

Regional Assessment Review Board - Amending Bylaw 40-2019**Report Purpose**

To provide Council with information on a proposed clerical amendment to the Regional Assessment Review Board Bylaw.

Recommendation

THAT Bylaw 40-2019, a bylaw to amend The Regional Assessment Review Board Bylaw 16-2019, to replace section 5 of Bylaw 16-2019, which establishes distinct Local Assessment Review Board and Composite Assessment Review Board membership, be given first reading.

THAT Bylaw 40-2019 be given second reading.

THAT Bylaw 40-2019 be considered for third reading.

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Our Prioritized Strategic Goals

Governance Requirement

Report

On July 23, 2019 Council gave three readings to Bylaw 16-2019, the Regional Assessment Review Board Bylaw, which established a joint board between Strathcona County and the Town of Bruderheim. The proposed amendment bylaw addresses an editorial change to ensure clarity in the establishment of the separate boards under the Regional Assessment Review Board Bylaw.

Council and Committee History

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Other Impacts

Policy: N/A

Legislative/Legal: Section 455(1) of the Municipal Government Act, RSA 2000, c. M-26 provides that two or more councils may agree to jointly establish an assessment review board with jurisdiction in member municipalities. The MGA also requires that the councils jointly designate a chair and clerk.

Interdepartmental: N/A

Master Plan/Framework: Establishing a regional ARB would be an activity identified in Strathcona County's Intermunicipal Collaborative Framework with the Town of Bruderheim.

Communication Plan

Provided that the bylaw is passed, administration will update the public website.

Enclosure

1 Bylaw 40-2019