

**BYLAW # 10-2003
TOWN OF SLAVE LAKE**

A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF SLAVE LAKE IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO GRANT THE SLAVE LAKE AIR/GROUND AMBULANCE SOCIETY PRIVILEGE OF PROVIDING AMBULANCE SERVICES WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWN OF SLAVE LAKE AND PROHIBIT ANY OTHER PERSON FROM PROVIDING AMBULANCE SERVICES WITHIN THE TOWN

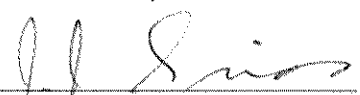
AND WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 49 of the Municipal Government Act, of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, Council prohibits any other person from providing a public ambulance service in the Municipality or any part thereof and grants the exclusive privilege to the Slave Lake Air/Ground Ambulance Society on the terms set out in this by-law;

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to the authority vested in it by Sections 49 of the Municipal Government Act, of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, the Council of the Town of Slave Lake, in the province of Alberta, duly assembled, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:


1. That this by-law shall be cited as the Ambulance Exclusive Service By-law.
2. That in this By-law:
 - a) "Act" means the Municipal Government Act being Section 49, of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, as amended and any Act substituted herefore;
 - b) "Ambulance" means a special motor vehicle equipped for conveying the sick and wounded.
 - c) "Ambulance Service" means the providing of an ambulance, or ambulances, to the residence of The Town of Slave Lake, for the conveyance of the sick and wounded, whether or not a fee is charged
 - d) "Society" means the Slave Lake Air/Ground Ambulance Society
 - e) "Town" means the Town of Slave Lake
3. That except as otherwise provided for in this By-law, the Society shall have the sole and exclusive privileges of providing ambulance service within the boundaries of the Town and no person or persons other than the Society shall provide ambulance service within the boundaries of the Town.
4. That nothing in this By-law shall prohibit any ambulance service located outside of the Town from bringing a person or persons to a hospital or other medical facility within the Town from a location or locations outside of the Town or from transporting patients from a hospital or medical care facility in the Town to a destination outside of the ambulance service area.
5. That the Society shall, while providing ambulance service within the Town, obey all By-laws of the Town with respect to the standards of ambulance service, the maintenance standards of vehicles used to provide ambulance service, the qualifications of persons used as attendants and drivers to provide ambulance service and such other matters relating to the supply of ambulance service within the Town as Council may enact by By-law from time to time.
6. That the grant to the Society contained in this By-law to provide exclusive ambulance service within the Town shall continue at the pleasure of Council and shall in any event terminate if the Town shall cease to be a member of the Society.
7. That nothing contained in this By-law shall prohibit or prevent another ambulance service from providing ambulance service within the Town if called upon to do so by the Society in the event of an emergency or in the event that any other situation shall arise in which the Society feels that outside assistance is required.
8. That this bylaw comes into effect on April 1, 2003.

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 18 DAY OF March, 2003 A.D.


MAYOR


TOWN MANAGER

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 18 DAY OF March, 2003 A.D.


MAYOR


TOWN MANAGER

READ A THIRD TIME AND FINAL READING PASSED THIS 18 DAY
OF

March, 2003, A.D.


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