

VILLAGE OF ROSEMARY
In the Province of Alberta



Bylaw No. 474-19
Green Light Bylaw

A Bylaw of the Village of Rosemary in the Province of Alberta, to authorize Volunteer Firefighters to use flashing green lights in their vehicles when responding to an emergency call.

This bylaw may be cited as the “Green Light Bylaw”.

Whereas, the Traffic Safety Act authorizes the use of flashing green lights by authorized volunteer firefighters in private vehicles when used in response to a fire or other emergency;

Whereas, Section 28 being Alberta Regulation 122/2009 being the Vehicle Equipment Regulation of the Traffic Safety Act, authorizes municipalities the power to pass a bylaw allowing full time and volunteer firefighters to use flashing green lights in their vehicles as a means of identification when responding to a fire or other emergency;

Now therefore, the Council of the Village of Rosemary, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. A full time or volunteer firefighter may carry on or in a vehicle, other than an emergency vehicle, a lamp that produces intermittent flashes of green light and may operate the lamp in the Village of Rosemary if the vehicle is proceeding to a fire or other emergency.
2. No person other than a full time or volunteer firefighter shall operate a lamp that produces intermittent flashes of green light.
3. Nothing in this bylaw shall be construed so as to permit a full time or volunteer firefighter to operate a vehicle in contravention of the Traffic Safety Act, the regulations under the Traffic Safety Act, any other provincial legislation or regulation, or any bylaw of the Village of Rosemary.
4. This bylaw shall come into force and effect upon the final passing thereof.
5. If any portion of this bylaw is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the invalid portion must be severed, and the remainder of the bylaw is deemed valid.

6. This bylaw will come into force on the date of third and final reading and proper signature thereof.

Read a first time this 22nd day of October 2019.

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Read a third time and passed with unanimous consent of Council this 22nd day of October 2019.

William Marshall, Mayor

Sharon Zacharias, CAO