

## **BYLAW NO: 25/020**

**A BYLAW OF THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF WOOD BUFFALO TO CONTROL AND REGULATE THE USE OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE URBAN AND RURAL SERVICE AREAS OF THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF WOOD BUFFALO, THE TRAFFIC AND PEDESTRIANS MOVING THEREON AND THE PARKING OF VEHICLES ON THE HIGHWAYS.**

**WHEREAS** the *Municipal Government Act* provides that municipality has the direction, control and management of certain roads within its boundaries because it has entered into one or more agreements with the Minister of Transportation and Economic Corridors;

**AND WHEREAS** the *Municipal Government Act* provides that a council may pass bylaws for municipal purposes respecting the safety, health and welfare of people and the protection of people and property, as well as for people, activities and things in, on or near a public place or a place that is open to the public;

**AND WHEREAS** the *Traffic Safety Act* provides that the council of a municipality may, with respect to a highway under its direction, control and management, make bylaws that are not inconsistent with the act;

**AND WHEREAS** the Minister, pursuant to section 2 of the *Highways Development and Protection Act*, may by order, designate any existing highway as a provincial highway, and has the direction, control, and management of all provincial highways;

**AND WHEREAS** the *Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act* provides that a local authority may make bylaws with respect to highways under its direction, control and management, designating the route and time of travel of vehicles transporting dangerous goods, prohibiting the carriage of dangerous goods, and specifying restrictions or conditions to ensure the safe transportation in or by a means of transport, safe storage and controls necessary for public safety;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

### **PART 1. TITLE**

1.1 This Bylaw may be cited as the “Roads and Transportation Bylaw 2025”.

### **PART 2. APPLICATION**

2.1. This Bylaw shall not apply to:

- (a) provincial highways as defined in the Highways Development and Protection Act; or

- (b) public roads within Indian Reserves pursuant to clause 9(c) of the transportation transitional funding agreement between the Province of Alberta and the Municipality.
- 2.2. For certainty, this Bylaw only applies to Public Places and highways under the direction, control and management of the Municipality, including:
- (a) the Fort Chipewyan Winter Road and ice bridges;
  - (b) the La Loche Winter Trail and ice bridges;
  - (c) the highways at the Fort Chipewyan Airport;
  - (d) the segment of Highway #48 between Fort Fitzgerald and the border separating the Northwest Territories and Alberta;
  - (e) the segment of Highway #49 comprising the west access to Wood Buffalo National Park from Highway #48 to the Wood Buffalo National Park boundary, exclusive of the bridge;
  - (f) the segment of Highway #50 from the east access to Wood Buffalo National Park from Highway #48 to the Wood Buffalo National Park boundary; and
  - (g) the Conklin Airstrip and the Janvier Airstrip.

### **PART 3. DEFINITIONS**

- 3.1 In this Bylaw, all words shall have the same meaning as the *Traffic Safety Act*, unless otherwise defined below.
- 3.2 In this Bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words, terms, and phrases have the corresponding meaning:
- (a) “Chief Administrative Officer” includes the Person appointed to the position of chief administrative officer of the Municipality in accordance with the Municipal Government Act, or that Person’s designate or delegate;
  - (b) “Council” shall mean the Council of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo;
  - (c) “Crosswalk” means a designated portion of a roadway for pedestrians to use when crossing a highway, and which may be unmarked at an Intersection or marked with a Traffic Control Device, pavement markings or other similar markings to create visual or physical separation between the portion of the roadway intended for pedestrian crossings;

- (d) “Curb” means the physical edge of a roadway or another similar point that divides a roadway and a boulevard or sidewalk;
- (e) “Dangerous Goods” means any product, substance or organism specified in or included by its nature in any of the classes listed in the regulations under the Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act for which a placard is required to be displayed in accordance with Part 4 of the said Regulations;
- (f) “Dangerous Goods Route” means a highway so designated in Schedule 1 and Posted in accordance with this bylaw;
- (g) “Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act” means Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Act, RSA 2000, c D-4;
- (h) “Disabled Person Vehicle” means a vehicle identified as such by either an Alberta license plate starting with the letter “A” or an official placard, clearly displayed in the vehicle bearing the international symbol of the disabled;
- (i) “Driveway” means any areas used or constructed to provide access between private property and a highway, starting at the edge of roadway to the private property line;
- (j) “Heavy Vehicle” means a vehicle or a combination of attached vehicles and trailers, with or without a load, exceeding:
  - (i) two axles;
  - (ii) eleven (11) metres in length;
  - (iii) a maximum allowable weight of 7,000 kilograms; or
  - (iv) a combination of attached vehicles or trailers, that is registered for a weight exceeding 8,000 kilograms,but does not include a municipal service vehicle.
- (k) “Highways Development and Protection Act” means the Highways Development and Protection Act, SA 2004, c H-8.5;
- (l) “Miniature Vehicle” has the same meaning as the Traffic Safety Act, and for the purpose of this Bylaw includes electric scooters, pocket bikes, golf carts, motorized skateboards, go-carts, Personal transporters;
- (m) “Mobile Unit” means:
  - (i) any vacation trailer, house trailer or relocatable trailer; or

- (ii) any structure, whether ordinarily equipped with wheels or not, that is constructed or manufactured to be moved from one (1) point to another by being towed or carried and to provide living accommodation for or other use by one (1) or more Persons;
- (n) “Municipal Government Act” means the Municipal Government Act, RSA 2000, c M-26;
- (o) “Municipal Tag” means a tag or similar document issued by the Municipality pursuant the Municipal Government Act, that alleges a bylaw offence and provides a Person with the opportunity to pay an amount to the Municipality in lieu of prosecution for the offence;
- (p) “Municipality” means the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo;
- (q) “Intersection” means the area embraced within the prolongation or connection of
  - (i) the lateral Curb lines, or
  - (ii) if there are not any lateral Curb lines, the exterior edges of the roadways of two (2) or more highways which join one another at an angle whether or not one highway crosses the other;
- (r) “Operator” means the registered owner thereof or if not the registered owner, the Person driving or in the position of control over the vehicle;
- (s) “Parade or Procession” means a group of vehicles, animals, pedestrians or combination thereof on a highway which is likely to block, obstruct, impede, hinder or otherwise interfere with pedestrian or vehicular traffic on a highway excluding a funeral procession;
- (t) “Parade Marshall” means the Person designated as “parade marshall” for the purpose of guiding a Parade or Procession;
- (u) “Park”, “parked”, and “parking” or any word or expression of similar connotation or import shall mean a vehicle remaining stationary in one place whether or not the vehicle is occupied, excluding vehicles stationary in one place:
  - (i) while actually engaged in loading or unloading passengers; or
  - (ii) in compliance with the Traffic Control Device or the direction of a Peace Officer;
- (v) “Passenger Loading or Unloading Zone” shall mean an area on the vehicle portion of a highway Posted with a Traffic Control Device authorized by the

Chief Administrative Officer permitting Parking therein of a period necessary to load or unload passengers, provided such period is fifteen (15) minutes or less, except in front of a hotel when only ten (10) minutes Parking may be allowed and the Traffic Control Device shall indicate the time or times when the space is restricted to these purposes;

- (w) “Peace Officer” means a Peace Officer as defined in the Traffic Safety Act and includes a Bylaw Enforcement Officer as appointed by Council from time to time;
- (x) “Person” means any individual, corporation, society, association, partnership or firm;
- (y) “Post” or “Posted” means to erect, place or mark one (1) or more Traffic Control Devices;
- (z) “Public Place” means any land owned or leased by the Municipality, other than a highway, that the public is ordinarily entitled or permitted to use, including:
  - (i) parks, as defined in the Parks and Recreation Bylaw;
  - (ii) Parking lots, and
  - (iii) land developed, used or managed by the Municipality for public utilities;
- (aa) “Rural Service Area” has the same meaning as Order in Council 817/94;
- (bb) “Service Station” shall mean any facility that carries on the business of servicing or repairing automobiles.
- (cc) “Street Furniture” means every curb, sidewalk, pole, traffic sign, waste receptacle, bus bench, bus enclosure, tree, plant, grass, hydrant, fence, utility, utility service or any other property belonging to the Municipality capable of being marked, defaced or damaged;
- (dd) “Taxi Zone” means a portion of a roadway adjacent to the curb authorized and Posted for the exclusive use of taxicabs or taxicab companies;
- (ee) “Track” or “Tracked” means to allow, cause or permit any dirt, soil, mud, gravel, sand, clay, lime, fertilizer, manure, substance or material of any nature or kind whatsoever to become loose or detached or blow, drop, spill or fall from any vehicle, appurtenances, or tires onto any highway or land in the vicinity of any highway;

- (ff) “Traffic Control Device” includes those devices described in the Traffic Safety Act, and any authorized sign, signal, marking, device, or other means of communicating permitted traffic, including the stopping of motor vehicles or the movement of pedestrians;
- (gg) “Traffic Safety Act” means the Traffic Safety Act, RSA 2000, c T-6;
- (hh) “Transit Vehicle” shall mean a bus designed to carry more than 15 passengers, including the driver, and equipped with facilities to allow extended travel without stopping;
- (ii) “Transit Zone” means the area parallel to the curb side of the roadway for transit vehicles to stop for the purpose of allowing passengers to enter and exit the transit vehicle, and includes the fifteen (15) meters of either side of a sign identifying the area as such an area;
- (jj) “Urban Service Area” has the same meaning as Order in Council 817/94;
- (kk) “Violation Tag” means a tag or similar documents issued by the Municipality pursuant to the Municipal Government Act;
- (ll) “Violation Ticket” means a ticket issued pursuant to Part II of the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, RSA 2000, c P-34;
- (mm) “Winter Road” means a roadway or ice bridge within the Municipality that is open on a seasonal basis subject to the direction of the Municipality specifically including, but not limited to, the Fort Chipewyan Winter Road and the La Loche Winter Trail;
- (nn) “Winter Road Update” means the public service announcement regarding the winter roads issued by the Municipality from time to time;
- (oo) “Work Zone” means an area designated by Traffic Control Devices as a work zone for the purpose of maintenance, construction, or repairs on or near a highway.

