TOWN OF HARDISTY BY-LAW NO. 1270-22

A BY-LAW OF THE TOWN OF HARDISTY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO PROVIDE FOR PENALTIES ON UNPAID TAXES

WHEREAS, by authority of Section 344 of the Municipal Government Act, Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, Chapter M-26, Council may impose penalties in the year in which a tax is imposed if the tax remains unpaid after the date shown on the tax notice.

AND WHEREAS, by authority of Section 345 of the Municipal Government Act, Revised Statute of Alberta, 2000, Chapter M-26, a Council may impose penalties in any year following the year in which tax is imposed if the tax remains unpaid after December 31 of the year in which it is imposed.

AND WHEREAS, the penalty imposed under Section 344 shall be added to and form part of the unpaid taxes, as long as no penalty is imposed sooner than 30 days after the tax notice is sent out.

NOW THEREFORE, under the authority of the Municipal Government Act, the Council of the Town of Hardisty duly assembled

ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. All current taxes levied in each year are required to be paid on or before August 31st in that year.
- 2. A penalty of five (5%) per cent shall be added to all current levies not paid on or before August 31st in any year.
- 3. A penalty of fifteen (15%) per cent shall be added to all taxes remaining unpaid after December 31st in any year.
- 4. Said penalties shall be added to and form part of the unpaid taxes.
- 5. Any penalty imposed is part of the tax in respect of which it is imposed.
- This By-Law shall remain in effect until rescinded for all taxes levied starting in the year 2022, and for all arrears of taxes still remaining unpaid after December 31st in any year thereafter.
- This By-Law rescinds all previous tax penalty By-Laws.

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READ A FIRST TIME THIS 12th DAY OF APRIL, 2022.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 12th DAY OF APRIL, 2022.

READ A THIRD AND FINAL TIME AND PASSED THIS <u>12TH</u> DAY OF APRIL, 2022.



MAYOR – Wayne Jackson

CAO - Bobbi Usselman

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