

**The Rural Municipality of Morris**

BY-LAW NO. 1629/08

**WHEREAS** Section 162(1) of the Municipal Act states as follows:

“162(1) Every Council must adopt a financial plan for each fiscal year in a form approved by the minister and consisting of

- (a) an operating budget
- (b) a capital budget
- (c) an estimate of operating revenue and expenditures for the following fiscal year: and
- (d) a five year capital expenditure program.”

**AND WHEREAS** Section 304(1) of The Municipal Act states as follows:

“304(1) No later than May 15 of each year, after adopting its operating budget for the year, a council must by by-law

- (a) set a rate or rates of tax sufficient to raise
  - (i) the revenue to be raised by property taxes as set out in the operating budget, and
  - (ii) the revenue to be raised in the year to pay for a local improvement or special service and to pay the requisitions payable by the municipality;
- (b) impose taxes
  - (i) in accordance with the tax rate or rates set under clause (a) of the portioned value of each assessable property in the municipality that is liable under The Municipal Assessment Act to that tax, and
  - (ii) where the tax is in respect of a local improvement or special service, in accordance with the local improvement or special services by-law; and
- (c) set a due date for payment of the taxes.”

**AND WHEREAS** The Rural Municipality of Morris has made estimates of all sums required by the corporation for the year 2008, which estimates, attached hereto as Schedule “A” and forming part of the by-law, were adopted by resolution;

**AND WHEREAS** the Rural Municipality of Morris held a Public Hearing concerning the Financial Plan on March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2008 at the R.M of Morris Council chambers for the 2008 financial plan;

**AND WHEREAS** it is necessary by by-law to levy a rate or rates of so much on the dollar upon the assessed value of all rateable property liable therefore in the municipality as the Council deems sufficient to raise the sums required for the lawful purpose of the corporation as shown by the estimate;

**AND WHEREAS** the assessed value of the whole rateable properties within the Rural Municipality of Morris, according to the latest revised assessment roll is \$109,116,160;

**AND WHEREAS** it is necessary to fix rates of taxation for the purpose aforesaid and the time of payment of all rates and taxes so fixed by levy;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris, in open Council duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** the following respective rates of so much on the dollar be and hereby are levied for the year 2008 upon the assessed value of all the rateable property in the municipality respectively liable therefore according to the latest revised Assessment Roll of general and personal property thereof, to raise the sums required for the purposes of the corporation, which said rates, assessed values and sums required are set in schedule “A”.

(a) Education Support Levy rates of 16.081 mills on the dollar on other assessment levied under Section 184 and 185 of The Public Schools Act.

(b) The following Special School Division rates levied under Section 188 and 189 of the Public Schools Act:

<u>School Division</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Mill Rate</u>
Borderland	16	25.528
Red River Valley	19	21.668
Prairie Rose	25	19.111

(c) A rate of 1.858 mills on the dollar on all taxable property in the municipality to provide for the requirements of the Machinery Replacement Reserve.

(d) A rate of .465 mills on the dollar on all taxable property of the Municipality to pay for the General Reserve requirements of the corporation.

(e) A rate of .714 mills on the dollar on all taxable property of the Municipality to pay for the Gas Tax Reserve requirements of the corporation.

2. **THAT** a rate of 9.062 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of the Rural Area being \$92,836,410.
3. **THAT** a rate of 9.711 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment At Large being \$109,116,160.
4. **THAT** a rate of 8.120 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$16,256,480 to raise the sum required for the purpose of the Local Urban District of Rosenort.
5. **THAT** a rate of 1.041 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$24,025,910 as set out in By-law No. 1093, to raise the sum required for the Lowe Farm Community Centre District.
6. **THAT** a rate of 1.502 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$43,277,270 as set out in By-law 1095, to raise the sum required for the Rosenort Community Centre District.
7. **THAT** a rate of 1.304 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$9,208,980 as set out in By-law No. 1248, to raise the sum required for the Aubigny Community Centre District.
8. **THAT** a rate of 0.862 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$17,286,360 as set out in By-law No. 1142, to raise the sum required for the Morris Joint Community Centre District.
9. **THAT** a rate of 0.469 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$13,189,660 as set out in By-law 1138, to raise the sum required for the Rural Sperling Community Centre District.
10. **THAT** a rate of 1.785 mills on the dollar be levied upon the assessment of \$1,526,270 as set out in By-law No. 1138, to raise the sum required for the Urban Sperling Community Centre District.
11. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-law No. 1559/02 sufficient to raise the sum of \$17,380.97 for the purpose of retiring a debenture for the connection to a water line.
12. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-law 1569/03 sufficient to raise the sum of \$14,214.07 for the connection to a rural water line.
13. **THAT** a charge of each of the properties listed under By-Law # 1583/04 to raise the sum of \$24,865.18 for the repayment of a debenture for the Sperling water and sewer system.

14. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-Law #1594/05 sufficient to raise the sum of \$89,973.84 for the connection to rural water line.
15. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-law #1612/07 sufficient to raise the sum of \$52,327.47 for the connection to a rural water line.
16. **THAT** a charge of 6.966 mills on the dollar be levied on an assessment of \$4,239,240 as set out in By-law 1598/05, to raise the sum required for the Lowe Farm street paving.
17. **THAT** a charge of 5.021 mills on the dollar be levied on an assessment of \$20,898,200 as set out in By-law # 1592/05 for the purpose of a debenture payment for the purpose of retiring a debenture for the Rosenort dyke.
18. **THAT** a charge of 11.781 mills on the dollar be levied on an assessment of \$773,030 as set out in By-law # 1574/03 and By-Law #1593/05 for the purpose of a debenture payment for the purpose of retiring a debenture for the Aubigny dyke.
19. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-law 1611/07 sufficient to raise the sum of \$47,757.91 for the connection of a rural water line.
20. **THAT** a charge of each of the properties listed under By-Law 1626/08 sufficient to raise the sum of \$7,742.74 for connection to a water line.
21. **THAT** a charge on each of the properties listed under By-Law # 1627/08 sufficient to raise the sum of \$11,862.88 for connection to a rural water line.
22. **THAT** a charge of 0.460 mills on the dollar be levied on an assessment of \$113,918,690 as set out in By-Law 1615/07 for the purpose of retiring a debenture for a public works garage.
23. **THAT** all taxes and rates imposed and levied in the Rural Municipality of Morris, for the year 2008, shall be deemed to have been imposed and to be due and payable on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2008 and that a discount in the amount of 1.50% will be allowed on all current taxes prepaid by June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008 and that after June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008 all such current taxes and rates shall be payable at par up to October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008.
24. **THAT** on all taxes remaining unpaid after the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2008, there shall be added on the first day of each succeeding month thereafter, a penalty of 1.25% per month, until such taxes are paid or until the time of the Tax Sale.

**DONE AND PASSED** by Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris duly assembled in Morris, Manitoba this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2008 AD.

  
REEVE

  
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Read a first time on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008  
Read a second time on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008  
Read a third time on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008