections 27 through 34, Township 27, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are west of the west right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 22,

Township 27, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian, and

Section 1 and Section 12, Township 27, Range 6, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

as presented in Map 3 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

**Map 3 – Division 3**



**Division 4**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within the City of Calgary, that are within

Section 19 and Sections 29 through 32, Township 25, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1A,

Sections 25 through 26 and Sections 35 through 36, Township 25, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are north of the south right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 1A,

Section 2, Sections 4 through 11, Sections 14 through 23, and Sections 26 through 35, Township 26, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are west of the west right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 772,

Sections 1 through 2, Sections 11 through 14, Sections 23 through 26, and Sections 35 through 36, Township 26, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 2 through 11, Sections 14 through 23, and Sections 26 through 35, Township 27, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 27, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 2, Sections 11 through 14, Sections 23 through 27, and Sections 34 through 36, Township 27, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are east of the west right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 22,

Sections 2 through 11, Sections 14 through 23, Sections 26 through 35, Township 28, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 3, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

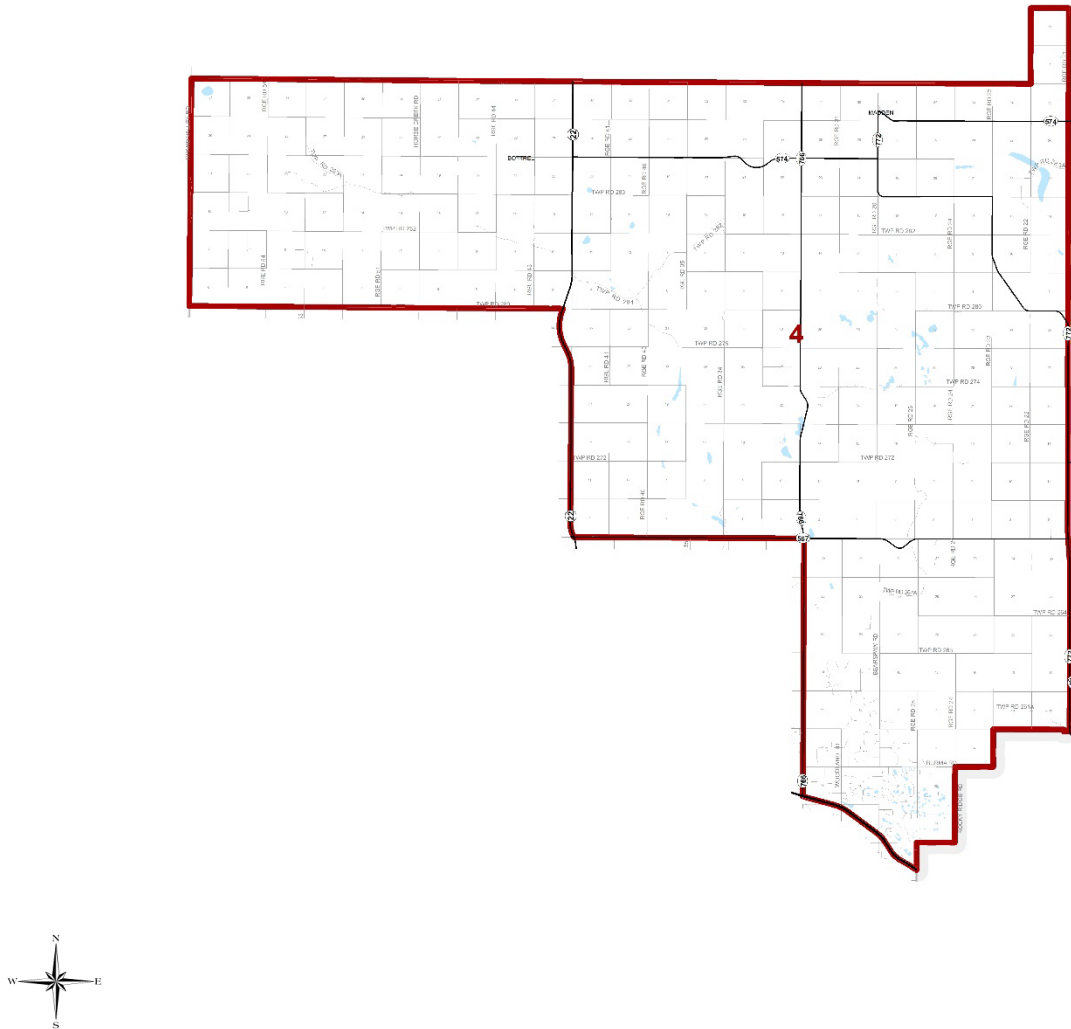
Township 28, Range 4, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 5, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian, and

Section 2 and Section 11, Township 29, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

as presented in Map 4 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

Map 4 – Division 4



**Division 5**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within the City of Airdrie, the City of Calgary, the Town of Crossfield, the Town of Irricana, and the Village of Beiseker, that are within

Sections 18 through 19 and Sections 29 through 32, Township 25, Range 26, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 13 through 36, Township 25, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 13 through 36, Township 25, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 26 through 35, Township 26, Range 25, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 26, Range 26, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 26, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 26, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 4, Sections 9 through 16, Sections 21 through 28, and Section 36, Township 26, Range 29, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 1, Section 7, Sections 12 through 24, and Sections 28 through 33, Township 26, Range 1, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 1, Sections 12 through 13, Sections 24 through 25, and Sections 35 through 36, Township 26, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian that are east of the west right-of-way boundary of Provincial Highway No. 772,

Township 27, Range 25, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 20 and Sections 22 through 36, Township 27, Range 26, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 27, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 27, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 13, Sections 24 through 27, and Sections 34 through 36, Township 27, Range 29, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 4 through 9, Sections 16 through 21, and Sections 25 through 36, Township 27, Range 1, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 1, Sections 12 through 13, Sections 24 through 25, and Section 36, Township 27, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 25, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 26, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 28, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 3, Sections 10 through 15, Sections 22 through 27, and Sections 34 through 36, Township 28, Range 29, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 25, Sections 27 through 36, Township 28, Range 1, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1, Sections 12 through 13, Sections 24 through 25, and Section 36, Township 28, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 8 and Sections 17 through 18, Township 29, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

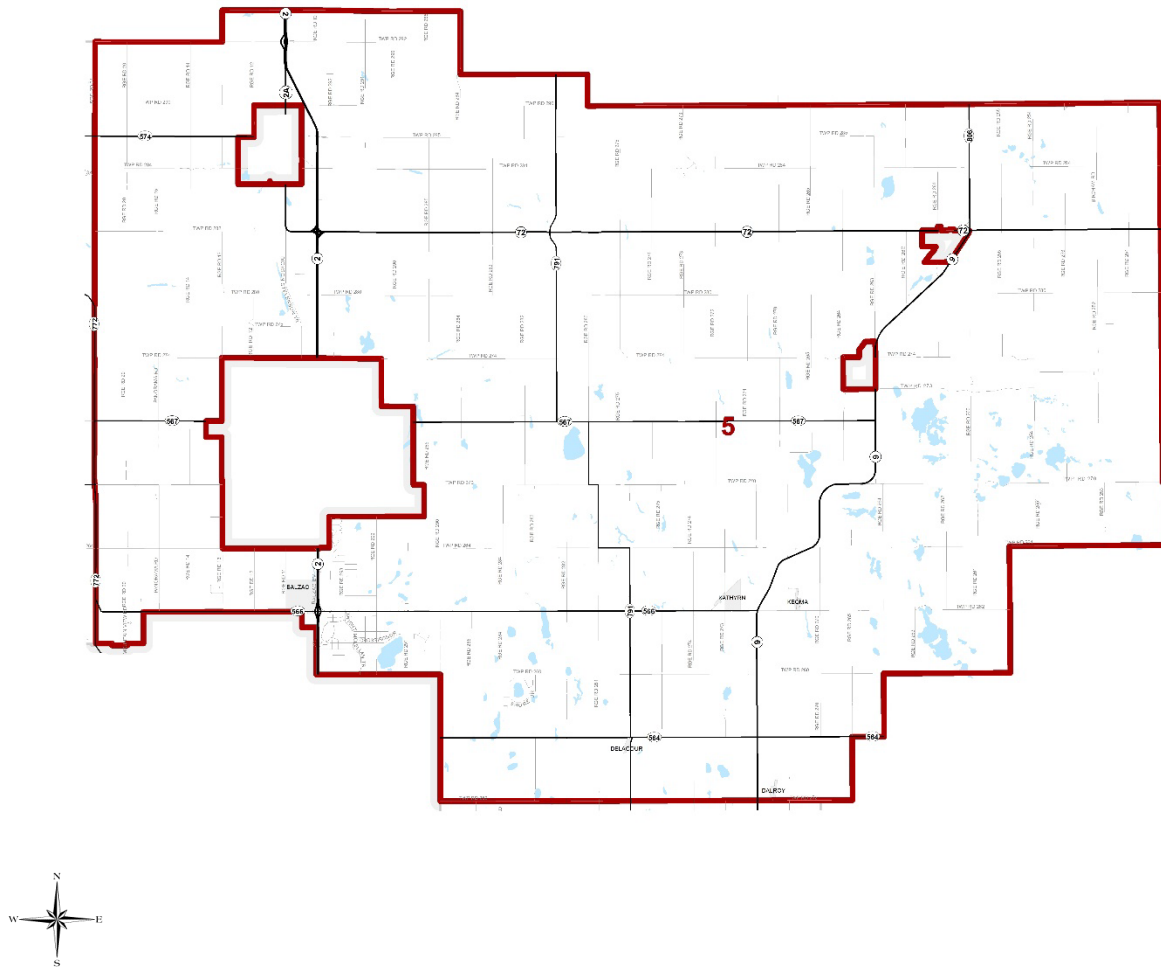
Sections 1 through 3 and Sections 10 through 15, Township 29, Range 29, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 15, Township 29, Range 1, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian, and

