"WHEREAS the Traffic Safety Act, R.S.A. 2000 authorizes a municipal Council to pass By-Laws for the regulation and control of vehicle, animal and pedestrian traffic; and

WHEREAS the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000 c. M-26.1 empowers a municipal Council to impose a fine for infractions of a By-Law, and

WHEREAS the Municipal Government Act, RSA 2000 c. M-26.1 empowers a municipal Council to pass bylaws respecting transport and transportation systems and empowers a municipal Council to set fees for licenses, permits and approvals; and

WHEREAS the Province of Alberta has developed the Transportation Routing and Vehicle Information System (TRAVIS) regarding overweight and over dimensional vehicles under which a fixed fee set by the municipality will be collected by the Province of Alberta and distributed to the municipality accordingly, and

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled enacts as follows (223.12, 12/01/15):"

PART 1- DEFINITIONS

SHORT TITLE 100 This By-Law may be cited as "The Lacombe Traffic By-Law"

INTERPRETATIONS 101 (1) All definitions under the Traffic Safety Act, Vehicle Seizure and Removal Regulations and the all Regulation thereunder shall apply to this Bylaw, unless a contrary intention is specifically stated in this Bylaw. In this Bylaw, the following definitions shall apply:

(a) "Chief Administrative Officer" means the chief administrative officer for the City of Lacombe appointed under Bylaw 58 of the City or his/her delegate.

(b)"City" means the City of Lacombe, a Municipal Corporation of the Province of Alberta, or the corporate limits of the City of Lacombe, as the context requires.

(c) "Council" means the Council of the City of Lacombe.

(d) "Curb" means the actual curb if there is one and if there is no existing curb, it shall mean the division of a highway between the roadway and the sidewalk or boulevard, as the case may be.

(e) "Dangerous Goods" means dangerous goods for which placards are required by the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Control Act and Regulations;

(f) "Emergency Vehicle" means fire fighting vehicles, public utility vehicles while actually being
used in any emergency, police vehicles, ambulances, or a vehicle being used by a member of the City work force or a medical doctor responding to an emergency call.

(g) "Heavy Vehicle" means a vehicle, or a vehicle with a trailer attached, with or without a load, of 5500 kgs gross vehicle weight or more, or exceeding 6.3 m. (20.7') in overall length, recreation vehicles excepted.

(h) "Holiday" means any day officially proclaimed a holiday by any Federal, Provincial or Municipal authority, and which is in effect in the City of Lacombe.

(i) "Land Use Bylaw" means the City of Lacombe Land Use Bylaw #400 and its amendments, or its successor;

(j) "Municipal Ticket" means a form prescribed by the Chief Administrative Officer of the City or his designate allowing for voluntary payment to the City for a fine amount established by this bylaw;

(k) “Violation Ticket” means a violation ticket as defined in the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, R.S.A. 2000, c. P-34.

(l) "Parade" or "Procession", with the exception of a military parade or funeral procession, means any group of pedestrians numbering more than twenty (20) or any group of vehicles, or combination of pedestrians and vehicles, which together exceed more than ten (10), on any highway within the City.

(m) "Peace Officer“ means a member of the City of Lacombe Police Service, a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, a Community Peace Officer, or a By-Law Enforcement Officer.

(n) "Recreation Vehicle" means a vehicle used or intended for use as a shelter, and without restricting the generality of the foregoing, includes any motorhome, holiday trailer, camper, tent trailer or any van or bus or truck converted for use as a recreation vehicle.

(o) "Time" means either Mountain Standard Time or Mountain Daylight Saving Time, whichever is proclaimed to be in effect by the Province of Alberta.

(p) "Tractor“ means a truck with a short chassis and no body used in combination with a trailer for the highway hauling of freight.“

PART II - RULES FOR OPERATION OF VEHICLES

UNINSURED VEHICLES 201 Any vehicle parked on a highway must be
Funeral Procession 202

Despite Sections 34, 36 to 40, 53 and 54 of the Traffic Safety Act, any vehicle in a funeral procession, except the lead vehicle, may during daytime hours, enter an intersection without stopping if:

(a) the headlamps of the vehicle are alight, and

(b) the vehicle is traveling immediately behind the vehicle in front of it so as to form a continuous line of traffic,

(c) the passage into the intersection can be made in safety.

(d) the lead vehicle in the funeral procession is showing a purple flashing light." (b.223.8, 07/14/2003)

Rules for Parades or Charity Runs 203

(1) No person shall hold or take part in any parade procession without first obtaining permission from the Chief Administrative Officer, subject to such terms and conditions as the Chief Administrative Officer deems advisable.

(2) Every member of a parade or procession and the organization and leaders thereof shall be guilty of an offence for each and every violation of this section.

(3) Any person desiring to hold a parade or procession within the City shall at least 48 hours prior to the time they desire to hold the same, make application in writing to the Chief Administrative Officer and in such application shall furnish the following information:

(a) the name and address of the applicant; if such application is an organization, the names, addresses and occupations of the executive thereof,

(b) the nature and object of such parade or procession,

(c) the day, date and hours during which same will be held,

(d) the intended route thereof,

(e) the approximate number of persons and vehicles taking part therein,

(f) the approximate size, number and nature of flags, banners, placards or such similar things to be carried therein and particulars of signs, inscriptions and wording to be exhibited thereon; such written application shall bear the signature and address of the person who will be in control of such parade procession and who undertakes to be responsible for the good order and conduct thereof;
PEDESTRIANS WATCHING

(4) During such parade or procession all pedestrians not taking part therein shall be restricted to the use of the sidewalk area;

NOT TO OBSTRUCT

(5) No parade or procession shall obstruct any highway for a longer period than is reasonably necessary.

SPEED ON CITY OWNED LAND

(223.15, 05/23/17)

204 No person shall drive a vehicle upon any part of the lands, parking lots and driving areas associated with the Gary Moe Auto Group Sportsplex, Lacombe Memorial Centre, Kinsmen Ball Park, Michener Recreation Area and any other lands owned by the City at a speed in excess of twenty (20) kilometers per hour, or in excess of any speed limit sign posted upon the above properties.

SCHOOL BUS FLASHING LIGHTS PROHIBITED

205 A driver of a school bus shall be prohibited from activating the flashing warning lights when loading or unloading passengers at the locations identified following:

(1) On 58th Street from the intersection of 50th Avenue north to the intersection of 56th Avenue, the Lacombe Christian School area.

(2) on the north side of 50th Avenue (Highway 12) between 53rd Street and C & E Trail in the vicinity of the Lacombe Outreach School. (b.223.7, 05/27/02)

TRUCK ROUTE

206 No person shall operate heavy vehicle on any highway in the City, except on a highway designated as a truck route as specified in Schedule "1". (223.12, 12/01/15)

EXEMPTIONS

207 Despite section 206, the following heavy vehicles are authorized to be operated on highways in residential areas:

BUSES

(a) Public Passenger vehicles being operated for the purpose of receiving or delivering passengers

EMERGENCY VEHICLES

(b) Any emergency vehicles being operated in the service of public interest, or during an emergency

UTILITY VEHICLES

(c) Public Utility vehicles being operated for the purpose of installing, servicing, or repairing public utilities.

CITY VEHICLES

(d) City owned vehicles being operated in the service of the City.

DELIVERIES

(e) Commercial vehicles delivering or collecting goods, provided that the most direct route, from a truck route, is used and such deliveries or collections are made between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 11:00 P.M. on any one day.

ENGINE RETARDER BRAKES

208 No person shall operate engine retarder brakes on diesel powered vehicles within the City limits.
(1) Full-time or volunteer firefighters may carry on or in a vehicle, other than an emergency vehicle, a lamp that produces intermittent flashes of green light and may operate the lamp if the vehicle is proceeding to a fire or other emergency. (b.223.1, 1996)

(2) No person other than a full-time or volunteer firefighter shall operate a lamp that produces intermittent flashes of green light. (b.223.1, 1996)

(3) Nothing in this section shall be construed so as to permit a full-time or volunteer firefighter to operate a vehicle in contravention of Traffic Safety Act, Use of Highway and Rules of the Road or this Bylaw. (b.223.1, 1996)

SPEED IN ALLEYS 210 No person shall drive a vehicle in any alley in the City of Lacombe, at a speed in excess of twenty (20) kilometers per hour. (b.223.4, 1999)

PLAYGROUND ZONE 211 (1) No driver shall drive within a designated playground zone so declared and marked, on any day, at a rate of speed greater than 30 kilometers per hour at any time:

(a) between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and one hour after sunset for zones identified in Schedule 5; and

(b) between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and one hour after sunset for all other zones in the City.

(2) That the prescribed times be posted at the locations specified in Schedule 5, outlining the times set forth in subsection 211(1)(a)

(b.223.14, 2016)

PART III – PARKING

PARKING WITHIN 301 Every person who parks a vehicle upon any highway, where parking spaces are marked out for angle or perpendicular parking shall park wholly within the marked parking space.

PARKING RESTRICTIONS 302 Unless required or permitted by this By-Law or the Traffic Safety Act, or by a traffic control device, or in compliance with the directions of a peace officer or other authorized person, or to avoid conflict with other traffic, a driver shall not stop or park his vehicle: (b.223.8, 2003)

PAINTED CURB (a) On a highway adjacent to a curb or sidewalk that has been marked by being painted a solid colour;

SIDEWALK (b) On a sidewalk or boulevard;

CROSSWALK (c) On a crosswalk or on any part of a crosswalk;
AMBULANCE AND FIRE
DRIVEWAYS
(d) In any driveway designated for use by
ambulances or fire fighting vehicles, emergency
vehicles excepted;

EMERGENCY EXIT
(e) Where such vehicle will obstruct, or in any way
interfere with, the use of any doorway intended to
be used as a fire or emergency exit from any
building, provided that such doorway is marked by
a sign, authorized by the Chief Administrative
Officer, indicating an Emergency Exit or Fire Exit;

INTERSECTIONS
(f) Within an intersection other than immediately
next to the curb in "T" intersection;
(g) At an intersection nearer than five (5) metres
(16.4 feet) to the projection of the corner line
immediately ahead or immediately to the rear
except when the vehicle is parked in a space where
a parking meter or other traffic control device
indicates parking is permitted;

STOP/YIELD
(h) Within five (5) metres (16.4 feet) upon any
approach to any stop or yield sign;

FIRE HYDRANT
(i) Within five (5) metres (16.4 feet) of any fire
hydrant, or when the hydrant is not located at the
curb, within five (5) metres (16.4 feet) of the point
on the curb nearest to the hydrant;

CROSSWALK
(j) Within five (5) metres (16.4 feet) of the near
side of a marked crosswalk;

STREET EXCAVATION
(k) Alongside or opposite any street excavation or
obstruction when stopping or parking would
obstruct traffic;

NO PARK ZONE
(l) At any other place where a traffic control device
prohibits stopping or parking, during such times as
stopping or parking is so prohibited;

EDGE OR CURB
(m) On the roadway side of a vehicle parked or
stopped at the curb or edge of a highway;

OBSTRUCTIONS
(n) In such a manner as to obstruct access to a
garage, private road, or driveway;

CUL-DE-SAC
(o) At any angle to the curb in a cul-de-sac unless
that vehicle is parked in such a manner as not to
interfere with the free flow of traffic in the cul-de-
sac;

TIME LIMIT PARKING
303
(1) No person shall park a vehicle for a longer
period of time than that indicated on any sign
placed in a parking area by authority of the Chief
Administrative Officer. Where signs are not
posted, the parking time limit shall be 72 hours.

SECOND OFFENCE
(2) After the issuance of a Municipal Ticket
concerning a vehicle for a first violation and where
that vehicle remains parked in excess of the time
permitted on the sign or in contravention of any
sign for a further period, then a second offence
shall be deemed to have occurred.
FINE & TOWED  (3) Any person who has not moved their vehicle after a second offence has occurred, will be fined and the vehicle may be immediately towed at the owner's expense.

REPEAT OFFENDERS  (4) Any person who has been served with 4 (four) violation tags for a repeated violation, will be towed at the owner's expense.

EXEMPTIONS  (5) This section shall not apply where an exemption has been given in writing by the Chief Administrative Officer.

HANDICAP PARKING  304 No person shall park a vehicle in a parking space where a sign, curb painting or pavement painting indicates that it is for the exclusive use of persons with disabilities who display on their vehicles a handicap placard or license plate that is issued or recognized by Province of Alberta.

PARKING IN AN ALLEY  305 (1) No driver shall park in any alley, except a commercial vehicle engaged in loading or unloading goods or passengers.

SUNDAYS/ HOLIDAYS EXEMPTION  (2) The provisions of this Section shall not apply on a Sunday or holiday.

PARKING HEAVY VEHICLES  306 (1) No person shall park a heavy vehicle, a tractor with or without a trailer of any type or any type of construction equipment:

(a) within or abutting any area of the City designated as a residential area in the Land-Use By-Law, or

(b) or any highway other than that designated by the Chief Administrative Officer for parking of such vehicles.

EXCEPTIONS  (2) Subsection 306(1) shall not apply to:

(a) Commercial vehicles while actually loading or unloading of goods, or

(b) Construction equipment being used during construction or improvement of property, provided that such equipment is parked adjacent to the property where such work is being done."

(3) No person shall park a heavy vehicle with the engine running for more than 10 minutes within any area of the City designated as a commercial area in the Land Use Bylaw, between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. of any day, unless written permission has been obtained from the Chief Administrative Officer or his/her appointed designate."

PARKING ON A HIGHWAY  307 When parking on a highway, a driver shall park his vehicle with the sides parallel to the curb edge of the highway, and

(a) with the right hand wheel thereof not more than 500 mm (19.7 in.) from the right hand curb or edge of the highway, or
(b) in the case of a one-way highway where parking on either side is permitted, the wheels closest to the curb edge of the highway shall not be more than 500 mm (19.7 in.) from the curb or edge and with the vehicle facing the direction of travel authorized for that highway.

(c) this section does not apply where angle parking is permitted or required.

**ABANDONING A VEHICLE 308**

(1) No person shall abandon a vehicle on a highway;

(2) No person shall abandon a vehicle on public or private property without the express or implied consent of the owner or person in lawful possession or control of the property.

**72 HOUR LIMIT**

(3) A vehicle left standing, at a location referred to in subsection (1) or (2), for more than 72 consecutive hours shall be deemed to have been abandoned at that location for the purposes of section 4.1 of the Vehicle Seizure and Removal Regulation, the Traffic Safety Act, and as specified in Subsection 303 (1). (b.223.8, 2003)

**EXCEPTION**

(4) Where the abandonment or obstruction is unavoidable due to mechanical failure the operator will not be in breach of this section provided he promptly takes measure to clear the faulty vehicle from the highway.

(5) Nothing in this section shall be construed as to allow parking contrary to other provisions of the By-law

**PARKING PLAYGROUND 309**

No person shall park or drive any vehicle upon any land owned by the City of Lacombe which the City uses or permits to be used as a playground recreation area, utility or public park, buffer strip, land held for resale, or any land in reserve, or on any boulevard unless permission has been obtained in writing from the City's Chief Administrative Officer or his appointed designate. (b.223.2, 1996)

**CITY EMPLOYEE PARKING 310**

No person shall park any vehicle in any parking space upon City owned or controlled property where such property or space has been allocated or reserved for a vehicle operated by a City employee or allocated to.

**PROHIBITED PARKING 311**

The Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to designate those portions of highways upon which parking is prohibited between the hours of 4:00 A.M. and 7:00 A.M. on Mondays.

**NO PARKING STREET MAINTENANCE 312**

(1) Despite any other provision in this By-Law, the Chief Administration Officer may cause "No Parking Signs" to be placed on or near a roadway for roadway maintenance or construction purposes. The signs shall be erected 12 hours previous to the work being done.
(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Bylaw, in conjunction with snow removal, street cleaning, road repair operations or other work carried on by City employees or contractors, the City may tow or remove vehicles from the street being cleaned, cleared or repaired and, without impounding them, may remove them to an adjacent street. The cost of towing shall be at the owner of the vehicle’s expense. (b.223.14, 2016)

(3) No person shall park, or leave parked, any vehicle, on any street, 12 hours after no parking signs have been placed on the street in accordance with Section 312(1) herein (b.223.14, 2016)

UNATTACHED TRAILERS 313  
(b.223.11,11/13/12)

(1) No person shall park a trailer upon any highway unless the trailer is attached to a vehicle by which it may be propelled or drawn, and when so attached, the trailer shall be deemed part of the vehicle and subject to the regulations pertaining to vehicles, unless authorized by written order of the Chief Administrative Officer.

RECREATION VEHICLE PARKING

(2) No person shall occupy or suffer or permit any other person to occupy a recreation vehicle upon a highway or upon public property unless such property has been designated for use as a place to park recreation vehicles.

(3) (a) No person shall drive or park a recreation vehicle on any highway so as to block, obstruct, impede or hinder traffic thereon or become a public safety hazard.

(b) No person shall park or store a recreation vehicle or trailer on private property unless it is fully contained within the property. No portion of a recreational vehicle or trailer will be permitted to protrude into a public street, laneway or sidewalk.

VEHICLE ON JACK 314

No person shall leave a vehicle unattended on a highway if the vehicle has been placed on a jack or similar device; and

(1) One or more of the wheels have been removed from the vehicle, or

(2) Part of the vehicle is raised

DANGEROUS GOODS 315  
(b.223.11, 11/13/12)

1) The operation of a vehicle or trailer used in the conveyance of dangerous goods shall be restricted to Highway 2A and 50th Avenue (Highway 12).

(2) (a) Nothing in the foregoing shall be construed to allow the parking, stopping, or operation of a vehicle or trailer within any residential area or district as defined in the Land Use By-Law of the City of Lacombe.

(b) No person shall park a vehicle or a trailer used for the conveyance of dangerous goods nearer than twenty (20) metres (65 feet) to building likely to contain persons or valuable goods.
EXEMPTION

(3) This section shall not apply where a vehicle is obliged to be parked for purposes of loading or unloading its cargo and such vehicle is clearly marked with a warning notice identifying the nature of the cargo.

SERVICING

316 No person being in charge or control of a garage, service station, radio shop or other premises where repairs or installations are made on vehicles for compensation shall leave or cause or permit to be left on any street a vehicle which is left in his possession for carrying out the repairs or making installations or for any other purpose whatsoever;

CHALKING TIRES

317 (1) For the purposes of this Part, it shall be lawful for any person authorized to enforce this By-Law to place an erasable chalk mark on the tread face of a tire on any vehicle found parked on any highway or City owned parking lot.

(2) The By-Law Enforcement Officer shall cause an erasable mark to be placed across the tread face of the tire in order to establish the amount of time the vehicle has remained stationary.

PART IV - USE OF STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES

LITTERING

401 No person shall place, permit to be placed, or throw any substance or thing of any kind, including cement from construction sites, on any highway, boulevard or sidewalk.

SIGNS / NOTICES

402 Any sign, notice or other object placed on or beside a City Highway or upon abutting public lands, including boulevards and sidewalks shall be liable to a fine, removal and immediate disposal by the City without any notice or warning to the owner thereof.

GARAGE SALE EXEMPTION

(1) deleted (223.3, 1998)

VEHICLE FLUIDS

403 No person shall drain lubricating oils or any Fluids associated with the operation of a motor vehicle upon a highway.

ELECTRICAL EXTENSION CORD

404 No person shall place, or permit to be placed an electrical extension cord across a sidewalk or driveway whereby any person, animal, or vehicle may be in any way injured or damaged.

SNOW, ICE DEBRIS

405 (1) All persons within the City shall remove or cause to be removed any snow, ice, debris or other materials from any sidewalk adjoining the property owned or occupied by them; such removal is to be completed within 48 hours of the time when the snow, ice, dirt or other obstruction was formed or deposited thereon.

(2) No person shall remove snow, ice, dirt, debris or other material from any sidewalk by causing such material to be placed upon any other portion of the highway.
(3) No person shall place or permit to be placed any snow, ice, dirt, debris or other material removed from private property onto the highways or other public places of the City.

ICE BUILD-UP

(4) If water drips from an awning, eavestrough or any other area of a building and depositing upon a highway or sidewalk, the owner or occupier of the premises shall clean the sidewalk or highway portion thereof to prevent ice from forming.

EXPENSES CHARGED 406

(1) The City may, after the 48 hours, remove and clear (b.223.11, 11/13/12) away all snow, dirt, debris and any debris, material required to be removed by Section 405 and recover the expense thereof to the owner or occupant under the provisions of the Municipal Government Act Section 553(1).

(2) (a) Council may add to the tax roll of a parcel of land, and collect as a tax owing to the municipality in accordance with s.553(1) of the Act, the amount of unpaid utility charges and other charges and fees under this bylaw owing by the owner of the parcel.

(b) Where an outstanding account cannot be collected as a result of shutting off the water or if it cannot be added to the Tax Roll the Treasurer shall undertake collection by any means provided by law.

AT A FIRE 407

No person shall pass beyond a point designated by a Peace Officer or a member of the Fire Department near the location of a fire.

408 No person shall sell by auction upon any of the highways or sidewalks within the City, any article or thing whatsoever.

SIDEWALK OBSTRUCTIONS 409

(1) No person shall place any goods, wares, merchandise, or any other articles upon a sidewalk or highway outside of a shop warehouse or building so as to obstruct pedestrian or vehicular traffic.

EXEMPTIONS (b. 223.13,06/29/15)

(2) The provisions of this Section shall not be construed to interfere with a moderate use of a portion of such highway or sidewalk for a reasonable time, during the taking in or delivering of goods, wares, merchandise or articles.

(3) The Provision of this Section shall not restrict the moderate use of a portion of highway by a Mobile Vending Unit or Canteen as authorized by the Chief Administrative Officer of the City in accordance with the City’s Business License Bylaw.

(4) The Provision of this Section shall not restrict the moderate use of a portion of a sidewalk by a Push Cart Vending Unit as authorized by the Chief Administrative Officer of the City in accordance with the City’s Business License Bylaw.
PEDESTRIANS  410  (1) No person shall stand in a group of 3 or more persons or so near to each other on any highway as to obstruct the entrance to buildings or to obstruct or prevent other persons using such highway and forthwith after a request has been made by a Peace Officer or other person duly authorized so to do, the persons shall disperse and move away;

(2) No person shall conduct himself or otherwise position himself on a highway in such a manner as to obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic or inconvenience any other person upon the highway.

HITCH-HIKING  (3) No person shall stand upon or walk along a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride from the driver of any vehicle.

OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES  411  (1) No person shall operate an off-highway vehicle within the City except as provided in this section.

(2) Off-highway vehicles are permitted to operate on a highway solely for the purpose of loading or unloading an off-highway vehicle from or onto a trailer or vehicle or into a building or property;

(3) Peace Officers, or employees of the City are authorized to operate off-highway vehicles on any highway within the City while performing their official duties;

(4) A person who is granted permission by the Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to operate an off-highway vehicle within a route and period of time specified.

PART V – MISCELLANEOUS

HAND BILLS  501  (1) No person shall place or cause to be placed any hand bill or other advertising matter on or in a vehicle without the permission of the owner or the person in charge of the vehicle.

(2) Subsection (1) applies whether the vehicle is on a highway or on any public or privately owned property.

PARK BENCHES  502  No person shall climb or interfere with any street furniture, trees, protection system or any other utility system of the City.

DAMAGE TO SIGNS  503  No person shall willfully remove, throw down, deface or alter, damage or destroy a traffic control device placed, marked or erected on a highway.

OBSTRUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE  504  No person shall erect, build, or allow the growth of trees, shrubs or of anything that shall in any way obstruct the visibility of a traffic control device.

OVERHANGING TREES, SHRUBS  505  The owner, tenant or occupier of any land adjoining any highway or public place in the City of Lacombe shall cause all trees, shrubs and bushes which overhang on the sidewalk of the street, lane or public place to be properly trimmed and cut
back, so as to prevent obstruction on the sidewalk,
highway or public place to pedestrians or vehicles.

BICYCLES 506 Every person operating a bicycle on a highway shall
in so far as they are applicable, comply with the
provisions and requirements of the Traffic Safety
Act except:

(1) When otherwise instructed by any applicable
traffic control device or,

(2) When otherwise directed by a Peace Officer.
(b.223.8, 2003)

BICYCLES ON SIDEWALKS 507 No person shall ride a bicycle in an unsafe manner
on any sidewalk within the City, and shall yield to
pedestrian traffic.

RESTRICTED AREAS 508 (1) No person shall ride, coast or propel any cart,
sled, toboggan, skis, ice skates, roller skates, roller
blades or skate boards or any other similar device
in an unsafe manner on any sidewalk within the
City of Lacombe

ROLLER BLADES/ SKATEBOARDS 2) No person shall ride a bicycle, skate board, roller
skate or roller blade on any sidewalk on the north
side of 50 Ave between 48th Street and 53rd
Street and on the south side of 50 Ave between
Highway 12 and 49A Avenue.

SEIZE/ IMPOUND 509 A peace officer may seize any bicycle or skateboard
that is operated, parked or left in contravention of
this By-Law and such bicycle or skateboard may be
impounded for a period not exceeding 60 days.

STORAGE FEE 510 (1) A bicycle or skateboard that has been
impounded may be redeemed by the owner at the
end of the impound period upon payment to the
City of a storage fee of $10.00.
(2) Subsection (1) shall not apply when a bicycle or
skateboard has been stolen and is being claimed by
the owner.

UNCLAIMED BICYCLES, SKATEBOARDS 511 Any bicycle or skateboard which has been
impounded and not redeemed by the owner within
60 days of the date of the expiration of the period
of impoundment shall become the property of the
City.

PART VI - AUTHORITY OF MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS

TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES 601 The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby
authorized to:

(1) prescribe the location and placement of every
traffic control device and traffic signal in the City
and shall keep a record of such locations and
placements and such records shall be available to
the public for inspection during normal business
hours.
(2) designate crosswalks upon any highway and to cause same to be marked with signs, or lines painted on the surface of the highway.

(3) designate any highway intersection or other place on a highway as a place at which not left hand turn or no right hand turn or both, shall be made, and shall cause the said place to be signed, barricaded, or otherwise restricted.

(4) designate any intersection or place on a highway, including a place where a railway right-of-way crosses a highway, as a place where U-turns are prohibited and shall cause same to be marked with signs prohibiting U-turns.

(5) designate any area as one in which parking privileges are temporarily suspended in whole or in part to traffic and shall cause such are to be marked with signs.

(6) designate any roadway as one to be divided into traffic lanes of such number as is considered property and shall cause such lanes to be marked with solid and/or broken lines painted on the road surface.

(7) designate "School Zones" and "Playground Zones" and shall cause such zones to be marked by signs posted along the highway, or by markings on the pavement or by signs or lights or both, posted or suspended over the highway.

(8) is hereby authorized to designate any boulevard upon which parking is permitted and shall cause signs, permitting such parking, to be erected thereon.

(9) determine the format of the Municipal Ticket, notices and other forms required to administer the by-law.

602 When Council has approved of any highway or a part of a highway being designated for one way traffic, the Chief Administrative Officer shall cause the same to be marked with signs.

603 Despite any other provision in this By-Law, the Chief Administrative Officer may cause moveable signs to be placed on or near a highway.

PART VII - AUTHORITY OF PEACE OFFICERS

TOWING 701 (1) Any peace officer of the City is hereby authorized to remove and impound, or cause to be removed and impounded, any vehicle or trailer, parked on any highway when in contravention of any provision of this By-Law, and when interfering with snow removal or other public works being carried on by the City.

IMPOUNDMENT AND (2) Any vehicle impounded under this Section
RELEASE OF VEHICLES

may be released to the owner or his agent upon proof that any costs imposed for towing and/or storage have been paid. (b.223.8 2003)

MUNICIPAL TICKET

A Notice of Form commonly called a Municipal Ticket may be issued by a peace officer to any person who contravenes any provision of this By-Law, and served as per Section 703 and the Tag shall require the payment to the City for the specified amount for that particular breach of this By-Law.

DEEMED SERVED

(1) A Municipal Ticket shall be deemed to be sufficiently served:

(a) if served personally on the accused, or

(b) if mailed by ordinary mail to the address of the registered owner of the vehicle concerned, or the person concerned, or (b. 223.15, 05/23/17)

(1) if left in the mailbox at, or on the door of, the residence of the person to whom the Municipal Ticket is issued, or (b.223.11, 11/13/12)

(c) if attached to or left upon the vehicle in respect of which the offence is alleged to have been committed.

(2) Nothing in this By-Law shall prevent any person from defending a charge of committing a breach of this By-Law.

(3) Where a person has paid a Municipal Ticket and has been prosecuted for the offence in respect of which the tag was issued, then that person shall be entitled to a refund of the Municipal Ticket payment.

PART VIII – PENALTIES (b.223.14, 01/11/16)

GENERAL PENALTY

A person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable upon summary conviction to the specified penalty set out in Schedule “2”, or in the case for which there is no specified penalty set out in Schedule “2”, to a fine of $25.00 for a first offence, $50.00 for a second offence and $100.00 for a third or subsequent offence.

(1) Notwithstanding the penalties specified in Schedule 2, or Section 801 herein, where a vehicle or trailer is towed in connection with a contravention of this Bylaw, without impounding it, the penalty shall be increased by an additional $50.00.

LATE PAYMENT

If at any time after the service of the Municipal Ticket, and up to, but excluding, three days prior to the return date on any Summons/Violation Ticket, a person pays for a Municipal Ticket issued, the City shall accept payment of the specified penalty
as provided in Schedule "2" herein, and the payment will be accepted in lieu of prosecution

VOLUNTARY PAYMENT 803 When a Municipal Ticket or Violation Ticket is issued by a Peace Officer for an offence which is not enumerated in Schedule "2" herein, the specified penalty shall be the minimum fine that may be imposed under Section 801 of this Bylaw.

OWNER LIABLE 804 (1) In this section "owner" includes any person registered as an owner at the Registrar of Motor Vehicle Services.

(2) Where a vehicle is driven, used, parked or left in contravention of any provision of this Bylaw, the owner of the vehicle is guilty of that offence and liable for the contravention. This section does not apply if the owner of the vehicle satisfies the court that at the time of the contravention, the vehicle was not driven, used, parked or left by him or by any other person with his consent, express or implied.

(3) An owner who is guilty of an offence by operation of this section is not liable to imprisonment in respect of that offence or in respect of a default of a fine imposed in respect of that offence."

PART IX – Overweight and Overdimensional Permits - Municipal Fixed Fee (223.12, 12/01/15)

901 All drivers of overweight and/or over dimensional vehicles as defined by Traffic Safety Act, R.S.A. 2000 shall be required to obtain a permit to travel on any road within the City prior to entering the corporate boundaries of the City.

902 All permit applicant outlined in section 901 shall pay a fee as set out in Schedule 4 forming part of this Bylaw.

PART X – Road Closure (223.15, 05/23/17)

PERMANENT ROAD CLOSURES 1001 Where it is deemed that a registered road right of way is no longer required, the City may seek to dispose of the road through a Road Closure Bylaw. All permanent road closures are approved by Council through a Road Closure Bylaw, as outlined by the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000.

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE 1002 (a) Per s. 13 (1) of the Traffic Safety Act: Where an application is made to the City to temporarily utilize a portion of road or sidewalk, thus closing the road or sidewalk for public use, the City may issue a license or permit for the use of the identified road or sidewalk. The CAO shall be authorized to issue the licenses or permits. The license or permit may be terminated by the City on 30 days notice in writing (or as otherwise agreed in the license or permit).
(b) The temporary use of a road or sidewalk for the purposes as outlined in Section 408 may not require the issuance of a license or permit if the displays are removed on a regular basis, as determined by the CAO.

**PART XI – General (223.12, 12/01/15) (223.15, 05/23/17)**

1101 It is the intention of the Council, that each separate provision of this By-Law shall be deemed independent of all other provisions, and if any provision of this By-Law be declared invalid, all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

1102 Schedules 1, 2, 3, and 4 attached hereto shall form part of this by-law.

1103 City of Lacombe Traffic By-law being No. 38, including all amendments thereto, is hereby repealed.

1104 This By-law shall come into full force and effect on the date it is finally passed by Council.

INTRODUCED AND GIVEN first reading this 12th day of June, A.D. 1995.

GIVEN second reading this 26th day of June, A.D. 1995.

GIVEN third and final reading this 26th day of June, A.D. 1995.

Original Signed

MAYOR

Original Signed

CHIEF ADMINISTRATION OFFICER
CITY OF LACOMBE
BY-LAW 223
SCHEDULE "1"
TRUCK ROUTES

Referred to in Part II, Section 206.

Avenues

- 50th Avenue (Highway 12) from West City Boundary to East City Boundary
- 50A Avenue from 45A Street to 45th Street
- 48th Avenue from 46th Street to 45th Street
- 47th Avenue from 45th Street to West to End
- 46th Avenue from Highway 2A to 45th Street
- 55th Avenue from Len Thompson Drive to Wolf Creek Drive
- 53rd Avenue from Wolf Creek Dr. to 34th Street
- 52nd Avenue from Wolf Creek Drive to 34th Street
- 63rd Avenue from C & E Trail to Highway 2A
- College Avenue from 52nd Street to C & E Trail
- Beardsley Avenue from Maple Close to 52nd Street

Streets

- 58th Street from 50th Avenue south to South City Boundary
- Highway 2A from North City Boundary to South City Boundary
- C & E Trail from 63rd Avenue to College Avenue
- 52nd Street from College Avenue to Beardsley Avenue
- Maple Close from Beardsley Avenue North to End
- 46th Street from 50th Avenue to 46th Avenue
- 45A Street from 48th Avenue North to End
- 45A Street from 48th Avenue South to End
- 45A Street from 50 Avenue North to End
- 45th Street South from 50A Ave South to City Boundary
- Len Thompson Drive in its entirety
- 37th Street from 52 Avenue North to End
- Wolf Creek Drive from 50th Avenue to Highway 2A
- 34th Street from the North City Boundary to South City Boundary
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Restricted Areas                                    | 508     | 60.00             |
### CITY OF LACOMBE
### BY-LAW 223
### SCHEDULE "3"

#### Municipal Ticket

**Municipal Ticket Issued for Breach of:**
- Traffic
- Other
- Bylaw

**Offence Description:**

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**Date of Offence:** Month Day Year

**Time of Offence:** AM PM

**Location of Offence:**

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**Name of Offender:**

**Address of Offender:**

**Issued by Peace Officer:**

*You may avoid prosecution for the offence by paying the penalty within 22 calendar days from the offence date to the address indicated below:*

**Payable To:**
- City of Lacombe
- 5432 - 56 Avenue
- Lacombe, AB T4L 1E9

*If paid within the 22 days, the penalty amount may be paid:*
1. In person at City Hall by cash, cheque or money order; or
2. By mail or deposit in the drop box (located at the front entrance to City Hall) by cheque or money order payable to the *City of Lacombe*.

*If payment is not received at City Hall within 22 days of the offence, a Provincial Violation ticket will be issued to you and prosecution will proceed in Provincial Court.*

*Further information regarding this offence may be obtained by contacting *City of Lacombe Enforcement Services* at (403) 782-1293.*

*If you receive a "Warning Only" ticket, this does not authorize the violation or its continuation. Failure to comply may result in enforcement action by the City of Lacombe.*
Oversize Commercial Vehicle Permit $20.00 Traffic
The following portions of roadways within the corporate boundaries of the City of Lacombe are subject to the modified playground zone hours identified in section 211:

1. That portion of 54th Avenue from 47th Street to 53rd Street.