



County of Forty Mile No. 8 Policy Handbook

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Committee Undeveloped Road Allowance

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Policy Statement:

As the local road authority, the County of Forty Mile will upon request provide a reasonable standard for access on undeveloped road allowances. Upgraded road allowances are not intended to provide all weather access year round, but to provide landowners a means of improved access during seasonal operations.

Guidelines:

1. The landowner requesting improvements on an undeveloped road allowance shall:
 - a) contact all adjacent landowners and obtain their written agreement with the proposed work.
 - b) remove all surface rocks in the roadway.
 - c) break up grass and work it using a disk until grass lumps are eliminated.
 - d) spray for grass and weeds on an annual basis or as needed.
 - e) Upon request the County will fill low areas and install culverts as required on a 50/50 cost share basis.

2. The Public Works Department shall:
 - a) upgrade the road allowance to a 7 metre width, .6 metre height
 - b) maintain the road allowance at least once a year and more often, if possible.
 - c) surface gravel will not be provided