

BYLAW 08/24

BEING A BYLAW OF FLAGSTAFF COUNTY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING ELECTORAL BOUNDARIES AND THE NUMBER OF COUNCILLORS TO SERVE ON FLAGSTAFF COUNTY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Council of Flagstaff County wishes to adjust the electoral boundaries of the Municipal County and ensure that population distribution amongst the Divisions is consistent;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 143, 148, and 151 of the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, and amendments thereto, provide the legislative authority to establish electoral boundaries and other matters;

AND WHEREAS Section 148 of the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, and amendments thereto, enables Council to change the Divisional boundaries for the County and change the number of Divisions and specify the number and/or name assigned to each Division;

AND WHEREAS Section 148 of the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000, and amendments thereto, enables the Council to pass a bylaw specifying that there will be one Councillor elected for each Division established;

AND WHEREAS the Council is dividing the municipality into five Divisions;

AND WHEREAS the Council is requiring that Councillors are representatives for the Division in which they were nominated, that Councillors are nominated by Division and elected by vote of the electors of each ward;

AND WHEREAS the Council has provided an opportunity for public participation and has considered all information in a dutiful manner;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of Flagstaff County, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1 TITLE

1.1 This Bylaw may be cited as the "Electoral Boundaries Bylaw".

2 DEFINITIONS

2.1 In this Bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires;
a) "Division" has the same definition as "ward" under the Municipal Government Act.

3 DIVISIONS AND DIVISIONAL BOUNDARIES

3.1 For the purposes of the October 2025 general municipal election and thereafter, Flagstaff County is hereby divided into five Divisions.
3.2 The boundaries of each Division are outlined within Schedule "A" which is attached hereto and forms part of this Bylaw.
3.3 Division boundaries fall in the centre of roadways or rivers marked as Division boundaries as set out in Schedule "A".
3.4 Each Division is assigned a number as set out in Schedule "A".

4 Council

4.1 For the purposes of the October 2025 general municipal election and thereafter, Council shall be comprised of five Councillors with one Councillor elected from each division and are to be:
4.1.1 Nominated by Division by residents of that Division, and
4.1.2 Elected by Division through a vote of the electors within that Division in accordance with the Local Authorities Election Act.


5 REPEAL


5.1 This Bylaw supersedes any prior bylaws establishing Division boundaries.

6 ENACTMENT

6.1 This Bylaw takes effect for the general municipal election in 2025 and thereafter.

Read a first time this 7 day of October, 2024



Reeve


Chief Administrative Officer

Read a second time this _____ day of _____, 2024

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Chief Administrative Officer

Read a first time this _____ day of _____, 2024

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Chief Administrative Officer

SCHEDULE "A"**ELECTORAL DIVISION BOUNDARIES IDENTIFIED BY LEGAL DESCRIPTION****Division 1**

- Township 39, Range 10 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 11 that are within Flagstaff County and excluding Sections 7, 17-20, 28-33
- Township 40, Range 9 to 10 that are within Flagstaff County, and Range 11 excluding Sections 4-9, 16-21, 28-33
- Township 41, Range 9 to 10 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 11 excluding Sections 4-9, 16-21, 28-33
- Township 42, Range 9 to 10 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 11 to 12
- Township 43, Range 9 to 11 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 12
- Township 44, Range 10 that are within Flagstaff County, and Range 11 excluding Sections 4-9, 13-36

Division 2

- Township 39, Range 11 that are within Flagstaff County and excluding Sections 25-27, 34-36, Range 12 to 13 that are within Flagstaff County
- Township 40, Range 11 excluding Sections 1-3, 10-15, 22-27, 34-36, Range 12, Range 13 to 16 that are within Flagstaff County
- Township 41, Range 11 excluding Sections 1-3, 10-15, 22-27, 34-36, Range 12 to 14, Range 15 to 17 that are within Flagstaff County

Division 3

- Township 42, Range 13 to 14, Range 15 to 17 that are within Flagstaff County
- Township 43, Range 13 to 14, Range 15 excluding Sections 27-34, Range 16 that are within Flagstaff County and excluding Sections 25-36, Range 17 that are within Flagstaff County
- Township 44, Range 13 that are within Flagstaff County and excluding Sections 19-36, Range 14 excluding Sections 19-36, Range 15 excluding Sections 3-10, 15-36

Division 4

- Township 44, Range 11 excluding Sections 1-3, 10-12, Range 12 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 13 that are within Flagstaff County and excluding Sections 1-18, Range 14 excluding Sections 1-18
- Township 45, Range 10 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 11 to 14, Range 15 excluding Sections 3-10, 15-22, 27-34
- Township 46, Range 13 and 14 that are within Flagstaff County, Range 15, Range 16 excluding Sections 3-10, 15-22, 27-34

Division 5

- Township 43, Range 15 excluding Sections 1-26, 35-36, Range 16 excluding Sections 1-24
- Township 44, Range 15 excluding Sections 1-2, 11-14, Range 16
- Township 45, Range 15 excluding Sections 1-2, 11-14, 23-26, 35-36, Range 16 that are within Flagstaff County
- Township 46, Range 16 excluding Sections 1-2, 11-14, 23-26, 35-36

ELECTORAL DIVISION BOUNDARIES IDENTIFIED BY MAP

