

Are You Landscaping This Year?

When you are working on your summer yard projects, please keep in mind before doing any landscaping first check your original site plans that were submitted to Cypress County at the time the development permit was issued. Then you are able to verify how much additional site coverage remains to construct patios, sidewalks, compacted walking paths, gravel covered landscaping that has an underlaying plastic/solid barrier preventing water percolation into the ground etc. Please be aware that all landscaping of residential lots in the hamlets must comply to the regulations in the Land Use Bylaw which restricts site coverage to a maximum of 30% for all structures and hard surfacing. 45% maximum site coverage only applies to Desert Blume *including landscaping*.

You may call the Cypress County Planning and Development Department at 403-526-2888, between the hours of 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Thursday and Friday 8:30 am to 12:00 noon, to verify your current site coverage, and to find out more information.

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