Proposed Amendments to Land Use Bylaw 1P2007

Division 2: Definitions and Methods

- 1. The City of Calgary Land Use Bylaw, being Bylaw 1P2007 of the City of Calgary, as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:
 - (a) Insert a new subsection 13(30.1) as follows:
 - "climate adaptation" means actions, programs and tools intended to reduce negative impacts of climate change on built and natural infrastructure, the economy and people."
 - (b) Insert a new subsection 13(30.2) as follows:
 - "13(30.2) "climate change" means a long-term change in the average weather patterns that have come to define Earth's local, regional and global climates due to the increase in atmospheric greenhouse gases caused by human activities."
 - (c) Insert a new subsection 13(30.3) as follows:
 - "climate mitigation" means actions, programs and tools that limit or prevent greenhouse gas emissions from going into the atmosphere, or activities that remove greenhouse gases from the atmosphere through natural or technological means."
 - (d) Insert a new subsection 13(69.1) as follows:
 - **13(69.1)** "greenhouse gas" means any gas in the atmosphere that absorbs infrared radiation, thereby trapping heat in the atmosphere.

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Exemption for Insulation Retrofit

25.4 (1) In the low density residential districts, development with the sole purpose of adding exterior insulation and associated cladding to an existing building containing a Dwelling Unit does not require a development permit.

Unless otherwise stated in subsection (3), **Development** with the sole purpose of adding exterior insulation and associated cladding to an existing **building** does not require a **development permit**.

- (2) The additional exterior insulation and associated cladding referenced in subsection (1) may:
 - (a) project a maximum of 0.3 metres into any required setback area:
 - (b) exceed the maximum parcel coverage in low density residential districts; and
 - (c) be exempt from the minimum *landscaped area* calculations in *multi-residential districts*.
- (3) **Buildings** listed on the **City's** inventory of evaluated historic resources are not exempt from the requirement for a **development permit** under subsection (1).

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Division 5: Discretionary Use Development Permit

Discretionary Use Development Permit Application

- When making a decision on a development permit for a discretionary use the Development Authority must take into account:
 - (a) any plans and policies affecting the parcel;
 - (a.1) climate mitigation and climate adaptation;
 - (b) the purpose statements in the applicable land use district;
 - (c) the appropriateness of the location and parcel for the proposed development;
 - (d) the compatibility and impact of the proposed development with respect to adjacent development and the neighbourhood;
 - (e) the merits of the proposed development;
 - (f) the servicing requirements:
 - (g) access, parking and transportation requirements;
 - (h) vehicle and pedestrian circulation within the parcel;
 - (i) the impact on the public transit system; and
 - (j) sound planning principles.

Conditions on Discretionary Use Development Permits

- 38 (1) The Development Authority may, as a condition of issuing a development permit for a discretionary use, impose conditions in respect of the following matters:
 - (a) actions to be performed or carried out prior to the release of the development permit;
 - (a.1) climate mitigation and climate adaptation;
 - (b) the construction or maintenance of the proposed development in accordance with the approved plans;
 - (c) the appropriate performance of a use;
 - (d) an environmental site assessment;
 - (e) the time or times a use may be carried out;

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- (f) phasing of the development;
- (g) limits imposed on the development;
- (g.1) The number of motor vehicle parking stalls provided for a development, regardless of whether the use or District identifies a minimum number of required motor vehicle parking stalls.
- (h) bonusing requirements;
- (i) the construction of or payment for public utilities, other than telecommunications systems or works, and vehicular and pedestrian access that are necessary to serve the development; and
- (j) the furtherance of sound planning principles.

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