

**RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF COLDWELL**  
**BY-LAW 06/08**

BEING A BY-LAW OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF COLDWELL TO  
REGULATE BURNING WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY.

**WHEREAS** Section 232(1) of The Municipal Act provides that a Council may  
pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

- a) The safety, health, protection and well being of people and the safety and  
protection of property
- i) Preventing and fighting fires
- o) Enforcement of by-laws

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Council of the Rural  
Municipality of Coldwell in session assembled enacts as follows:

1. The Authority having jurisdiction means the Municipal Council (and duly  
appointed agents thereof)
2. Burning is permitted in the Rural Municipality of Coldwell subject to the  
following conditions and provisions of "The Fire Prevention Act" and  
Manitoba Burning of Crop Residue Regulations:
  - a. To keep fires under control at all times
  - b. To bear responsibility for all property damage which may result
  - c. To fireguard the area as required under the terms of "The Fire  
Prevention Act"
  - d. No fire to be set and left unattended
  - e. With the issuance of a burning permit
3. Council may, by resolution, ban all burning within the municipality if  
conditions exists where, in the opinion of council, open fires are of  
extremely high risk.
4. That any person convicted of a violation or infraction of any of the  
provisions of this by-law shall upon conviction be liable for each offence  
to a penalty not exceeding \$500 and costs.

**THAT** this by-law shall come into force and take effect on the passing thereof.

**DONE AND PASSED** in Council duly assembled this                      day of

Brian Sigfusson  
Reeve

K. J. L. L. L.  
CAO

Read a first time this    10<sup>th</sup>              day of    June              , 2008

Read a second time this    8<sup>th</sup>              day of    July,              , 2008

Read a third time this    8<sup>th</sup>              day of    July,              , 2008