TOWN OF BONNYVILLE REQUEST FOR DECISION

Date: March 19, 2025 Submitted By: Administration Meeting Date: March 25, 2025 SUBJECT: Policy No. 25-PD-103 – Demolition Grant Policy 2025

BACKGROUND: At the March 18th, 2025, Governance and Priorities Committee meeting, Council directed Administration to prepare a Policy to facilitate grant funds for demolition of derelict buildings.

OTHER COMMENTS: Administration has prepared Policy No. 25-PD-103, a new grant policy for demolition of derelict buildings. The total amount allocated to the Demolition Grant Program is \$60,000.00. Residential properties will be eligible for a grant in the amount \$10,000.00 and Non-Residential Properties will be eligible for grant in the amount of \$12,000.00 to complete the demolition. Grants will be approved on a first come first served basis.

REPORT/DOCUMENT: Attached Available NIL

Town of Bonnyville Demolition Grant Policy

KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPT: This policy will result in the approval of grant funds for the demolition of derelict buildings within the Town of Bonnyville.

DESIRED OUTCOMES: Council to approve the policy and funds from Budget 2025 to support the policy.

OPTIONS:

- 1. Approve Policy No. 25-PD-103 and the necessary funds from Budget 2025.
- 2. Direct Administration to prepare amendments to the Demolition Grant policy.

RELEVENCE TO STRATEGIC PLAN:



RECOMMENDATION: THAT Council approve Policy No. 25-PD-103 the Demolition Grant Policy and include the necessary funds in the Final Operating Budget.

FINANCIAL: Full usage of the grant would result in a cost of \$60,000 from the 2025 Operational Budget.

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