

## Mackenzie County

<b>Title</b>	<b>General Municipal Improvement Standards</b>	<b>Policy No:</b>	<b>DEV008</b>
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<b>Legislation Reference</b>	<b>Municipal Government Act, Part 17, Division 6/7</b>
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### **Purpose**

The purpose of the General Municipal Improvement Standards Policy is to establish that the minimum standards set forth in the General Municipal Improvement Standards (engineering guidelines) must be adhered to by the County, Developers, Engineering Consultants, Contractors, and others in all aspects of municipal improvement installations.

### **Policy Statement:**

Mackenzie County, Developers, Engineering Consultants, Contractors, and others all have a responsibility to ensure that the proper installation of infrastructure is met as set forth in the General Municipal Improvement Standards (GMIS).

These guidelines are in place to ensure that the County is provided with quality, cost efficient products that will meet an acceptable life expectancy with minimal maintenance requirements, while not prohibiting future land development.

### **Guidelines**

1. All standards set forth in the GMIS shall be met;
2. These standards shall only be considered the minimum requirements;
3. All municipal improvements shall be up to accepted engineering practices and standards that address and meet the specific needs and site conditions of the development;
4. The Planning & Development Department will ensure that the GMIS is reviewed as required to ensure the standards and practices remain current and to address new deficiencies or standards that may arise:
  - a) All County departments involved in the operation or maintenance of infrastructure shall be involved in the annual review process;

5. Any proposed revisions that significantly alter a standard and is likely to cause a large cost, either initially or for long term maintenance, shall be presented to the Public Works Committee for their consideration.

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