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Dal Virdi,
The Counsellor,
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SUBJECT: <u>REQUEST for Appeal of dismissal/ relief of charges on residential lot (6212 30 St. NE, Royal Oaks, AB)</u>

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to request an appeal of dismissal /relief decision for the invoice (customer# 23036, Invoice# 1213093, dated Sep 16,2024) sent by mail from Leduc County for charging \$939.75 for not able to cut the vegetation on the residential lot by July17, 2024.

Notice was dated for July 2, 2024, and I received on July 10, 2024. Due to the long weekend and short staffing at work (peak time of vacations) I was not permitted to have time off until July 23, 2024. I live in Fort McMurray. So, I called Leduc County office and talked to Mr. Greg Barker (Community Peace officer) and explained the situation I was in. In the meanwhile, I also tried to arrange the grass cutting on land through a contractor (proof of conversation attached) who was ready to do it but only after July 17. Unfortunately, things didn't work out to have job done before the due date.

However, I did go on July 23, 2024, as promised but it was too late, and job was already done by Peace officer in Leduc County.

I am apologizing for not doing that task before the due date, but I had no control on the situation at the time. I am a good citizen and have always taken care of my lot and diligently cut vegetation twice every year (July & August) from past 8 years. Even though I wasn't able to cut vegetation in July this year, but I did cut it in the month of August.

I request your good office to give dismissal /relief this one time. If things would have worked out, I could have had that work done for \$250. But to pay \$939.75 is a lot of money. This is basically my 5 days' worth of wages. I do work hard for this, and it is affecting my family and my mental status.

I totally understand that rules are in place, but this time circumstance didn't allow me to get that done on time. Please consider my situation and give me relief this one time and I assure you that this will not happen again.

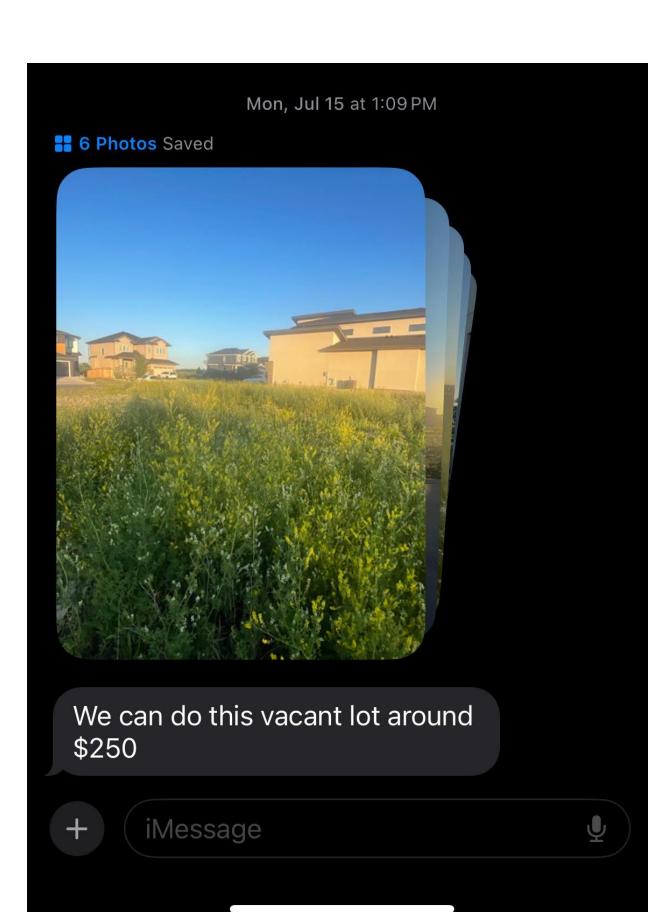
Thank you for taking the time to consider my request. Please contact me by email (<u>danchouhan9@gmail.com</u> or by phone 1-825-440-3402).

Respectfully Dan Chouhan

1) AUG 31,2024 --- PROOF OF CUTTING VEGETATION



2)PROOF IN the month of July trying to arrange with contractor on July 15,2024



The invoice sent to us to pay:

