## Bylaw No.1502-24

### TAXATION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Being a Bylaw of the Town of Three Hills in the Province of Alberta, to provide for the taxation of affordable housing units in accordance with the *Municipal Government Act*.

WHEREAS, Section 362(1)(m)(ii) of the *Municipal Government Act*, S.A. 2000, Chapter M-26, provides that affordable housing units are exempt from taxation;

**AND WHEREAS**, Section 363(2) provides that a council may by bylaw make any property referred to in Section 362(1) subject to taxation to any extent the council considers appropriate;

**AND WHEREAS**, the Town of Three Hills desires to make affordable housing units subject to taxation;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of the Town of Three Hills in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

## 1. BYLAW TITLE

1.1 This bylaw shall be known as the "Taxation of Affordable Housing."

### 2. TAXATION

- 2.1 Affordable housing units shall be taxed for all municipal purposes.
- 2.2 Affordable housing units shall not be taxed for:
  - 2.2.1 requisitions required by the Alberta School Foundation Fund, and
  - 2.2.2 requisitions required by Kneehill Housing Corporation.
- 2.3 The Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to exercise appropriate managerial judgment to take such actions as may be necessary to achieve the purpose of this bylaw.

# 3. ENACTMENT

This Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon the date of the passing of the third and final reading and signing thereof.

READ A FIRST TIME in Council this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024. READ A SECOND TIME in Council this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024. READ A THIRD AND FINAL TIME, with unanimous consent, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.

Mayor

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