



**TOWN OF CARDSTON
IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA**

BYLAW 1656

BORROWING BYLAW - SOLAR

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A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF CARDSTON IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO authorize the Town to incur indebtedness through financing from an appropriate Energy Retailer for the purpose of installing solar panels on the Town of Cardston's Civic Center and Charlie Cheeseman Memorial Ice Arena facilities.

WHEREAS, The Council of the Municipality has decided to issue a by-law pursuant to Sections 251 and 258 of the *Municipal Government Act* to authorize the financing and installation of solar panels on the Civic Center and Charlie Cheeseman Memorial Ice Arena facilities.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Town of Cardston, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

PART I - TITLE, PURPOSE, DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

TITLE

- 1) This bylaw shall be known as the "BORROWING BYLAW - SOLAR" of the Town of Cardston.

PURPOSE

- 2) The Purpose of this Bylaw is to authorize the Town to incur indebtedness through financing for the installation of solar panels to the Civic Center and Charlie Cheeseman Memorial Ice Arena Facilities within the Municipality of the Town of Cardston.

RULES FOR INTERPRETATION

- 3) The table of contents, marginal notes and headings in this bylaw are for reference purposes only.

PART II – GENERAL

TOTAL COST

- 4) Enmax Energy, chosen through appropriate tendering processes, has provided plans and specifications for the project and estimates the total financed cost of the said project to be \$383,367.60.



GRANTS

- 5) The Council and the Municipality has estimated the following grant will be received and applied to the project
 - (a) Municipal Climate Change Action Center (MCCAC) - \$100,344.20

FINANCED AMOUNT

- 6) In order to install and complete the project, it will be necessary for the Municipality to finance the sum of \$205,743.60 for a period not to exceed 15 years from Enmax Energy on the terms and conditions as per the contract included as Schedule “A”.

LIFESPAN

- 7) The estimated lifetime of the project financed under this Bylaw is equal to, or in excess of 15 years

COMPLIANCE

- 8) All required approvals for the project have been obtained and the project is in compliance with all acts and regulations of the Province of Alberta.

EFFECTIVE DATE

- 9) This Bylaw shall come in force upon the date of its third and final reading.

Received First Reading this 14th day of February, 2017

Received Second Reading this 28th day of March, 2017

Received Third & Final Reading this 28th day of March, 2017

Signed by the Mayor and the Chief Administrative Officer this 31st day of March, 2017

TOWN OF CARDSTON

MAYOR – *Maggie Kronen*

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER – *Jeff Shaw*