

BYLAW NO. 2018-11

**THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF KELLROSS NO. 247
SASKATCHEWAN**

**A BYLAW FOR THE PREVENTION OR SPREAD OF FIRE, AND FOR THE PRESERVATION
OF LIFE AND PROPERTY IN THE EVENT OF FIRE IN THE SPECIAL SERVICE AREA OF
LESTOCK**

THE COUNCIL OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF KELLROSS NO. 247, in the Province of
Saskatchewan, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. This Bylaw shall be cited as the Fire Prevention Bylaw for the Special Service Area of Lestock.
2. This Bylaw is governed by the provisions and regulations of the *Fire Prevention Act, 1992*.
3. The provisions of this Bylaw shall be administered and enforced by the RM Administrator and the Fire Chief who is also the Fire Inspector and the local assistant to the *Saskatchewan Fire Prevention Act*.
4. **Definitions**
 - a) “Approval” or “Approved” shall mean the written approval of the RM Administrator and Fire Chief who is the authorities having jurisdiction.
 - b) “Fire Services” shall mean fire suppression, rescue, investigations, and inspections.
5. **Additions**
 - a) No person shall light, ignite, start or allow or cause to be lighted, ignited, or started, a fire of any kind whatsoever unless in a containment unit in the open air without first obtaining a written permit from the RM Administrator, subsequently approved by the Council for the Rural Municipality of Kellross No. 247. Burning Permit (Appendix A) attached to and forms part of this Bylaw.
 - b) No person shall cause or permit to be caused, the burning of trash, refuse, garbage, industrial waste or any waste material in an incinerator or receptacle, commonly referred to as a ‘burning barrel’ or outdoor fireplace.
6. **Order to Remedy Hazardous Conditions**
 - a) When, upon an inspection under Section 5, the Fire Chief finds that any provision of this Bylaw has been contravened or has not been complied with or has been complied with improperly or only in part, or that conditions exist in or upon a building or property to which the Bylaw applies, which in his opinion constitutes a hazard to life or property, he may make such an order to ensure full and proper compliance with this Bylaw to correct the contravention.
 - b) The Fire Chief may order that a property be evacuated, boarded up, secured and kept in a safe condition to guard against fire or other dangerous risk or accident. If the work directed to be done is not done by the owner with a specified period of time as shall be set out in the order the work shall be done by the municipality and the cost thereof added to the taxes on the property on which the work was done, the right of appeal to the municipality by the owner, occupant or lessee.
7. **Offenses and Penalties**
 - a) Every person who violates any provision of this Bylaw or fails to comply with an order made by the RM Administrator or Fire Chief, is guilty of an offense and liable on summary conviction to penalties set out in the *Fire Prevention Act* of the Province of Saskatchewan and where the said Act is not specific on an offense the provisions of the General Penalty of the Rural Municipality of Kellross No. 247 shall apply.

- b) Every person who commits an offense under this Bylaw is guilty of a summary offense and liable to a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual and not more than \$10,000.00 for a corporation.
8. This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the day of the final passing thereof.
9. The Former Village of Lestock Bylaw No. 4-08 is hereby repealed.

(Seal)

Reeve

Administrator

First Reading: _____

Second Reading: _____

Read a Third Time and adopted
This _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

Administrator