

TOWN OF PENHOLD
BYLAW NO. 840/2025

Amending RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP BYLAW

Being a Bylaw of the Town of Penhold, in the Province of Alberta for the purpose of licensing, controlling and regulating animals.

WHEREAS Section 7 (h) of the Municipal Government Act allows a council to pass bylaws in relation to wild and domesticated animals and activities in relation to them; and

WHEREAS Council deems it necessary to regulate and control dogs, cats, urban hens, and other animals; and to provide for the controls and conditions on certain animals;

WHEREAS Council deems it necessary and expedient to amend Bylaw 818/2023 being the Responsible Pet Ownership Bylaw

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Penhold, in the province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

By law, qualified guide and service dog teams have the right to access any location where the public is allowed.

1. The proposed amendments include adding the two following definitions:

"Alberta Service Dog Identification Card" means a valid identification card issued to an individual and their service dog by the Province of Alberta for the protection of public access rights in Alberta.

"Service Dog" means a dog which performs specific tasks or behaviours to help people with visible and non-visible disabilities.

2. Changing the PART 12 from:

PART 12 - EXEMPTION FOR POLICE SERVICE DOGS

12.1 This Bylaw does not apply to a police dog while in active service.

To:



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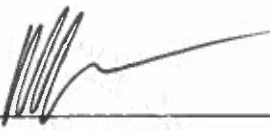
12.1 This Bylaw does not apply to a police dog while in active service.

12.2 This Bylaw does not apply to a registered service dog with a valid Alberta Service Dog Identification Card.

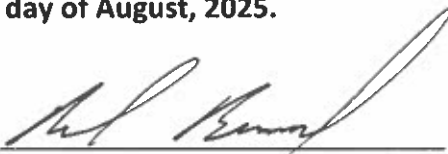
Read a first time this 11th day of August, 2025.

Read a second time this 11th day of August, 2025.

Read a third time and final time; and passed this 11th day of August, 2025.

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Mayor

A handwritten signature in black ink, featuring a large, stylized 'A' and 'C' followed by a horizontal line and a small flourish, positioned above a horizontal line.

Chief Administrative Officer