



## POLICY

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### Purpose:

To improve the quality of life in Kneehill County, dust abatement agents may be applied on rural roads in front of residences.

### Policy Guidelines:

1. Dust Suppression will only be provided for residences. Application to participate in the program can only be made by the landowner. Industrial and Commercial use are not permitted to participate in this program.
2. All requests for Dust Suppression shall be made to the County office and the applicant will enter into a Dust Suppression Agreement with the County prior to the commencement of the Dust Suppression Program.
3. The County will advertise the procedures for dust suppression, requiring all interested customers to submit application for dust suppression before the annual deadline each year. Payment, in full, is to be returned with the application, if payment is not made prior to the annual deadline, the applicant will not receive dust suppression and their application is considered void.
4. The County will supply dust suppression for a minimum distance of 125m to a maximum of 250m in front of a residence on a municipal road allowance upon request on a cost-shared basis. No additional footage will be applied.
5. Dust Suppression will not be applied within 15.25 meters from the center of any intersection.
6. Due to safety and road maintenance concerns, on two or more adjoining dust control requests (with 60 meters or less space between), the County requires that the dust suppression be applied in one continuous "stretch". The cost of this extra footage to be the applicant's responsibility.
7. Dust Suppression product will not be applied to private driveways by Kneehill County.
8. The cost for provision of this service will be set on an annual basis through Kneehill County's Master Rates Bylaw. The crude oil price will be based on the cost of oil as of March of that year.
9. In the case of request for a single application to serve adjoining residences, it will be the responsibility of the landowners to work out the distribution of costs.
10. This policy applies to one application per year only. Kneehill County does not guarantee the effectiveness of the dust suppression agent. Once a dust suppressant has been applied, no refunds will be made.

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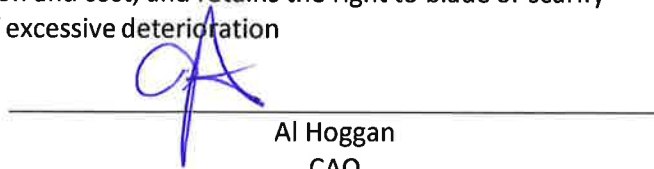
11. After the dust suppression deadline, late applications will not be accepted.
12. No person shall be allowed to apply any dust suppression (control) product on any municipal road. The County may permit the use of water as a temporary means of dust suppression, on areas of intensive use, subject to the applicator signing a Save Harmless Agreement with Kneehill County.
13. The County reserves the right to approve and/or apply dust suppression treatment and maintain the treatment sections of roadway as deemed appropriate.

## Maintenance:

14. The repair of potholes in the dust suppression areas is done at the discretion of the CAO or their designate, with the associated costs being the responsibility of the County.
15. **Spec Crude** older than three (3) years will be assessed, for safety and maintenance reasons, if the conditions of the roadway, have deteriorated to a situation where normal maintenance will not sustain the treated section of roadway, it will be restored to its original gravel condition. When the roadway is to be restored to its original condition, the CAO or his designate will inform the customer prior to this work being done.
16. When conditions on **calcium chloride** dust suppression have deteriorated to a situation where normal maintenance will not sustain the treated section of roadway, it will be restored to its original gravel condition. When the roadway is to be restored to its original condition, the CAO or his designate will inform the customer prior to this work being done.
17. The County will maintain the road at its discretion and cost, and retains the right to blade or scarify the Dust Suppression treatment in the event of excessive deterioration



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