
A By-Law of the County of St. Paul # 19 authorizing it to establish a Warble Control Area in the County of St. Paul # 19.

WHEREAS the cattle warble grub is declared a pest under the Agricultural Pest Act and causes great damage to the cattle industry in Alberta, and

WHEREAS a majority of 80% or more of the cattle owners in the County of St. Paul # 19 have signified by petition their willingness to have Warble Control established in the County of St. Paul # 19, and

WHEREAS under authority of the Municipal Government Act, Chapter 68, Section 157, as amended May 7, 1969 by Chapter 75, Section 22 of the said Act, the Council of the County of St. Paul # 19 may provide a By-Law for the purpose of eliminating or mitigating insects likely to be destructive or dangerous to livestock, and

WHEREAS under authority of the Agricultural Pests Act 1960, the duties of any person who owns, occupies or controls land and the Municipal authority above mentioned, are defined, THEREFORE the Council of the County of St. Paul # 19 being duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The Council of the County of St. Paul # 19 is hereby authorized to establish a Warble Control Program in the County of St. Paul # 19.
2. All cattle in the County of St. Paul # 19 except those mentioned in part 3 and 4 shall be treated annually from August 31st to November 30th with a systemic insecticide registered for warble control under the Pest Control Products Act. Such systemic insecticides as Ruelene, Neguvon, Co-RAL and any other that may be named from time to time, to be administered according to instructions issued on container labels.
3. Milking dairy cows shall be treated from March 1st to May 31st with a Rotenone back wash pesticide as registered under the Pest Control Act(Canada). Dry dairy cows shall be treated in the same manner unless systemic pesticides have been applied according to directions set out by the manufacturer of the said pesticides.
4. Calves under 3 months or weighing less than 300 lbs and/or animals under severe stress (Malnutrition, Disease, calving etc.) may be exempt from the treatment but shall be properly treated upon reaching the required age, weight or recovery from stress.
5. All cattle shall be treated with a recommended insecticide before entering any designated community pasture or any other pasture, private or otherwise in the area.
6. All stocker and feeder cattle brought into the area as breeding, feeder or replacement stock shall be treated with a recommended warble control chemical as soon as weather and other conditions permit.
7. A person who contravenes this By-Law is guilty of an offence and liable to summary conviction as set out in Section 25 of the Agricultural Pests Act 1960, and/or the Municipal Government Act 1968, Sections 157, 113 and and Chapter 75,1969, Section 22 being an Act to amend the Municipal Government Act.

Given first and second reading and by unanimous consent of the whole Council present a third reading and finally passed this 13th day of July A.D. 1971.

NOTE: Refer to original for signatures