### 3.3 In this Bylaw:

- (a) words importing the singular number include the plural and vice versa, and words importing the neuter gender include the masculine and the feminine genders and vice versa;
- (b) any reference to “including” means “including, but not limited to”;
- (c) unless expressly stated otherwise, a reference to a “Section” is a reference to a section in this bylaw, a reference to a “Part” is a reference to a part in

this bylaw, and any reference to a “Schedule” is a reference to a schedule to this Bylaw;

- (d) unless expressly stated otherwise, a reference to an enactment is a reference to an enactment of Alberta and its regulations, as amended, revised, consolidated, or replaced from time to time, and a reference to a bylaw or policy is a reference to a bylaw or policy of the Municipality, as amended, revised, consolidated, or replaced from time to time; and
- (e) a reference to the current title of a position includes the position as it may be renamed from time to time, or if the position is modified or eliminated, any references in this Bylaw to the modified or eliminated position are intended to be a reference to any other position with those functions and responsibilities that most closely resemble the position described in this Bylaw.

#### **PART 4. OPERATION OF VEHICLES**

- 4.1 Every Person shall obey the instructions of Traffic Control Devices unless otherwise directed by a Peace Officer or Parade Marshall during a Parade or Procession.
- 4.2 When signaled or directed to stop by a Peace Officer, a driver shall promptly bring the vehicle to a stop, furnish to the Peace Officer any information respecting the driver or the vehicle that the Peace Officer requires and shall remain stopped until permitted by the Peace Officer to leave.
- 4.3 No Person shall stop a vehicle or permit a vehicle to be left upon any highway in such a manner to block, obstruct, impede or hinder traffic on the highway unless the Person has been granted the authority in writing to do so by the Chief Administrative Officer, Council or by operation of law, and then only in strict compliance with the authority granted.
- 4.4 Notwithstanding section 4.3, where the obstruction caused by a vehicle is unavoidable due to mechanical failure, the Person will not in breach of Section 4.3 provided the Person promptly takes measures to remove such vehicles from the highway.
- 4.5 No Person shall drive or walk on or over newly installed thermal inlay, painted line, epoxy, or other material, on any roadway in a designated Work Zone marked by a Traffic Control Device.

## **PART 5. RESERVED LANES**

- 5.1. The Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to designate specific traffic lanes as being reserved all or part of the time for use only by a particular class of vehicle and shall cause a Traffic Control Device identifying the reserved lanes and class of vehicle to be Posted.
- 5.2. For the purposes of this Part, if a lane is reserved under 5.1 for use by a shuttle vehicle, “shuttle” shall mean a municipal passenger or commercial vehicle designed to carry nine (9) or more passengers, including the driver, that is used or intended to be used to transport passengers.
- 5.3. When a specific traffic lane is designated as being reserved for use only by a particular class of vehicle a Person shall not operate a vehicle of a class other than the particular class permitted in that traffic lane.
- 5.4. Nothing in this Part prohibits a vehicle of a class other than that permitted in the traffic lane from crossing that traffic lane to enter or exit from adjacent driveways or intersecting roadways.

## **PART 6. PEDESTRIANS**

- 6.1 Subject to Section 6.2, no pedestrian shall cross a highway in the Urban Service Area or in a hamlet at any point other than at a Crosswalk.
- 6.2 No pedestrian shall cross at a Crosswalk if a Traffic Control Device prohibits such a crossing.
- 6.3 No pedestrian shall cross:
  - (a) a highway on a bridge;
  - (b) within one hundred (100) metres in any direction from the approach to a bridge;except at a Crosswalk with a Traffic Control Device permitting such a crossing at that location.
- 6.3 No Person shall stand in a group of three (3) or more Persons or so near to each other on any highway as to obstruct the entrance to buildings or to obstruct or prevent other Persons using such highways and forthwith after request has been made by a Peace Officer, shall disperse and move away.
- 6.4 Nothing in this Bylaw shall be construed as prohibiting the assembling of Persons for the purpose of watching a duly authorized Parade or Procession.



## **PART 7. PARKING**

- 7.1. No Person shall Park or permit a vehicle to be parked on a highway contrary to a Traffic Control Device or in a manner that impedes the flow of traffic.
- 7.2. Unless permitted by a Traffic Control Device, a Person shall not Park or permit a vehicle to be parked on any winter road or portion thereof.
- 7.3. Unless required or permitted by the *Traffic Safety Act*, this Bylaw or by a Traffic Control Device, or in compliance with the directions of a Peace Officer, or to avoid conflict with other traffic, no Person shall stop or Park a vehicle.
- (a) at an Intersection nearer than ten (10) metres to the projection of the curb or edge of the roadway line immediately ahead or immediately to the rear;
  - (b) within ten (10) metres of a stop sign or yield sign;
  - (c) within five (5) metres of any fire hydrant, or when the hydrant is not located at the curb, within five (5) metres of the point on the edge of the roadway nearest the hydrant;
  - (d) within ten (10) metres of a Crosswalk;
  - (e) on any sidewalk or boulevard;
  - (f) facing oncoming traffic; or
  - (g) on any bridge or within 10 metres of any bridge.
  - (h) within one and one-half (1.5) metres of an access to a garage, private road, Driveway, or other type of vehicle crossway over a sidewalk;
- 7.4. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Bylaw, the Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to cause moveable signs to be Posted on or near a highway to indicate “No Parking”, or “Street Maintenance” and when so Posted, such signs shall take precedence over all other Traffic Control Devices.
- 7.5. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked a vehicle on a highway from the time signs referred to in Section 7.4 have been Posted, until such signs have been removed.
- 7.6. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle on the Posted portion of such highway during the ninety-six (96) hour period following the time the Traffic Control Devices were Posted where the vehicle was parked prior to the Posting of the Traffic Control Devices as described in Section 7.4.

- 7.7. No Person shall Park or operate a vehicle in contravention of any sign or Traffic Control Device Posted in accordance with Sections 7.4 and 7.5. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle on the roadway side of a vehicle already parked at the curb or edge of a roadway.
- 7.8. Any vehicle Parked contrary to this Bylaw may be towed away at the owner's sole expense.
- 7.9. Except when actually taking or discharging passengers, no Person shall Park a vehicle in a Passenger Loading or Unloading Zone.
- 7.10. No Person shall Park a vehicle on any alley unless a Traffic Control Device otherwise permits, except for the following purposes:
- (a) The loading or unloading of goods from a commercial vehicle for a period not exceeding thirty (30) minutes;
  - (b) The loading or unloading of goods or passengers from a vehicle other than a commercial vehicle for a period not exceeding five (5) minutes.
- 7.11. Notwithstanding Subsections 7.10 (a) and (b) above, no Person, while loading or unloading passengers or goods, shall Park in such a manner as may obstruct the passage of other vehicles along the alley.
- 7.12. Where a Traffic Control Device restricts the parking of vehicles to a specific time limit, it shall be an offence to Park a vehicle in excess of the time or dates Posted, except for the following class of vehicle(s):
- (a) vehicles being used by Government employees and identified as such (Municipal, Provincial or Federal);
  - (b) marked public utility vehicles, while the Operators are actually engaged in the course of their employment (utility companies are ATCO Electric, ATCO Power and Telus or representatives of utility companies); and
  - (c) vehicles used by elected Government officials and identified as such.
- 7.13. Section 7.12 above shall only apply between the hours of 09:00 and 18:00, and shall not apply on a Saturday, Sunday or holiday unless otherwise indicated by a Traffic Control Device.
- 7.14. No Person shall Park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to be parked on private property without the permission or authorization of the owner of the private property or a Person having lawful possession or control of the private property.
- 7.15. Where a parking area is provided on private land, used for commercial or industrial purposes, for the parking of the vehicles of Persons who are customers or patrons

of or who is clearly designed as being set aside for parking only of vehicles of customers or patrons of or Persons doing business with the owner, tenant, occupant or other Person in charge of the land, a Person who is not immediately after being parked or leaving the vehicles either a customer or patron or Person doing business with the owner, tenant, occupant or Person in charge of the said land as indicated in the designation unless he has verbal or written permission from the said owner, tenant, occupant or other Person in charge, shall not Park or leave his vehicle on the parking area so designated.

- 7.16. No Person shall Park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to be parked on any land owned by the Municipality which the Municipality uses or permits to be used as a playground, recreation area, utility lot, or public park, except in such areas designated or Posted for parking.
- 7.17. No Person shall Park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to be parked in any parking space upon land owned or controlled by the Municipality where such space has been reserved, as indicated by a Traffic Control Device, for a vehicle operated by a municipal employee, officer, or Council Member.
- 7.18. No Person shall Park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to be parked in any parking lot owned by the Municipality in contravention of a Traffic Control Device Posted in the said parking lot.
- 7.19. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, any trailer upon any highway unless the said trailer is attached to a vehicle by which it may be propelled or drawn and when so attached, the trailer shall be deemed part of the vehicle and subject to the provisions pertaining to vehicles.
- 7.20. No Person shall occupy or permit any other Person to occupy a Mobile Unit upon a highway or upon municipal property unless such property has been designated for use as a Mobile Unit Park.
- 7.21. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked a vehicle that is not a taxicab, in an area Posted as a Taxi Zone.
- 7.22. No Operator of a taxicab shall leave his taxicab unattended for a period exceeding five (5) minutes in an area Posted as a Taxi Zone.
- 7.23. The Operator of a taxicab, except when answering a call, shall not Park the taxicab upon any roadway other than within a Taxi Zone, unless such taxicab is displaying a "Not for Hire" sign, and the Operator is out of the taxicab.
- 7.24. Notwithstanding the establishment of a Taxi Zone on a roadway, an Operator of a taxicab stopping or parking in such a zone shall comply with the requirements of the Traffic Safety Act and this Bylaw.

- 7.25. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked a vehicle on any highway for more than forty- eight (48) consecutive hours unless otherwise permitted by the Chief Administrative Officer in writing.
- 7.26. Except for emergency vehicles, no Person shall Park or stop or permit to be parked or stopped, a vehicle on any highway, Public Place or private property in space Posted as a fire lane.
- 7.27. Nothing in this part shall be construed as to allow parking contrary to any other provision of this Bylaw.
- 7.28. A Person being in charge or control of a garage, Service Station, radio shop or other premises where repairs or installations are made to vehicles for compensation, shall not Park or permit to be parked a vehicle which is left in his possession for the carrying out of repairs or installations or for any such related purpose, on a highway unless specifically required or permitted by:
- (a) Another provision of this or another Bylaw;
  - (b) A Traffic Control Device; or
  - (c) The *Traffic Safety Act*.
- 7.29. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle on any highway or on private land, in space Posted for parking for Disabled Person Vehicle unless such vehicle is properly displaying identification as a Disabled Person Vehicle.
- 7.30. Where a Traffic Control Device upon a highway restricts Parking thereon to residents, no Person not a resident of the said area, shall Park or permit to be parked a vehicle:
- (a) At anytime; or
  - (b) In excess of the time so designated and Posted on a Traffic Control Device, unless such vehicle displays a permit issued by the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 7.31. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked a vehicle other than a transit vehicle in a Transit Zone.
- 7.32. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle in such a manner so as to obstruct a fire or emergency exit.
- 7.33. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle in such a manner so as to obstruct the entrance or exit of a hospital, firehall, police station, or ambulance station.

- 7.34. A Person shall not Park or stand a vehicle or permit such vehicle to remain parked in such a manner as to interfere with the proper operation of any vehicle used by the Fire Department or any other emergency vehicle.
- 7.35. Any vehicle parked contrary to Section 7.34 may be towed away at the owner's expense. When it is practicable, such a vehicle shall be removed so that it is left nearby to minimize inconvenience to the owner.
- 7.36. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle or trailer on any highway unless the subsisting license plate issued for that vehicle is displayed on that vehicle in accordance with the *Traffic Safety Act*.

### **Parallel Parking**

- 7.37. When parking a vehicle on a roadway, a Person may only Park:
- (a) with the sides of the vehicle parallel to the curb or edge of the roadway, and the right wheels of the vehicle not more than five hundred (500) millimeters from the right curb or edge of the roadway; or
  - (b) in the case of a one-way highway where parking on either side is permitted, with the sides of the vehicle parallel to the curb or edge of the roadway, the wheels that are the closest to a curb or edge of the roadway not more than five hundred (500) millimeters from that curb or edge, and the vehicle facing in the direction of travel authorized for the highway.
- 7.38. Notwithstanding Section 7.37, a Person may Park a motorcycle
- (a) at an angle, other than perpendicular, to the curb or edge of the roadway, and
  - (b) with the nearest wheel of the motorcycle not more than five hundred (500) millimetres from the curb or edge of the roadway, and the motorcycle angled in the direction of travel authorized for the traffic lane that is adjacent to the lane on which the motorcycle is parked.
- 7.39. Section 7.37 does not apply where angle parking is permitted or required by a Posted sign.

### **Angle Parking**

- 7.40. When a sign indicates that angle parking is permitted or required, and parking guidelines are visible on the roadway:
- (a) a Person may only Park a vehicle with the vehicle's sides centered between and parallel to any two of the guidelines; and

- (b) in the case of a vehicle other than a motorcycle, with one front wheel not more than five hundred (500) millimetres from the curb or edge of the roadway; or
  - (c) in the case of a motorcycle, with the nearest wheel of the motorcycle not more than five hundred (500) millimetres from the curb or edge of the roadway, and the motorcycle angled in the direction of travel authorized for the traffic lane that is adjacent to the lane on which the motorcycle is parked.
- 7.41. When a sign indicates that angle parking is permitted or required, and no parking guidelines are visible on the roadway:
- (a) a Person may only Park a vehicle with the vehicle's sides at an angle of between thirty (30) and sixty (60) degrees to the curb or edge of the roadway; and
  - (b) in the case of a vehicle other than a motorcycle, with the nearest wheel not more than five hundred (500) millimetres from the curb or edge of the roadway; or
  - (c) in the case of a motorcycle, with the nearest wheel of the motorcycle not more than five hundred (500) millimeters from the curb or edge of the roadway, and the motorcycle angled adjacent to the lane on which the motorcycle is parked.

### **Advertising on Highways**

- 7.42. Unless authorized by a permit from the Chief Administrative Officer, a Person shall not do any of the following on a highway:
- (a) display any goods for sale;
  - (b) offer any goods for sale;
  - (c) sell any goods; or
  - (d) Park a vehicle that is being displayed for sale or that is displaying advertising directing Persons to a commercial premises.

## **PART 8. SPECIAL CLASSES OF VEHICLES**

- 8.1 No Person shall angle Park any vehicle or trailer which singly or together exceeds six (6) meters in overall length upon any highway, except at such locations as have been authorized by the Chief Administrative Officer.

- 8.2 No Person shall Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle or a vehicle with any type of trailer attached thereto upon any highway if the overall length of the vehicle or the vehicle with the trailer exceeds 6.8 metres under the following conditions:
- (a) Between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.;
  - (b) At anytime when the said vehicle or vehicle and trailer are parked either in front or across from or on the flankage of residential property.
- 8.3 Section 8.2 of this Part shall not apply as to prohibit such vehicle from being parked adjacent to the curb on a highway for the purpose of unloading and loading goods to or from premises abutting such highway, provided that if the loading or unloading is taking place during a period of restricted visibility, then the vehicle and its trailer shall have all front and rear parking lights illuminated.
- 8.4 No Person shall Park or permit to be parked a truck-tractor unit on any highway within the Municipality whether or not a trailer is attached to the truck-tractor or not.
- 8.5 No Person shall:
- (a) Park, or permit to be Parked, a vehicle on a highway, where that vehicle contains Dangerous Goods;
  - (b) Park or permit to be parked, a vehicle within 15 metres of any building, where that vehicle contains Dangerous Goods.
- 8.6 Section 8.5 above does not apply where the vehicle is parked while loading or unloading the dangerous goods in the ordinary course of business.
- 8.7 With the exception of Dangerous Goods Routes, no Person shall operate or permit a vehicle to be operated in the Municipality where that vehicle contains Dangerous Goods, unless:
- (a) that vehicle is being operated for the loading and unloading of Dangerous Goods within the Municipality; and
  - (b) the vehicle is being operated on the most direct and practicable route from the primary highway to or from the premises of customers.
- 8.8 Any Person desiring to operate a vehicle carrying Dangerous Goods on a highway, other than in compliance with Section 8.7 of this part, must first obtain approval from the Chief Administrative Officer. The Chief Administrative Officer, using his discretion, may provide his approval subject to conditions.
- 8.9 No Person shall operate a vehicle or trailer or combination thereof on a highway under the direction, control and management of the Municipality other than in

accordance with the weight and load limitations as specified in the *Traffic Safety Act*.

8.10 Notwithstanding Section 8.9 above, the Chief Administrative Officer may:

- (a) Issue a single trip or an open permit to an applicant for any number of trips and for such a period of time as he deems advisable, with permit conditions applied describing routing, time of day or other restrictions as deemed necessary for the safe movement of the load or loads;
- (b) Issue a permit to an applicant who telephones, or provides by electronic transmission, the information required for a permit.

8.11 No Person shall operate a vehicle in respect of which an overload or over-dimensional permit is issued pursuant to the *Traffic Safety Act* on a highway under the direction, control and management of the Municipality unless:

- (a) the Chief Administrative Officer has given approval;
- (b) the Owner, Operator, driver or mover of the vehicle shall agree to be responsible for all damages which may be caused to the highway by reason of driving, operating or moving of any such vehicle upon the highway; and
- (c) if requested by the Chief Administrative Officer, the Owner, Operator, driver, or mover of the vehicle Posts a bond sufficient to cover the cost of repairing possible damages to the highway, landscaping and Street Furniture in an amount satisfactory to the Chief Administrative Officer.

8.12 In case of any dispute arising as to the weight of any vehicle, the same shall be weighed upon a certified scale and the weighing of the vehicle shall be deemed to be conclusive.

8.13 Unless a permit to do so has been issued by the Chief Administrative Officer, no Person shall operate on a highway:

- (a) A vehicle or trailer having metal spikes, lugs, cleats, or bands projecting from the surface of the wheel or tire on such vehicle;
- (b) Any vehicle or trailer having skids or tracks; or
- (c) Any vehicle or trailer having chains attached to the tires.

8.14 No Person shall engage a vehicle's engine retarder brakes within two (2) kilometers of a residential property within the Municipality.



## **PART 9. TRUCK ROUTES**

- 9.1 No Person shall operate or permit the operation of a Heavy Vehicle on a highway other than a highway specified in Schedule 2 (Truck Routes).
- 9.2 The following Persons shall not be deemed to be operating a vehicle in contravention of this part if the vehicle was being operated on the most direct and practicable route between the premises or location concerned and nearest truck route:
- (a) Persons delivering or collecting goods, merchandise or passengers to or from the premises of bona fide customers;
  - (b) Persons going to or from premises for the servicing or repairing of a Heavy Vehicle;
  - (c) Persons pulling a disabled vehicle from a highway prohibited to Heavy Vehicles;
  - (d) Persons going to or from business premises of the owner of the Heavy Vehicle concerned where that Person has received the required approval under the authority of the Municipality's Land Use Bylaw; or
  - (e) Persons operating a vehicle owned by or contracted by the Municipality and presently in the service of the Municipality.
- 9.3 Any Person desiring to haul materials or equipment on any roadway, excluding a truck route, shall make an application to the Chief Administrative Officer for a route permit and such application shall contain the following information:
- (a) the name and address of the Person;
  - (b) the day, date, and hours during which the haul will be undertaken;
  - (c) the route the haul will take; and
  - (d) the Person responsible for any drainage or street cleaning required.
- 9.4 Any person desiring to haul over dimensional loads on any roadway that require a Traffic Control Device to be turned, shall make an application to the Chief Administrative Officer for a route permit and such application shall contain the following information:
- (a) the name and address of the Person;
  - (b) the day, date, and hours during which the haul will be undertaken;

- (c) the route the haul will take;
  - (d) the dimensions of the haul, including specific widths and heights; and
  - (e) the Person responsible for any drainage or street cleaning required.
- 9.5 The Chief Administrative Officer may issue a route permit, and if issued, shall set forth conditions as to speed, weight restrictions, covering the load, time restrictions, maintenance and repairs to highways resulting from hauls made pursuant to a route permit, or such other conditions as may be appropriate for the area for which the holder of a route permit shall abide by.
- 9.6 A Person who holds a permit shall be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred by the Municipality for the repair of any curb stops, valves, hydrants, sidewalks, curbs, pavement, landscaping and any other such appurtenances to highways resulting from hauls made pursuant to any permits issued under this Bylaw.
- 9.7 The Chief Administrative Officer may, at his discretion, cancel or suspend a permit without notice, and may consider factors including, but not limited to weather, environmental hazards, and vehicular traffic.
- 9.8 The Chief Administrative Officer has authority to:
- (a) Prohibit the use on a highway by a Heavy Vehicle, or by a class or classes thereof, for a period or periods that the Chief Administrative Officer determines;
  - (b) Limit or restrict the speed of a Heavy Vehicle, or of a class or classes thereof, using a highway for a period or periods that the Chief Administrative Officer determines; and
  - (c) Increase, limit or restrict the maximum gross weight that may be borne by a Heavy Vehicle or combination of vehicles on a highway for a period or periods that the Chief Administrative Officer determines.

## **PART 10. PARADES AND PROCESSIONS**

- 10.1. No Person shall hold, join, march or participate in any Parade or Procession unless a permit has been obtained from the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 10.2. The Chief Administrative Officer may issue a Parade permit to a Person under this part where the Person has complied with the requirements of Section 10.3 below.
- 10.3. Any Person desiring to hold a Parade or Procession within the Municipality shall, at least two (2) weeks prior to the time he desires to hold the Parade or Procession,

make an application in writing to the Chief Administrative Officer containing the following information:

- (a) The name and address of the Person wishing to sponsor a Parade or Procession and, if the Person is an organization, then the name and address of the contact Person;
- (b) The day, date, and times during which the Parade or Procession will be held;
- (c) The route of the Parade or Procession and written certification from the Police Department that such route is satisfactory to the Police Department;
- (d) The approximate number of Persons and vehicles participating in the Parade or Procession;
- (e) The nature and object of the Parade or Procession;
- (f) The approximate size, number and nature of flags, banners, placards, and such other similar items to be carried or displayed;
- (g) The wording and symbols to be exhibited on the items listed in Subsection (f) above; and
- (h) Proof of liability insurance.

10.4. The Chief Administrative Officer may unconditionally approve, approve with conditions or refuse an application for a Parade Permit.

10.5. Where a Parade Permit is granted allowing floats, vehicles, or animals to be placed in or on the route of a Parade or Procession, the Person or Persons sponsoring the Parade or Procession shall indemnify and save harmless the Municipality from and against any and all claims for injury to any Person or Persons and damage to any real or Personal property arising by reasons of or in any way connected with the entry, placing, or operation of the vehicles, floats, or animals in the Parade or Procession, and whether arising out of, directly or indirectly caused by any act or omission, of the Municipality its authorities or agents.

10.6. Where a Parade Permit has been granted:

- (a) The Chief Administrative Officer may temporarily close for all or some types of traffic all or portions of the highway along or near the route set out in the permit for the anticipated time of the Parade or Procession and for such

additional time as necessary to clear the highway or highways of normal traffic; and

- (b) The Chief Administrative Officer may temporarily suspend parking and loading privileges on all or a portion of the highways on the proposed route of the Parade or Procession.
- 10.7. No Parade or Procession shall obstruct any highway for a longer period than is required.
- 10.8. Any vehicle in a funeral procession, except the lead vehicle, may, during the daylight hours, enter an Intersection without stopping if:
- (a) The headlamps of the vehicle are alight,
  - (b) The vehicle is traveling immediately behind the vehicle in front of it so as to form a continuous line of traffic, and
  - (c) The passage into the Intersection can be made in safety.
- 10.9. A Peace Officer, Parade Marshall or Person designated to control traffic by the Parade Marshall may regulate and direct traffic in the vicinity of any Parade or Procession and all Persons shall obey the orders and directions of the Peace Officer, Parade Marshall or Person designated to control traffic by the Parade Marshall. The Person controlling traffic must be identifiable as a Person designated to control traffic in accordance with all applicable legislation.
- 10.10. No pedestrian or Person operating any vehicle (excluding emergency vehicles) or riding a horse shall break through the ranks of any authorized Parade or Procession.

## **PART 11. AUTHORITY OF THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER**

- 11.1. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby delegated the authority to prescribe where Traffic Control Devices are to be Posted, including, but not limited to Traffic Control Devices restricting the speed of vehicles.
- 11.2. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any highway for through traffic purposes. Such highway shall be properly Posted if stop signs or yield signs are erected at all Intersections of such highways and urban park trail systems.
- 11.3. The Posting of Traffic Control Devices by the Chief Administrative Officer is hereby deemed to be made pursuant to this Bylaw.

- 11.4. The Chief Administrative Officer shall maintain a record of all the locations of Traffic Control Devices which shall be open to public inspection during normal business hours.
- 11.5. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to establish marked Crosswalk on any highway and thereafter to cause the marks or Traffic Control Devices, or both, to be Posted or installed for the Crosswalk.
- 11.6. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any highway Intersection or other place on a highway as a place at which no left-hand turn or no right-hand turn or both shall be made and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.7. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any Intersection or other place on a highway, including, but not limited to where a railway right-of-way crosses a highway, as a place where U-turns are prohibited and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.8. The Council may designate a highway or any portion thereof, for one-way traffic only and instruct the Chief Administrative Officer to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.9. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate school zones and playground zones and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.10. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate Transit Zones and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.11. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate any highway upon which no parking is permitted and to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.12. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate a portion of a highway or Public Place where parking is limited or prohibited to a period of time or wholly prohibited, or prohibited to a class or classes of vehicles, or both, and to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.13. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate Municipality employee parking areas and to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.14. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate angle or parallel parking on any highway and to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.15. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate the non-standard distance a vehicle may be parked from an Intersection and cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.16. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to Post truck routes or dangerous goods routes as approved by the Council and described in Schedules 2 and 3 attached to and forming part of this Bylaw.

- 11.17. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to impose limitations or restrictions on loads traveling on highways and cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.18. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate the maximum loading permitted on any highway or bridge and to cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.19. The Chief Administrative Officer shall Post, as the Chief Administrative Officer considers necessary to notify Persons using the highway(s) of the prohibition, increase or restriction of load limitations.
- 11.20. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to close or open any existing median or divider on any highway.
- 11.21. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to issue, or revoke permits on behalf of the Municipality under this Bylaw.
- 11.22. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate Taxi Zones and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.23. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate temporarily closure of any street, road, lane or public highway or any part thereof at any time where a construction or maintenance project on or adjacent to the highway or Public Place may create a hazard and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.24. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate Mobile Unit parking areas and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.25. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate public parking lots and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.26. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to designate temporary road closures and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.27. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to divide any highway into lanes and to designate those lanes for through traffic, or for left turning or right turning traffic only or for any combination of through, left turning or right turning traffic and shall cause the same to be Posted.
- 11.28. The Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to require security for performance in an acceptable form on any and all work and activities that affects highways. Such security shall be in the amount to fully recover the cost or repair for unacceptable or sub-standard performance.
- 11.29. The Chief Administrative officer may be sub-delegate any or all of his powers, duties and functions under this Bylaw.

## **PART 12. WINTER ROADS**

- 12.1. The Chief Administrative Officer shall issue Winter Road Updates to the public advising of road conditions including, but not limited to road openings, road closures, load limits, speed limits, construction, and operating restrictions relating to the operation of vehicles on the winter roads.
- 12.2. The Chief Administrative Officer shall Post the Winter Roads as described by a Winter Road Update.
- 12.3. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Bylaw, no Person shall operate a vehicle in contravention of any Winter Road Update or Traffic Control Device Posted along a Winter Road.
- 12.4. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Bylaw, no Person shall operate a vehicle in excess of the Posted weight on any ice bridge.

## **PART 13. DRIVEWAYS**

- 13.1. Notwithstanding owner or occupant of any premises or lot within the Municipality, who shall require to drive any vehicle across any sidewalk or boulevard for the purpose of entering the premises or lot, may cause to be constructed in place of the sidewalk and/or boulevard to be crossed, and of full width thereof, a Driveway, so designed and maintained as to be suitable for pedestrians using the sidewalk and vehicles using the Driveway. No construction of such a Driveway shall commence unless a permit for the crossing has first been obtained from the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 13.2. Every Person who obtains a permit for a Driveway shall comply with all terms and conditions of the permit.
- 13.3. The Chief Administrative Officer shall permanently close any Driveway or revoke any permit. The owner shall remove the Driveway within thirty (30) days of notice.
- 13.4. The owners of properties served by a Driveway shall be responsible for its maintenance or replacement, except that part of the Driveway known as the sidewalk which runs parallel to the street. The Chief Administrative Officer shall be the sole judge of what constitutes disrepair, a condition which requires either repair or complete replacement of the Driveway.
- 13.5. The Chief Administrative Officer shall give written notice to the registered or assessed owner of the property served by a Driveway in disrepair. The owner shall take the corrective measures directed by the Chief Administrative Officer within thirty (30) days of the mailing of said notice.
- 13.6. The Chief Administrative Officer may close and fill in all unused Driveways and charge the cost thereof to the owner of the property served by said Driveway,

provided that the Chief Administrative Officer shall have given thirty (30) days notice of intention to do so, in writing, to the registered or assessed owner of such property.

- 13.7. The Chief Administrative Officer may issue temporary Driveway permits to temporarily serve construction sites or special events, provided that the applicant or the owner of the property thus permitted will undertake to indemnify and save harmless the Municipality by reason of the existence of said temporary Driveway.
- 13.8. If, in the opinion of the Chief Administrative Officer, any portion of the Curb, sidewalk, boulevard or other Street Furniture is damaged by the temporary use allowed pursuant to a permit under this section, the applicant, its principal or the owner of the property served by the said Driveway shall repair the damage within thirty (30) days of written notice from the Chief Administrative Officer.

#### **PART 14. USE OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC PLACES**

- 14.1. In the event that any load or any portion thereof becomes loose or detached or blows, drops, spills or falls from any vehicle onto any highway, it shall be the duty of the driver of the vehicle forthwith to take all reasonable precautions to safeguard traffic and also to remove such material from such highway.
- 14.2. The Chief Administrative Officer may order the Person who left, or allowed to be left or placed litter or load, to remove same within a period of twenty-four (24) hours and, in default, the Chief Administrative Officer shall cause the litter to be removed. In cases where an immediate public hazard is created, in the opinion of the Municipality or its duly authorized representative, notice as provided for above is not required.
- 14.3. No Person shall drive, operate or permit to be driven or operated, any vehicle or equipment of any nature or kind in such a manner as to Track substance or material upon a highway.
- 14.4. Any Person who Tracks upon a highway shall be liable to clean up or remove the substance or material Tracked upon the highway.
- 14.5. No Person shall drive, operate or permit to be driven or operated any vehicle or equipment of any nature or kind which is involved in the transport of any dirt, soil, mud, gravel, sand, clay, lime, fertilizer, manure, substance or material of any nature or kind whatsoever where there is less than seventy-five (75) millimetres from the top edge of the side containment structure of the vehicle or equipment to the highest point of the surface of the transported material.
- 14.6. No Person shall drive, operate or permit to be driven or operated any vehicle or equipment of any nature or kind which is involved in the transport of any dirt, soil, mud, gravel, sand, clay, lime, fertilizer, manure, substance or material of any



nature or kind whatsoever excluding snow, unless the transported material is completely covered and secured by a tarpaulin or similar covering.

- 14.7. Except as authorized by Council, no Person shall encroach, place or construct any permanent object so that it encroaches or obstructs any highway, or other Public Place.
- 14.8. The Chief Administrative Officer or his designate may approve temporary encroachments for up to thirty (30) days, which impose only minor controlled impact on traffic or parking, with conditions including suspension of existing or imposing temporary parking restrictions.
- 14.9. Any Person placing or causing any obstruction to be placed in or upon any highway, curb or Public Place shall remove or cause the removal of such obstruction within twenty-four (24) hours of his being notified to do so by the Chief Administrative Officer. After the expiration of the said twenty-four (24) hours, the Chief Administrative Officer shall remove or cause the removal of such obstruction.
- 14.10. Except as authorized by the Chief Administrative Officer, no Person shall break, tear or remove any planking, pavement, sidewalk, curbing, concrete, cement or other road surface nor make any excavations in or under any street, lane, park or Public Place in the Municipality without first obtaining a Utility Installation/Street Occupancy Permit.
- 14.11. Every Person who obtains a Utility Installation/Street Occupancy Permit shall comply with all terms and conditions of the Utility Installation/Street Occupancy Permit.
- 14.12. The Chief Administrative Officer may establish and levy service charges for any work done by the Municipality or its agents as a requirement under the Utility Installation/Street Occupancy Permit, except to recover costs for permit administration and inspection.
- 14.13. No owner, tenant or occupier of any property shall erect, obstruct, use, or permit to remain upon or along the boundary of his lane or premises near any highway in the Urban Service Area in the Municipality, any fence wholly constructed of barbed wire.
- 14.14. Where a fence, in the Urban Service Area, is partly constructed of barbed wire, the barbed wire part shall be no closer to the ground than 1.6 metres.
- 14.15. The owner, assessed owner, tenant or occupant of any land adjoining any highway or Public Place in the Municipality shall cause all trees, shrubs and bushes which overhang the highway or Public Place to be properly trimmed, and cut back, so as to prevent the obstruction of pedestrians or vehicles and/or the interference with good visibility for safe traffic flow.

- 14.16. Any Person who fails to comply with Section 14.15 shall be given notice in writing by the Chief Administrative Officer. If the overhanging tree, shrub or bush is not trimmed or cutback as directed within twenty-four (24) hours after being served notice, the Municipality may have out said work carried out.
- 14.17. All owners, occupants or tenants of land or premises with a commercial designation under the Land Use Bylaw, shall remove or cause to be removed and cleared away snow, ice, dirt, debris or other obstruction from any sidewalk adjoining their commercial property owned or occupied by them, such removal to be completed within forty-eight (48) hours of the time when the snow, ice, dirt, or other obstruction was formed or deposited thereon.
- 14.18. Where a Person being the owner, occupant or tenant of any lands or premises fails or neglects to comply with direction given by the Municipality under this Part, in addition to any other remedy available for non-compliance with this Part, the Municipality may cause the identified repairs or removal to be completed. The cost thereof shall be paid to the Municipality upon demand. Failing payment such cost shall be added to the tax roll of the property.
- 14.19. No Person shall remove dirt, debris or any other material from any sidewalk by causing such material to be placed upon any other portion of the highway or other Public Place.
- 14.20. No Person shall place, or permit to be placed, any snow, ice, dirt, debris or other material removed from private property onto the highways or other Public Place of the Municipality except as authorized in writing by the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 14.21. No Person shall play on any street or lane within the Municipality.
- 14.22. No Person shall cast, project or throw any stones or other projectiles dangerous to the public or use bow and arrow, catapult or other such contrivance on, onto or across any highway or other Public Place.
- 14.23. No Person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle on or across any boulevard, sidewalk, Public Place, or other publicly owned lands, not designated for vehicular use, without the written permission of the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 14.24. No Person responsible for the delivery of construction materials or who is responsible for a construction site shall permit materials delivered to the site to remain on a roadway or sidewalk beyond the end of the workday.

## **PART 15. MINIATURE VEHICLES**

- 15.1. No Person shall operate a Miniature Vehicle in a Public Place, including on pathways.

## **PART 16. OFFENCES AND POWERS OF PEACE OFFICERS**

- 16.1. Any Person who contravenes any provision of this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and is liable upon conviction to a fine as set out in Schedule 3 (Penalties and Fines). If there is no specific fine listed in Schedule 3 (Penalties and Fines) for a particular offence, the fine shall be \$120.00.
- 16.2. A Peace Officer is hereby authorized to remove or cause to be removed, any vehicle, Miniature Vehicle, or trailer:
- (a) parked in contravention of a provision of this Bylaw; or
  - (b) where emergency conditions require that the vehicle or trailer be removed.
- 16.3. Any vehicle, Miniature Vehicle, or trailer removed pursuant to Section 16.2 above may be moved to:
- (a) a nearby highway; or
  - (b) a place designated by the Municipality where it will remain impounded until claimed by the owner.
- 16.4. No impounded vehicle, Miniature Vehicle, or trailer shall be released to its owner or his agent until the removal and impounding charges have been paid.
- 16.5. All charges for removal and impounding shall be in addition to any fine or penalty imposed in respect of any such violation or to any payment made in lieu of prosecution as provided for in this Bylaw.
- 16.6. In order to determine the time which a vehicle has been parked in a location where parking is restricted to a specific time, a Peace Officer may place a chalk mark on the tread face of the tire of a parked or stopped vehicle without the Peace Officer or the Municipality incurring any liability relating thereto.
- 16.7. A Peace Officer is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a violation tag to any Person, who the Peace Officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe has contravened any provision of this Bylaw.
- 16.8. A violation tag may be issued to such Person:
- (a) Personally;
  - (b) by mailing a copy to such Person at his last known Post office address;
  - (c) by leaving it for the defendant at his residence with a Person on the premises who appears to be at least 18 years of age; and

- (d) attached or left upon the vehicle in respect to which the offence is alleged to have been committed.
- 16.9. Where a contravention of this Bylaw is of a continuing nature, a contravention constitutes a separate offence in respect of each day, or part of a day, on which it continues.
- 16.10. Where a violation tag is issued pursuant to this Bylaw, the Person to whom the violation tag is issued may, in lieu of being prosecuted for the offence, pay to the Municipality the penalty specified on the violation tag.
- 16.11. Where the payment referred to in Section 16.10 is received within seven (7) days of date of issuance of the municipal tag, the penalty set out in Schedule 5 attached hereto and forming part of this Bylaw shall be reduced by 40% and such reduced payment shall be accepted in lieu of prosecution of the offence.
- 16.12. Nothing in this Bylaw shall prevent a Peace Officer from immediately issuing a violation ticket.
- 16.13. In those cases where a violation tag has been issued and if the penalty specified on the violation tag has not been paid within the prescribed time, then a Peace Officer is hereby authorized to issue a violation ticket pursuant to Part III of the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, to any Person who the Peace Officer has reasonable grounds to believe has contravened any provision of the Bylaw.
- 16.14. Notwithstanding any provision of this Bylaw, a Peace Officer is hereby authorized and empowered to immediately issue a violation ticket pursuant to Part II or Part III of the Provincial Offences Procedure Act, to any Person who the Peace Officer has reasonable grounds to believe has contravened any provision of this Bylaw.
- 16.15. After the issuance of a violation ticket concerning a vehicle for a first violation of this Bylaw, should the vehicle remain parked in excess of the time permitted on the Traffic Control Device for a further period, then a second violation ticket may be issued.
- 16.16. Any Person to whom a violation ticket has been issued may make a voluntary payment in respect of the violation ticket by delivering the violation ticket along with an amount equal to that specified for the offence as set out in this Bylaw, to the Provincial Court office specified on the violation ticket. The violation tag shall be in form approved by the Chief Administrative Officer.
- 16.17. If a vehicle is involved in an offence under this Bylaw, the owner of that vehicle is guilty of an offence.
- 16.18. Section 16.17 does not apply if the owner of the vehicle satisfies the court that, at the time that the vehicle was involved in an offence:

- (a) in the case of a vehicle that was in motion, the owner of the vehicle was not driving the vehicle, and no other Person was driving the vehicle with the owner's expressed or implied consent, and
- (b) in the case of a vehicle that was parked, the owner did not Park the vehicle, and no other Person parked the vehicle with the owner's expressed or implied consent.

## **PART 17. MISCELLANEOUS**

- 17.1. No Person shall erect or cause to be erected, build or place a fence, wall or other object on private property within five (5) metres of a highway Intersection.
- 17.2. No Person shall continue the existence of a fence, wall or other object on private property within five (5) metres of a highway Intersection.
- 17.3. The Chief Administrative Officer may require a Person who contravenes Sections 17.1 and 17.2 of this Part to remove or reduce the contravening fence, wall or other object at his sole expense.
- 17.4. Where a Person being the owner, occupant or tenant of any lands or premises fails or neglects to comply with the Municipality, in addition to any other remedy available for non-compliance with this Part, may cause the identified repairs to be completed. The cost thereof shall be paid to the Municipality upon demand. Failing payment such cost shall be added to the tax roll of the property.
- 17.5. No Person shall load or unload goods or merchandise across a sidewalk or boulevard where loading facilities have been provided at the premises to which the goods or merchandise are being delivered or where an alley is available.
- 17.6. No Person shall be upon the roadway on roller skates, in-line skates, skateboard, riding on a coaster, sled, skis, toy vehicle, tricycle, or a similar device except while crossing such roadway at a Crosswalk or Intersection.
- 17.7. Section 17.6 does not apply to a Person riding a bicycle.
- 17.8. A Person riding a bicycle on any sidewalk, footpath or walkway where pedestrians are also allowed, shall ride the bicycle only in such a way that it will not interfere with a pedestrian lawfully on or using the said sidewalk, footpath or walkway and shall at all times obey all Traffic Control Devices.
- 17.9. No Person traveling on a bicycle shall cling to or attach himself or his device to a vehicle on a roadway.
- 17.10. No Person shall drive or operate a vehicle on a roadway having in tow any of the vehicles or devices referred to in Sections 17.6.

- 17.11. No Person operating a business premises to which entry or exit for vehicles is made by a Driveway located between the highway curb and the private property line shall allow water, mud, slush, ice, snow, to remain on the public sidewalk or other portion of such Driveway but will keep the Driveway clean and clear of all such matter, liquids or substances.
- 17.12. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked any vehicle on any highway for the purposes of effecting repairs to the vehicle, excepting only to effect emergency repairs in the case of a breakdown not allowing a vehicle to be moved.
- 17.13. No Person shall Park or permit to be parked on any highway, any non-operative motor vehicle.
- 17.14. Section 17.13 does not apply to a vehicle which has been parked because of a breakdown or other emergency if the Person in charge or control of the vehicle can establish that he has taken immediate action to arrange for the prompt removal of the vehicle.

## **PART 18. ADMINISTRATION**

- 18.1. Should any provision of this Bylaw be found to be invalid by a court of law, the invalid portion of the Bylaw shall be severed from the remainder of the Bylaw and the severing shall not invalidate the whole of this Bylaw.
- 18.2. All Traffic Control Devices which are in place on the effective date of this Bylaw shall be deemed authorized for the purposes of this Bylaw.

**(Repeal and) Coming Into Force**

- 18.3 Upon this Bylaw coming into effect, Bylaw No. 02/079 and all amendments thereto are hereby repealed.
- 18.4 This Bylaw comes into effect on the day it is passed.

Read a first time this 24th day of June, 2025.

Read a second time this 8th\_\_ day of July, 2025.

Read a third and final time this 8th\_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2025.

Signed and Passed this 8th day of July 2025.

SCHEDULE 1

**DANGEROUS GOODS ROUTES**

<b><u>ON</u></b>	<b><u>FROM</u></b>	<b><u>TO</u></b>
Tolen Drive	Traffic Circle	King Street
King Street	Tolen Drive	Clearwater River

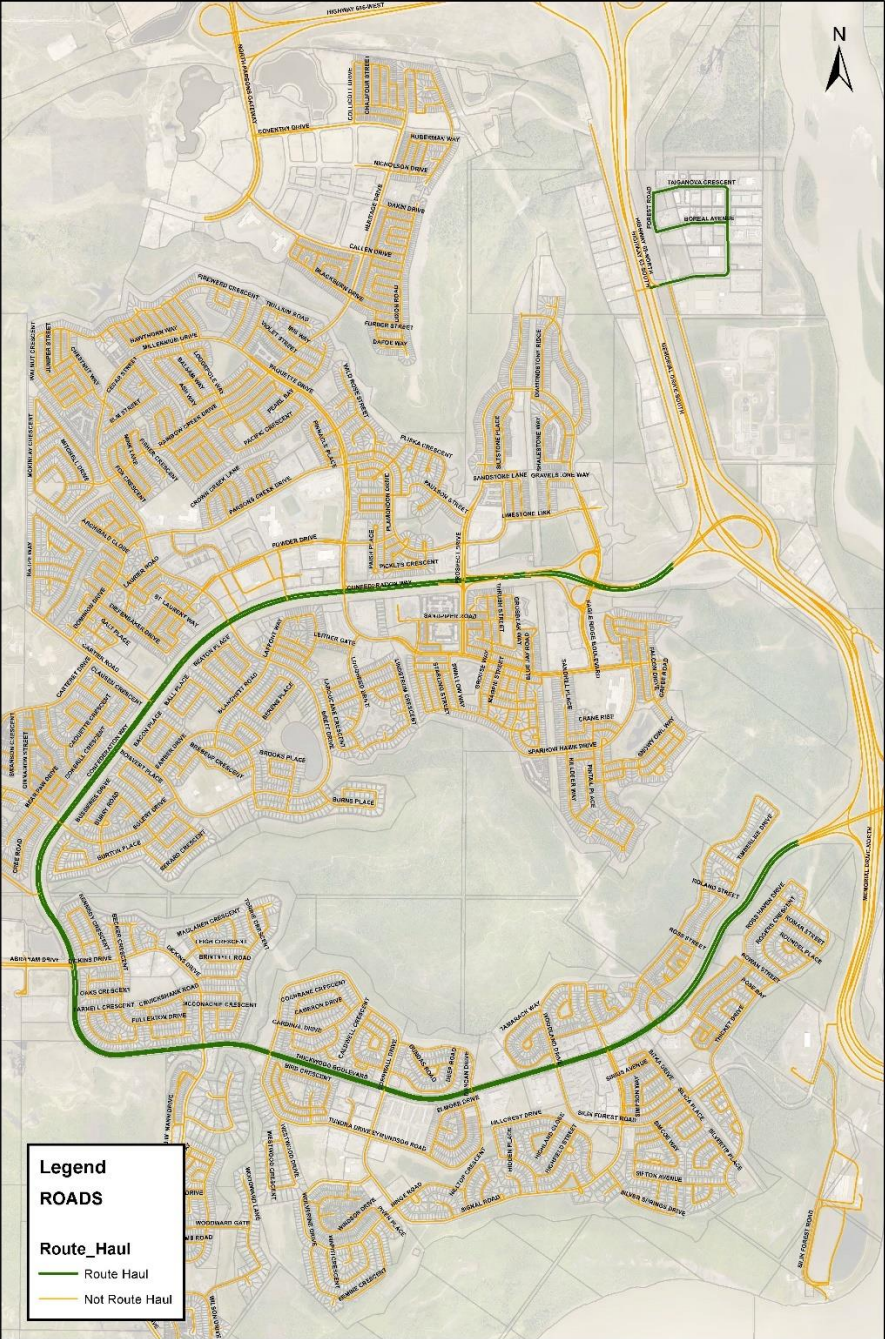


SCHEDULE 2

TRUCK ROUTES

TIMBERLEA - THICKWOOD

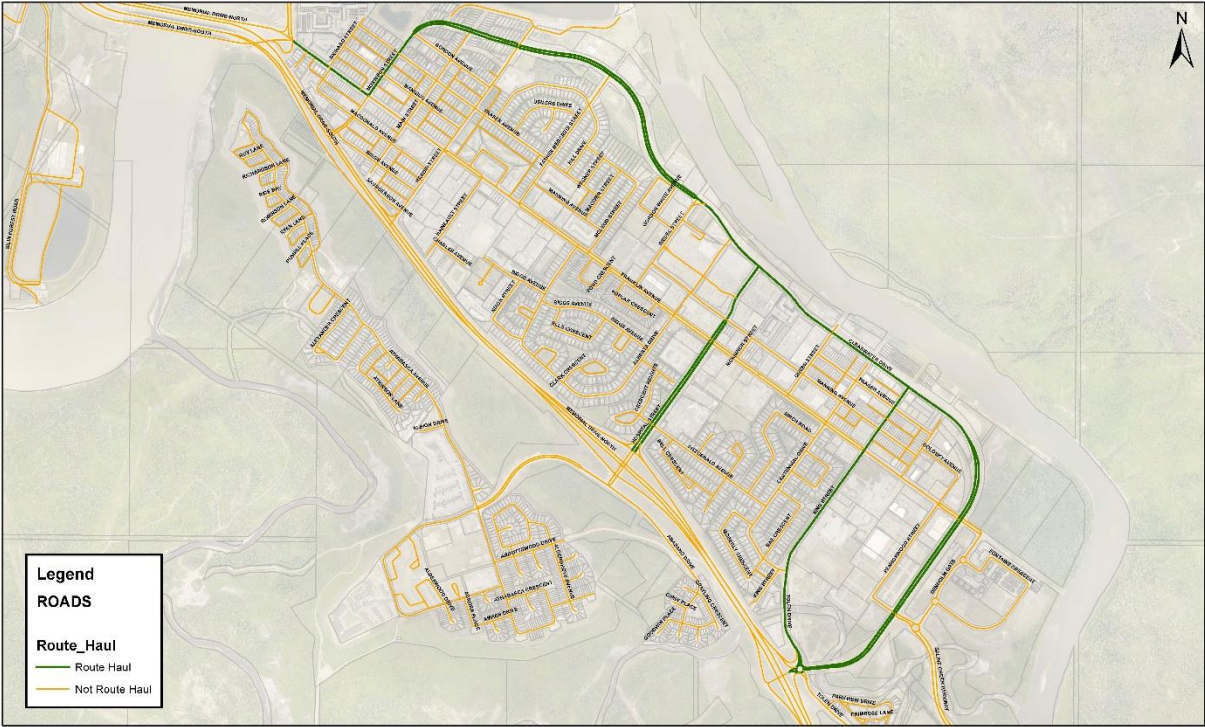
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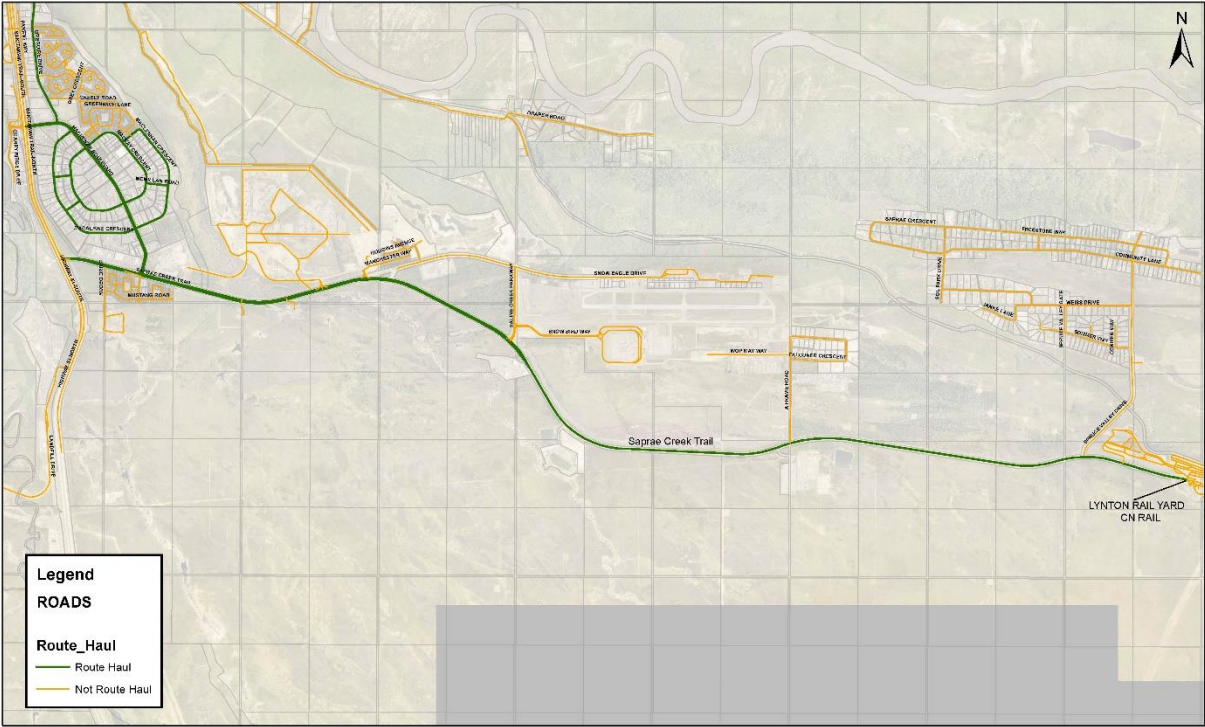
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SAPRAE CREEK TRAIL

