

FINANCIAL SERVICES

TO: Council

DATE: November 15, 2022 DIVISION: 5

FILE: 08308006 **APPLICATION:** N/A

SUBJECT: Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Request

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 August 30, 2022, Administration received a request from the ratepayer of roll 08308006, requesting the July 1, 2022, late payment penalty in the total amount of \$337.30 be waived. On August 31, 2022, payment was received to pay the account in full.

The ratepayer is requesting that the penalty be waived as they did not realize that when they made changes to their mortgage, it would not include processing tax payments anymore.

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 \$337.30 be

denied.

Option #2: THAT alternative direction be provided.



Respectfully submitted,	Concurrence,
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Executive Director Corporate Services	Chief Administrative Officer
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ATTACHMENTS:

ATTACHMENT 'A': Request Letter 08308006 ATTACHMENT 'B': Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Policy C-204