

MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING

February 6, 2019
BYLAW 2019/01/D

THOSE PRESENT:

Mayor Doerksen
Councillor Gammana
Councillor McGee
Councillor Peebles
Councillor Wheeler
Winston Rossouw, Chief Administrative Officer
Annette Driessen, Director of Community Services
Rick Wheatley, Director of Engineering
Tom Thomson, Fire Chief
Kevin McMillan, Director of Finance
Jennifer Stone, Executive Assistant and Communications

Leonard Rogers, Manager of Information Services
Hari Dusi, Junior Networks & Systems Administrator
Sonya Wrigglesworth, Engineering Project Manager
Matt Ellis, Planner
Cathy Weetman, Western Review
Members of the Public

ABSENT:

Deputy Mayor Ballas
Councillor Dodds

ITEM

Bylaw No. 2019/01/D – Signage Amending (Temporary Signs) Bylaw

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Doerksen declared the Public Hearing open at 9:21 a.m.

PURPOSE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING

To receive comments, concerns, and questions from the public with regard to the proposed changes to the Signage Bylaw 2012/16/D regarding temporary sandwich board/A-board signs. Bylaw 2019/01/D proposes the following changes to Signage Bylaw 2012/16/D:

- 1) Add a definition for Sandwich Board/A-board Signs;

Sandwich Board/A-board Sign “means a type of Temporary Sign that consists of two boards hinged at the top and position to form a triangular shape with the ground”

- 2) Exempt Sandwich Board/A-board Signs from the requirement for a Development Permit, provided the sign:

a) is limited to advertising a yard sale, garage sale, sporting event, not-for-profit community event, the location of real estate for the purposes of public viewing together with the name, logo and contact information of the associated team(s), community organization(s) or realtor/realtor firm.

b) does not create a safety hazard for passing motorists, cyclists and pedestrians, which includes (but not limited to) being reasonably and securely affixed to the ground or weighted to prevent the sign from being blown onto adjacent roadways and sidewalks during periods of high winds;

c) *is not larger than 0.55 square metres, and*

d) *is removed within 72 hours of it being erected.*

BACKGROUND

The above Bylaw has received First Reading at the January 16, 2019, Regular Meeting of Council, and may receive Second and Third Readings today, depending upon the comments received at this Public Hearing.

Notification of the Bylaw, requesting comments from the public, and advising them of the Public Hearing, has been provided through in accordance with Town of Drayton Valley Bylaw 2018/07/A (Electronic Advertising Bylaw). To facilitate the Public Hearing process, any comments received (written or verbal) will be presented as a package at the time of the Public Hearing.

CALL FOR COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR

There were no comments received from the floor.

CALL FOR COMMENTS OR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS

There were two written submissions received.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Doerksen declared the Public Hearing closed at 9:24 a.m.

MAYOR

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER