

## **ADMINISTRATION POLICY:**

## **Weed Spraying Policy**

**DEPARTMENT:** Parks and Recreation **POLICY NUMBER:** REC-071

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 23, 2010 **SUPERSEDES:** Policy #W-20-1

**UP FOR REVIEW:** December 20, 2021

APPROVED BY CAO

**APPROVAL** 

- 1) Whether by contractor or Town staff, weed spraying shall be done in a safe manner, following all provincially regulated application regulations and other guidelines including:
  - (a) Proper mixing, handling, and application.
  - (b) That proper conditions exist as to wind, rain temperature, etc.,
  - (c) Record keeping shall meet Provincial requirements,
  - (d) Contractors shall be approved contractors of the Town of Cardston,
  - (e) Contractor or Town Staff shall have proper certifications and licenses,
  - (f) All application told and/or equipment are in good order and approved by provincial regulation.
  - (g) All spraying times and locations are approved by the Parks and Recreation Foreman.
- 2) When weed control is required in close proximity to private land, tress, or gardens, extreme caution shall be taken to ensure that no damage will occur. If this cannot be ensure, no spraying shall be undertaken, and another method shall be used; eg. Remove weeds by hand.