Section 1 and Section 12, Township 29, Range 2, West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Meridian

as presented in Map 5 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

Map 5 – Division 5



**Division 6**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, excluding those lands within the City of Chestermere and the City of Calgary, that are within

Sections 20 through 36, Township 21, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 25 through 26 and Sections 34 through 36, Township 21, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 22, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 5, Sections 8 through 17, Sections 20 through 29, and Sections 32 through 36, Township 22, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Sections 1 through 13, the west half of Section 15, Sections 16 through 21, the east half of Section 24, and Sections 25 through 36, Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

the west half of Section 22, Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian that is south of the south boundary of Plan RY 11 (former Canadian Pacific Railway right-of-way),

the west half of Section 24, Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian that is south of the south boundary of Plan RY 11 (former Canadian Pacific Railway right-of-way),

Sections 1 through 5, Sections 8 through 16, Section 19, Sections 21 through 34, and Section 36, Township 23, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Township 24, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

Section 1, Sections 5 through 6, Section 12, Sections 19 through 20, and Sections 23 through 36, Township 24, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

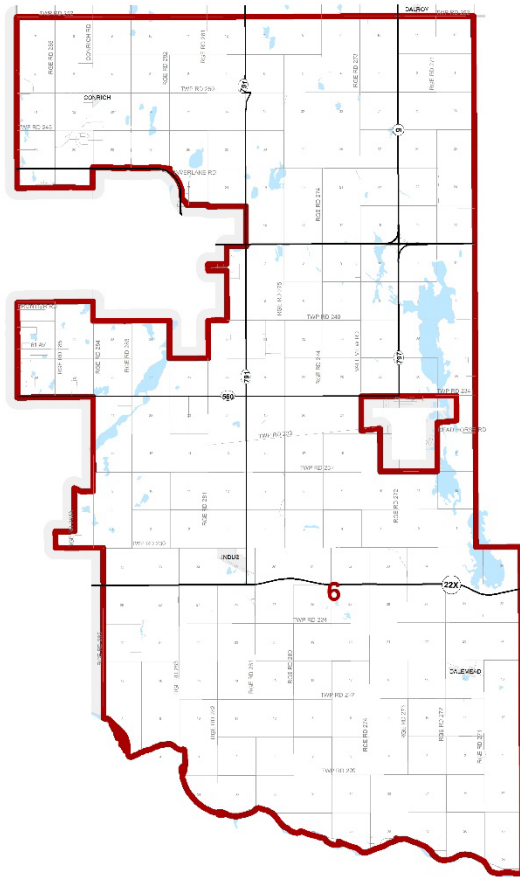
Sections 1 through 12, Township 25, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian, and

Sections 1 through 12, Township 25, Range 28, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian

as presented in Map 6 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.



