

PROPOSED WORDING FOR THE 2015 SUPPLEMENTARY PROPERTY ASSESSMENT BYLAW

WHEREAS section 313 of the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26 (“the Act”) provides that the council of a municipality must pass a supplementary assessment bylaw to authorize the preparation of supplementary assessments in respect of improvements for the purpose of imposing a tax in the same year;

AND WHEREAS section 313 of the Act provides further that a supplementary assessment bylaw or any amendment to it applies to the year in which it is passed, only if it is passed before May 1 of that year;

AND WHEREAS The City of Calgary wishes to pass a supplementary assessment bylaw to provide for the preparation of supplementary assessments in respect of improvements for the taxation year 2015;

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

1. This Bylaw may be cited as the “2015 Supplementary Property Assessment Bylaw”.
2. In this Bylaw,
 - (a) “Act” means the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26;
 - (b) “Assessor” means a person appointed by a municipality as defined in section 284 of the Act;
 - (c) “City of Calgary” means The City of Calgary, a municipal corporation of the Province of Alberta and, where the context so requires, means the geographical area within the boundaries of the City of Calgary;
 - (d) “Council” has the same meaning as in section 1 of the Act;
 - (e) “Improvement” has the same meaning as in section 284 of the Act;
 - (f) “Supplementary Assessment” means an assessment made pursuant to this Bylaw and Part 9, Division 4 of the Act.
3. Supplementary Assessments shall be prepared in 2015 for the purpose of imposing a tax in the same year under Part 10 of the Act.
4. Subject to the provisions of section 314 of the Act, the Assessor must prepare Supplementary Assessments:
 - (1) for machinery and equipment used in manufacturing and processing, if those Improvements are completed in 2015 or begin to operate in 2015;

- (2) for all other Improvements, if they are completed in 2015, are occupied during all or any part of 2015, or are moved into the City of Calgary during 2015 and will not be taxed in the same year by another municipality; and
 - (3) in the same manner as the assessments are prepared under Part 9, Division 1 of the Act, but must pro-rate the Supplementary Assessments to reflect only the number of months during which the Improvement is completed, occupied, located in the City of Calgary or in operation, including the whole of the first month in which the Improvement was completed, was occupied, was moved into the City of Calgary or began to operate.
5. The Assessor may prepare a Supplementary Assessment for a designated manufactured home that is moved into the City of Calgary during the year in which it is to be taxed under Part 10 despite the fact that the designated manufactured home will be taxed in that year by another municipality.
6. A supplementary assessment roll shall be prepared in accordance with section 315 of the Act.
7.
 - (1) A supplementary assessment notice shall be prepared in accordance with section 316 of the Act for every assessed Improvement shown on the supplementary assessment roll.
 - (2) The supplementary assessment notices shall be sent in accordance with section 316 of the Act to the assessed persons.
8. This Bylaw comes into force on the day it is passed.