## **BYLAW 96 - 05**

## OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF OPPORTUNITY NO. 17 In the Province of Alberta

Being a Bylaw of the Municipal District to control the manner in which ambulance services are provided within a portion of the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17.

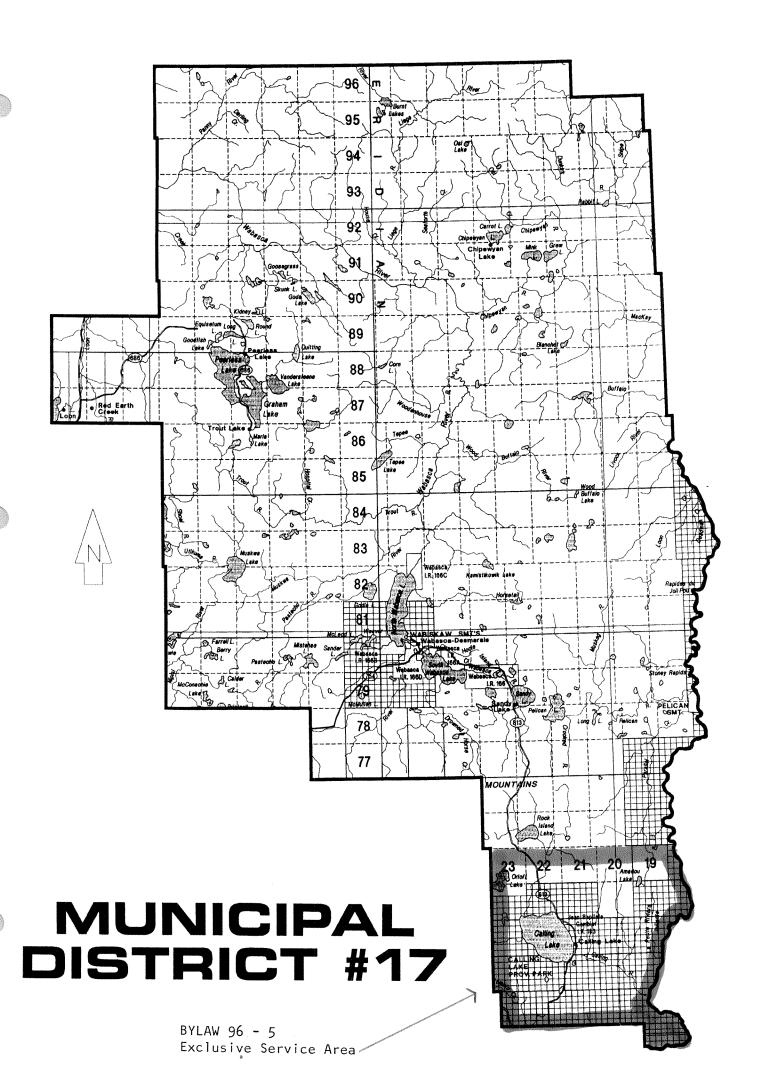
WHEREAS the Municipal Council of Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17, in the Province of Alberta, has agreed to provide ambulance services within its boundaries.

WHEREAS the County of Athabasca has entered into an agreement with several municipalities providing for the joint operation, control and management of the ambulance services; and the County of Athabasca has been delegated the power to operate, control and manage the supply of ambulance service within the ambulance service area; and

WHEREAS the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17 is within the ambulance service area and the Council of the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17 now wishes to pass a Bylaw prohibiting any person, other than Medi-Care Ambulance Service Inc. from providing ambulance service in that part of the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17 shown on schedule "A" and granting the exclusive privilege of providing ambulance service within that portion of Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17 shown on Schedule "A" to the Medi-Care Ambulance Service Inc. on the terms set out in this Bylaw.

**NOW THEREFORE** pursuant to the authority vested in it by Section 48 of the Municipal Government Act, the Council of the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

- 1. THAT in this Bylaw:
- a) "Operator" means Medi-Care Ambulance Service Inc.
- b) "Council" means the Council of the M.D. No. 17.
- c) "Municipal District" means the Municipal District of Opportunity No. 17.
- 2. THAT except as otherwise provided for in this Bylaw, the Operator shall have the sole exclusive privilege of providing ambulance services within the boundaries of that part of the Municipal District shown on Schedule "A" and no person or persons other than the Operator shall provide ambulance service in the M.D. No. 17.
- 3. THAT the grant to the Operator contained in this Bylaw to provide exclusive ambulance service within the Municipal District shall continue at the pleasure of Council and shall in any event terminate if the Contract with the Operator is terminated.
- 4. THAT nothing contained in this Bylaw shall prohibit or prevent another ambulance service from providing ambulance service within the Municipal District if called upon to do so by the Operator in the event of an emergency or in the event that any other situation shall arise in which the Operator or the Municipal District feels that outside assistance is required.
- 5. THAT any person who contravenes the terms of this Bylaw is guilty of an offense and upon the issuance of an offense ticket, shall pay a fee of \$2,500.00.
- 6. THAT every day during which such contravention continues shall be deemed to be a separate offense.



READ a first time this 14 day of Optil	, 1996.
READ a second time this 17 day of Capril	, 1996.
READ a third time, with unanimous consent, this 1996.	17 day of <u>Cpril</u> ,
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	Chief Administrative Officer

THIS Bylaw shall take full force and effect upon the date of final reading, but no sooner that April 1, 1996.

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