

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES C-HR13-P1

Employee Health and Wellness Allowance

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PURPOSE

To establish the administration of a Health and Wellness Allowance for eligible Parkland County employees. An annual allowance is provided as a means to encourage and support eligible employees to pursue health and wellness activities.

ACTION STEPS

- 1. Permanent (full-time and part-time) and seasonal employees are eligible for the two hundred (\$200) dollars allowance per calendar year.
- 2. The allowance year runs from January to December.
- 3. The allowance is prorated in the year of hire based on completed months of service and payable at the end of December through Payroll.
- 4. The allowance will be prorated for any Leave of Absence (paid or unpaid) of more than thirty (30) days.
- 5. The allowance is considered a taxable benefit as defined by Canada Revenue Agency.
- 6. The corporate fee that Parkland County pays for employees who have TransAlta Tri Leisure Centre Corporate memberships (considered non-taxable by Canada Revenue Agency) will be deducted from the allowance payable to the employee.

RESPONSIBILITY

Human Resources and Payroll are responsible for administering this procedure.