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Policy Statement:

Lacombe County employs Community Peace Officers (CPOs) for community safety enhancement and specialized law enforcement. Peace Officers are appointed under the Peace Officer Act as Community Peace Officers – Level 1 and as Bylaw Enforcement Officers under the Municipal Government Act.

Lacombe County, as an Authorized Employer of Peace Officers under the Peace Officer Act, carries legislative requirements and responsibilities under the Peace Officer Act, Peace Officer Regulations, and Peace Officer Program Policy and Procedures Manual. The Peace Officer Program with Public Safety Emergency Services is responsible for ensuring compliance with these requirements and conducting periodic audits of employers.

Policy Manual

1. The County Manager or their designate is responsible for meeting all Authorized Employer responsibilities.
2. Recognizing Peace Officers' unique law enforcement needs, the County Manager is authorized to create the 'CPO Services – Policy Manual.' This Manual has been adopted and forms part of the County Policy and may be updated occasionally as authorized by the County Manager or their designate.

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Revised: