

Animal Control Bylaw Update – Recommendations:

1. Addition of appeal process for the following situations:
 - Denial of a permit
 - Revoking of a permit
 - Terms, conditions, or restrictions placed on a permit
2. Include honeybees as livestock and incorporate the regulation of apiculture within Strathcona County into the rewrite of the Animal Control Bylaw
3. Ban new production of wild boar and genetic derivatives.
4. Addition of a temporary exemption permit to allow livestock in urban areas for community events, parades, or business functions
5. Addition of a temporary exemption permit to allow livestock in urban areas for use as therapy animals, determined on a case by case basis
6. Regulations for livestock allowances be based using Option 3
 - Parcel size and zoning determine if livestock is permitted
 - Could allow for livestock in rural hamlets, where property size and zoning are suitable
 - Animal units refined based on specific animals, their requirements, and waste produced
 - Policy area and property size determine number of allowable livestock units, taking environmentally significant areas into consideration
 - No livestock permitted in Urban Service Area – Sherwood Park (excluding Urban Service Area – Bremner) unless exemption permit granted