

BY-LAW NO. 24/96

A by-law of the Village of Bentley, in the Province of Alberta, to permit the Municipality to provide enhanced 9-1-1 Emergency Service to the citizens of Bentley and to enter into agreements to provide such service to the citizens of other municipalities.

WHEREAS s.7(a) of the *Municipal Government Act S.A. 1994, c. M-26.1*, permits Council to pass by-laws for municipal purposes relating to the safety, health, and welfare of people and the protection of people and property and with respect to services provided by or on behalf of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS TELUS Communications Inc. ("TCI") and the Municipality have entered into an Agreement to Provision Provincial E9-1-1 Service (the "Provisioning Agreement");

AND WHEREAS all local subscribers within the Municipality's jurisdiction will have access to Provincial E9-1-1 Service provided by TCI;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality will incur costs to deliver and utilize through a third party, a centralized Call Answer Service designed to receive 9-1-1 calls made by local subscribers in the Municipality;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality wishes to charge local subscribers a user fee for each exchange service equipped for outward calling, with the said user fee to be known as a "Call Answer Fee", to recover part of the E9-1-1 Call Answer Costs;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality intends to use TCI as billing and collecting agents for this Call Answer Fee;

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BENTLEY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, DULY ASSEMBLED, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. This by-law shall be called the "E9-1-1 Services By-law".
2. The preambles form a part of this by-law.
3. The Provisioning Agreement is hereby ratified and confirmed.
4. The Village of Bentley is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with TCI for the purpose of collecting municipal charges for providing an E-9-1-1 service to the citizens of the municipality.
5. A monthly system service fee in the amount set forth in Item 250 of TCI's General Tariff - Basic Services (Municipal Charge), as amended from time to time by the Canadian Radio-Television and Communications Commission ("CRTC") for each exchange service in the Town equipped for outward dialing is imposed upon each TCI customer subscribing to such exchange service in the Town.
6. A monthly Call Answer Fee in the amount set forth in Item 250 of TCI's General Tariff - Basic Services (Municipal Charge), as amended from time to time by the Canadian Radio-Television and Communications Commission (CRTC) for each exchange service

in the Town equipped for outward dialing is imposed upon each TCI customer subscribing to such exchange service.

7. The municipality shall be entitled to enter into contacts with other parties or municipalities to provide E9-1-1 service within the municipality.

READ a first time in Council this 10 day of December, 1996.

READ a second time in Council this 10 day of December, 1996.

READ a third and final time in Council this 10 day of December, 1996.


MAYOR


CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER