## M.D. of Opportunity No 17 TRANSPORTATION POLICY

TITLE: CONTRACTING OUT OF M.D. EQUIPMENT

EFFECTIVE DATE: APRIL 1, 1996

POLICY NUMBER: T.9

## Purpose of Policy:

This policy is intended to set out the conditions under which M.D. Transportation equipment can be contracted to the private sector or other government agencies.

## **Policy Statements**

- 1. Equipment will only be contracted to the private sector at the discretion of the administration and when it is not needed for municipal operations.
- 2. The Manager and Road Foreman are authorized to approve the use of transportation equipment by other government agencies when it is not needed for municipal operations.
- 3. M.D. equipment hired out must have an M.D. approved operator.
- 4. Rates for hiring will be at a minimum of the rates established from time to time by the Alberta Roadbuilders Heavy Construction Association. For equipment where such rates are not available, market value will be used as a guide.
- 5. The M.D. employees shall not be allowed to use the M.D. equipment at any time for personal use with the exception of equipment use at the M.D. properties.
- 6. The private sector and municipal staff shall not be allowed to use the shop facilities for the repair and maintenance of their personal vehicles/equipment.

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