



LAC LA BICHE COUNTY PROCEDURE

TITLE: RURAL BEAUTIFICATION AWARD

PROCEDURE NO: PI-62-008

SPECIAL NOTES/CROSS REFERENCE:
Policy PI-62-008

AMENDMENT DATE: MARCH 14, 2017

PROCEDURE:

1. Farmsteads or acreages will be nominated by residents of Lac La Biche County; advertising for nominations will commence in the month of June each year. The award will recognize individuals who have strived to improve the appearance of their property through yard maintenance, resulting in the demonstration of civic pride, environmental awareness and municipal beautification.
2. The following criteria for consideration are recommended:

<u>Farmsteads</u> a) Shelterbelts b) Landscaping c) Farm buildings and facilities d) Farmstead design e) General overview f) Water Management	<u>Acreages</u> a) Shelterbelts b) Landscaping c) Management d) Design and facilities e) Vegetables, flowers and trees f) Water Management
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3. One farmstead or acreage will be recognized each year.
4. Farmsteads will be defined on the basis of their direct involvement in farming.
5. Farmsteads/acreages that have previously been honored as an award recipient may, after a period of ten years and where a title transfer has taken place, eligibly apply for the award again.
6. All nominations and program organization is to be administered by Lac La Biche County.
7. Awards shall be presented to recipients in the form of a driveway sign that is to be installed by Lac La Biche County staff.
8. To publicize the award and acknowledge the success of the applicant, the recipient of the Rural Beautification Award will have their picture and biography displayed in the County's newsletter, the "*Your County In Touch*".

"Original Signed"
Chief Administrative Officer

April 18, 2017
Date