

BYLAW NO. 4 - 2002

**A BYLAW TO PROVIDE FOR ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT
TO PROVIDE FIRE FIGHTING SERVICES.**

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Harris No. 316 in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

1. The Rural Municipality of Harris is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the following:
 - ▶ R. M. of Fertile Valley #285
 - ▶ Village of Conquest
 - ▶ Village of Harrisfor the provision of fire fighting services.


2. The Reeve and Administrator of the Rural Municipality of Harris No. 316 are hereby authorized to sign and execute the attached agreement identified as "Exhibit A".




Reeve


Admin.

Certified a True Copy of Bylaw No. 4-2002
adopted by Resolution of Council on the
1st day of May, 2002.


Reeve


Admin.



SCHEDULE "A"

BETWEEN:

The Rural Municipality of Fertile Valley No. 285
The Rural Municipality of Harris No. 316
The Village of Harris
The Village of Conquest


This indenture made in quadruplicate this 1ST day of MAY, A.D. 2002.

1. In this agreement, the following words shall mean:
 - a) "Municipality" shall mean any or all the above named municipal corporations and can be in the singular or plural;
 - b) "Municipal Fire Fighting Unit" shall mean i) the fire departments of any of these municipalities whether owned alone or jointly; ii) any other fire fighting unit called into the municipality by any of the above corporations; and/or iii) any volunteers who have come to the aid of the above fire fighting units;
 - c) "Fire fight" shall include, but not be limited to, scouting an area, actually fighting fire, and doing prevention work.
2. Municipal Fire Fighting Units shall be authorized to enter into and fight fires in other municipalities as listed in this agreement.
3. For the purposes of this agreement only, if any Regional Park or any Saskatchewan Provincial Park has a written fire protection agreement with any of the above municipalities, they shall be treated as part of that municipality.
4. Any municipality going to fight fire in an area outside of its own boundaries shall, as soon as is possible, advise the Fire Chief to the area the fire is located that such is the case. The first municipal fire fighting unit arriving at the scene shall take command of the operation until such time as jurisdiction can be transferred in an orderly fashion.
5. Any municipality fighting a fire outside of its municipal boundaries shall bill the costs of the fire to the municipality in which the fire occurred, using the rates and charges that the municipality doing the fire fighting would normally charge for its fire fighting units, and the municipality which is billed may then re-bill and collect for its fire fighting costs, to the persons or corporations who should be billed for the fire.
6. As soon as is possible in each year, the participating municipalities shall advise the other participating municipalities of the following:
 - a) names and telephone numbers of all its Chiefs, Assistant Chiefs, Hamlet Fire Chiefs, Prairie Fire Wardens and other persons who might be appropriately included in the list;
 - b) an inventory list of fire fighting equipment; and
 - c) a list of fees and rates for fighting equipment, as they apply to all areas within these municipalities.
7. It is understood and agreed that this agreement shall be continuous in nature but this agreement may be terminated by any party thereto giving six months notice to all other parties.

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ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR FIRE PROTECTION

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have affixed their seal by the hand of their proper signing officers in that regard.

THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF FERTILE VALLEY NO. 285


Barrington
[Signature]
ADMINISTRATOR

THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF HARRIS NO. 316

L.W. [Signature]
REEVE
(SEAL)
[Signature]
ADMINISTRATOR



THE VILLAGE OF HARRIS

[Signature]
MAYOR
(SEAL)
[Signature]
VILLAGE CLERK



THE VILLAGE OF CONQUEST

[Signature]
MAYOR
(SEAL)
L. Jean Jones
VILLAGE CLERK