
REPORT NAME

Extend review of Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework between Beaver County and Leduc County from 2025 to 2027.

RECOMMENDATION

That Council amend the date to review the Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework between Beaver County and Leduc County from 2025 to 2027.

Options (if available):

The Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework between Beaver County and Leduc County could be reviewed this year as scheduled.

IMPLICATIONS

Reason: The delay of the ICF review aligns with Ministerial Order 04/23.

Authority: (MGA section/bylaw/policy number):

Section 708.28(1) of the MGA states that municipalities that have common boundaries must create a framework with each other by April 1, 2020 unless they are members of the same growth management board.

Ministerial Order 024/23 regarding the date by which a municipality must review an intermunicipal collaboration framework, as required by Section 708.32(1) of the MGA, is amended from at least every five years to at least every seven years.

Amount of funding required: None

Funding source: N/A

BACKGROUND

Leduc County and Beaver County have had an Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework since March 2020. There has been no need expressed for review of this framework. Beaver County Council has already expressed support for amending the ICF at their December 18, 2024 Council meeting. Leduc County Administration recommends that Council change the date of review from 2025 to 2027 to align with the Ministerial Order and that the attached amending agreement be signed.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Correspondence from Beaver County
2. ICF Amending Agreement
3. ICF between Beaver County and Leduc County (2020)