

**FINANCIAL SERVICES**

TO: Council
DATE: October 11, 2022
FILE: 03917003
SUBJECT: Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Request

DIVISION: 1
APPLICATION: N/A

POLICY DIRECTION:

This request was evaluated in accordance with the Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Policy C-204, which establishes a uniform and consistent approach for Council to address late tax payment cancellation requests in Rocky View County (the County).

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

On July 26, 2022, Administration received a request from the owner of roll 03917003 regarding the July 1, 2022 late payment penalty in the total amount of \$720.76. The 2022 taxes and penalty have been paid in full as of July 27, 2022.

The ratepayer is requesting that the penalty be cancelled as they have experienced recent personal challenges.

This request is not in compliance with the criteria in Policy C-204 (see Attachment 'B'); Administration therefore recommends that the request be denied.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION:

Administration recommends the request be denied in accordance with Option #1.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

There are no budget implications at this time.

OPTIONS:

- Option #1: THAT the request for late tax penalty cancellation in the amount of \$720.76 be denied.
- Option #2: THAT alternative direction be provided.



ROCKY VIEW COUNTY

Respectfully submitted,

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Concurrence,

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ATTACHMENTS:

ATTACHMENT 'A': Request Letter 03917003

ATTACHMENT 'B': Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Policy C-204