BYLAW NUMBER 21B2014

BEING A BYLAW TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF CALGARY TO INCUR INDEBTEDNESS BY THE ISSUANCE OF DEBENTURES IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$55.815 MILLION FOR FINANCING THE AQUISITION OF FLEET AND EQUIPMENT FOR FLEET SERVICES AND DIVERSION INFRASTRUCTURE FOR WASTE & RECYCLING SERVICES

WHEREAS Council of The City of Calgary ("Council") has approved the Action Plan 2015-2018;

AND WHEREAS the acquisition of fleet and equipment for Fleet Services and diversion infrastructure for Waste & Recycling Services ("the Projects") has an estimated cost of \$66.313 million;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that \$10,498 million of the total cost of the Projects will be financed from sources other than debenture borrowings;

AND WHEREAS Council has decided to pass a bylaw pursuant to Sections 251 and 258 of the <u>Municipal Government Act</u> (R.S.A. 2000 c. M-26))("the MGA") to borrow the sum of \$55.815 million from Alberta Capital Finance Authority ("ACFA") or other financial institutions or capital markets by the issuance of debentures to finance the Project;

AND WHEREAS the estimated lifetime of the Projects financed under this Bylaw is equal to, or in excess of ten (10) years;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the long term debt of The City of Calgary ("The City") as at 2013 December 31 is \$3,661 million with \$571 million being tax supported debt, \$1,174 million being self-sufficient tax supported debt and \$1,916 million being self supported debt and no part of the principal or interest is in arrears;

AND WHEREAS all required approvals for the Projects financed under this Bylaw will be obtained prior to construction to ensure the Projects are in compliance with all laws in force in the Province of Alberta.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALGARY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The City is hereby authorized to issue one or more debentures on behalf of The City to a maximum sum of \$55.815 million to finance the Projects.
- 2. The City shall pay interest, principal, fees and deposits when due and as required on the indebtedness over a period not exceeding ten (10) years at a rate not exceeding the rate fixed by the lender on the date of the borrowing, up to a maximum rate of 8%.

- 3. The City shall charge user fees sufficient to pay the interest, principal, fees and deposits when due and as required on the indebtedness. In the event of any revenue deficiency, The City shall levy and raise municipal taxes sufficient to pay the indebtedness.
- 4. The indebtedness shall be contracted on the credit and security of The City.
- 5. The net amount borrowed under this Bylaw shall be applied only to the Projects.
- 6. This Bylaw comes into force on the date it is passed.

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