

BYLAW NUMBER 52M2014

**BEING A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF CALGARY
TO AMEND BYLAW 5M2004, THE COMMUNITY
STANDARDS BYLAW**

WHEREAS Council has approved Report PUD2014-0658 and considers it necessary to amend Bylaw 5M2004, the Community Standards Bylaw;

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

1. Bylaw 5M2004, the Community Standards Bylaw, as amended, is hereby further amended.
2. The following is added after section 28 as section 28.1:

“28.1 (1) In this section, “*Sound Level*” means the sound pressure measured in decibels using the “C” weighted network of a Sound Level Meter with fast response.

(2) No Person shall operate or permit to be operated an air conditioner, fan, central vacuum system or generator that causes a Continuous Sound that exceeds the greater of the following Sound Levels:

 - (a) 70 decibels (dBC) Leq measured over a one (1) hour period during the Day-time; or
 - (b) 60 decibels (dBC) Leq measured over a one (1) hour period during the Night-time;

at any Point of Reception within a Residential Development.

(3) Notwithstanding subsection (2), where the Ambient Sound Level for an area is at or above the maximum allowable Day-time or Night-time Sound Levels referred to in subsection (2), measured over a one (1) hour period, a Sound Level must exceed 5 decibels (dBC) Leq over the Ambient Sound Level before it becomes an offence.”
3. In Schedule “A”, the following is added after section 27 under the headings indicated:

SECTION	OFFENCE	MINIMUM PENALTY	SPECIFIED PENALTY
“28(1)	Continuous Noise in excess of prescribed Sound Level	\$50	\$100
28.1(2)	Continuous Noise in excess of prescribed Sound Level	\$50	\$100”

4. This Bylaw comes into force on the day it is passed.

READ A FIRST TIME THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2014.

READ A SECOND TIME THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2014.

READ A THIRD TIME THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2014.

MAYOR
SIGNED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2014.

CITY CLERK
SIGNED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2014.

PROPOSED