Map 6 – Division 6



**Division 7**

All those lands within the corporate limits of Rocky View County, that are within

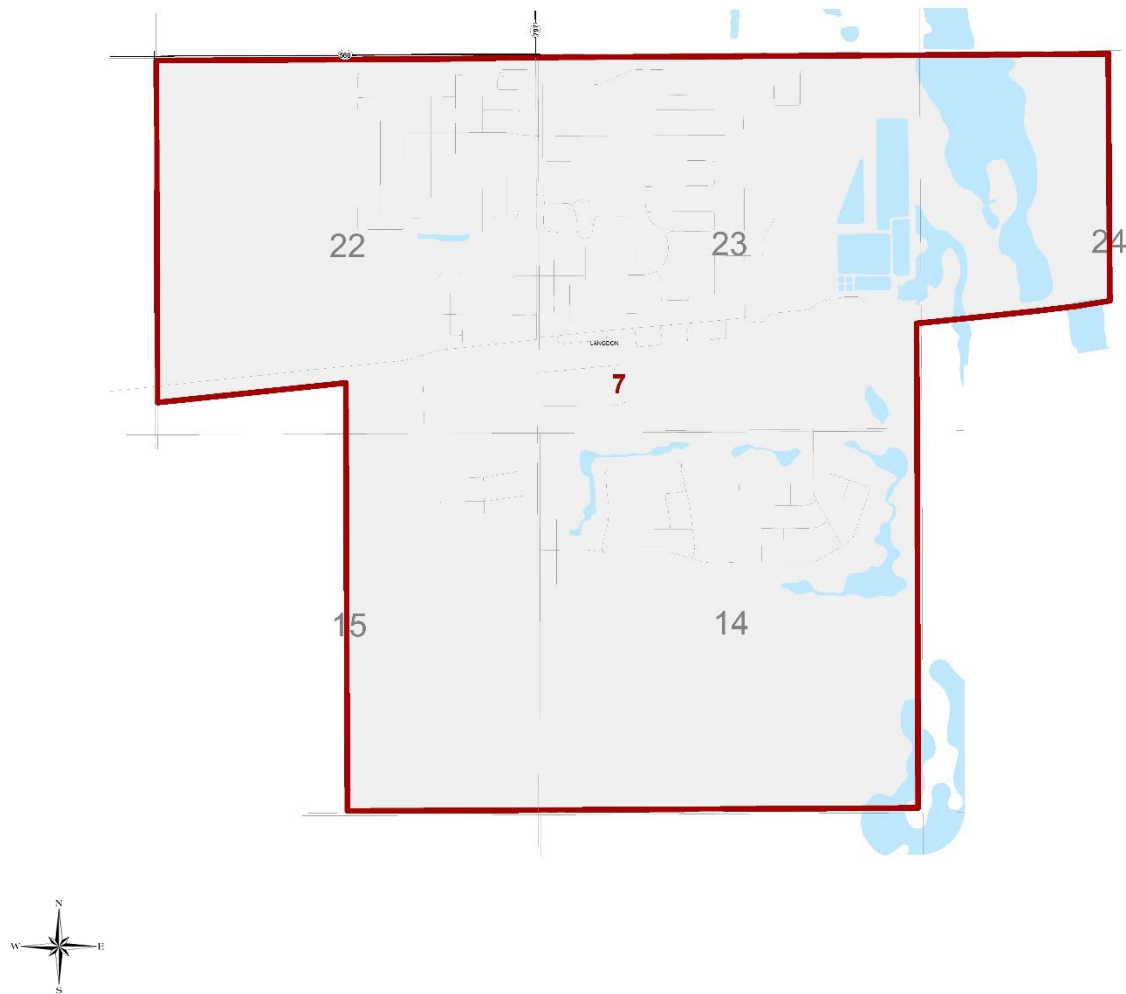
Section 14, the east half of Section 15, the east half of Section 22, and Section 23,  
Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian,

the west half of Section 22, Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian that is north of  
the south boundary of Plan RY 11 (former Canadian Pacific Railway right-of-way), and

the west half of Section 24, Township 23, Range 27, West of the 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian that is north of  
the south boundary of Plan RY 11 (former Canadian Pacific Railway right-of-way)

as presented in Map 7 and in Schedule 'C' of this bylaw.

**Map 7 – Division 7**



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## Schedule 'C' – Electoral Divisions Map