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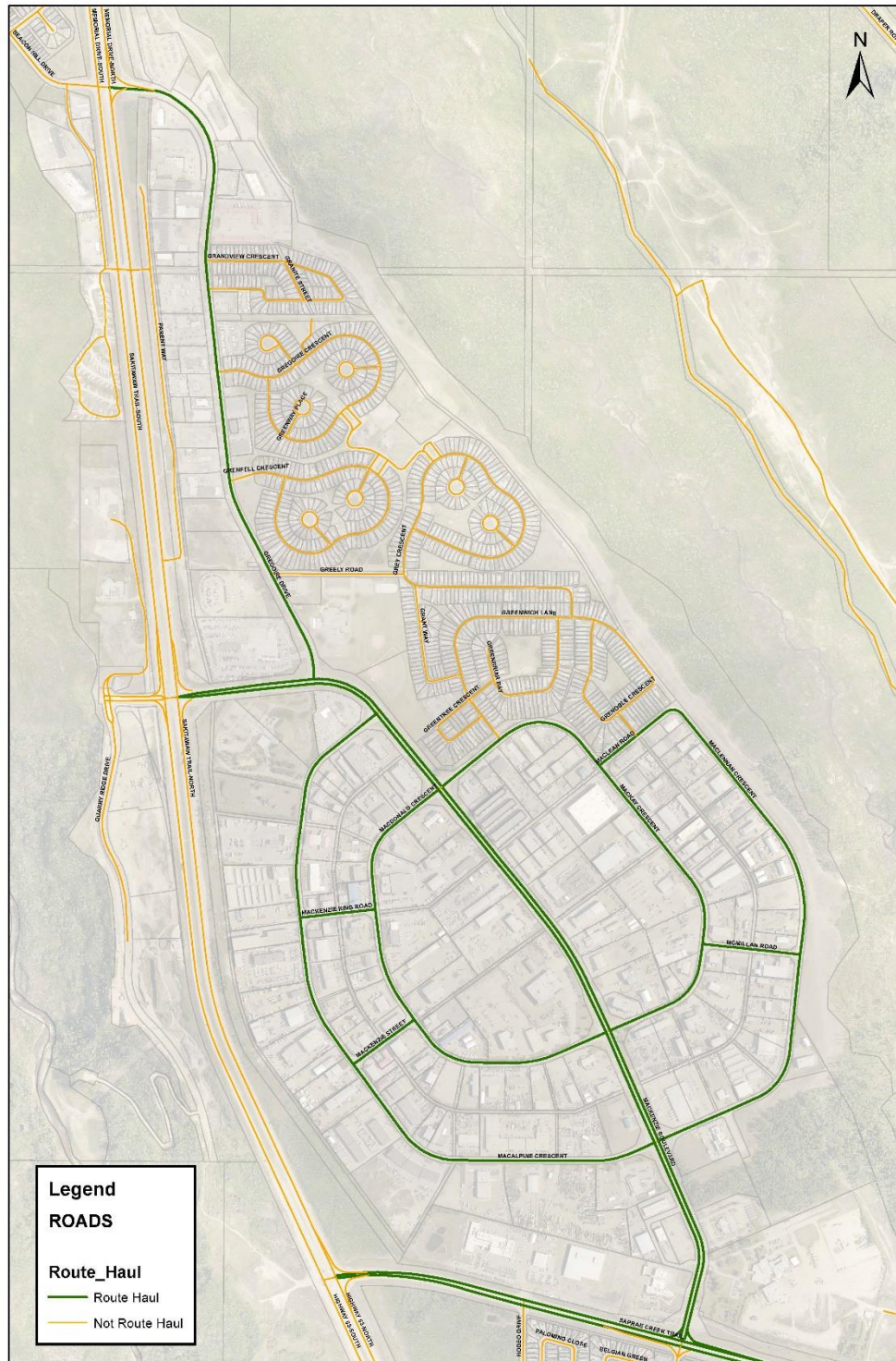




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**SCHEDULE 3****PENALTIES AND FINES**

<b><u>SECTION NO.</u></b>	<b><u>OFFENSE</u></b>	<b><u>FINE (\$)</u></b>
4.1	Failure to obey Traffic Control Device	\$172.00
4.2	Failure to follow direction of Peace Officer	\$120.00
4.3	Obstructing traffic without authority	\$120.00
4.5	Driving or walking over thermal inlay or painted line in Posted "Work Zone"	\$200.00 + repair cost
5.3	Operating a vehicle of a class other than a particular class permitted in a reserved lane	\$172.00
5.3	Improper use of reserved lanes	\$500.00
6.1	Jaywalking	\$120.00
6.2	Walking across where Traffic Control Device prohibits	\$120.00
6.3	Pedestrian crossing at or near bridge	\$120.00
6.4	Improper highway blockage	\$120.00
7.1	Parking contrary to a Traffic Control Device or impeding traffic	\$120.00
7.2	Unlawful Parking – Winter Road	\$120.00
7.3	Parking where not permitted	\$120.00
7.5	Parking after Posting "No Parking" or "Street Maintenance" signs	\$120.00
7.9	Parking a vehicle in a Posted "Passenger Loading or Unloading Zone"	\$120.00
7.10	Parking a vehicle on any Alley	\$120.00
7.12	Parking a vehicle in excess of Posted Time Limits	\$120.00

7.14	Illegal Parking a vehicle on Private Property	\$120.00
7.15	Parking on Private Property used for industrial and commercial purposes	\$120.00
7.17	Parking a vehicle in a Municipal Reserved Stall	\$120.00
7.19	Parking an Unattached Trailer on Highway	\$120.00
7.20	Occupancy of Mobile Unit on Highway or Municipal Property	\$120.00
7.21	Parking vehicle in a Posted "Taxi Zone"	\$120.00
7.26	Parking in a Posted "Fire Lane"	\$120.00
7.28	Service stations Parking vehicles on street	\$500.00
7.29	Parking vehicle in stall Posted for a Disabled Person(s) Vehicle	\$500.00
7.30	Parking vehicle in a Restricted Residential area	\$120.00
7.31	Parking vehicle in a "Transit Zone"	\$120.00
7.32	Parking vehicle in an "Emergency Exit"	\$120.00
7.33	Parking in the entrance to hospital or emergency response station.	\$120.00
7.34	Parking in a "Fire Lane"	\$120.00
7.36	Parking a vehicle without subsisting licence plate displayed.	\$120.00
7.37	Failure to parallel Park.	\$120.00
7.40	Failure to angle Park.	\$120.00
7.42	Unauthorized advertising on highway.	\$120.00
8.1	Vehicle exceeding 6 m.	\$120.00
8.2	Vehicle exceeding 6.8 m.	\$120.00
8.5	Illegal Parking of Dangerous Goods	\$1,000.00

8.7	Improper route for Dangerous Goods	\$1,000.00
9.1	Operating Heavy Vehicles off specified "Truck Routes"	\$200.00
9.5	Violation of provisions of route permit.	\$200.00
10.1	No valid parade permit.	\$120.00
10.10	Breaking through ranks of a funeral procession.	\$120.00
10.10	Breaking through the ranks of any authorized parade or procession.	\$120.00
12.3	Driving road when prohibited/contravening winter Road bulletin.	\$500.00
12.4	Driving an overweight vehicle on an ice bridge.	\$1000.00
13.1	Construction of driveway without a permit.	\$500.00
13.8	Damage to any Street Furniture.	\$500.00 + repair/ replacement cost
14.1	Littering where the amount of litter is less than or equals twenty  (20) kilograms in weight or one half (0.5) cubic metres in volume.	Min \$500.00 + clean-up cost
	Littering where the amount of litter exceeds twenty (20) kilograms in weight or one half (0.5) cubic metres in volume.	Min \$1000.00 + clean-up cost
14.3	Tracking onto Municipality streets or land.	Min \$500.00 + clean-up cost
14.5	Transport of material where there is less than 75 millimetres from the top edge of the containment structure.	\$500.00 + clean-up cost
14.6	Transport of unsecured load.	\$500.00 + clean-up cost

14.7	Place or construct encroachments or obstruction to highway or Public Place.	Min \$500.00 + repair cost
14.10	Operating without excavation permit.	Min \$5000.00 + repair cost
14.14	Fence constructed wholly of barb wire along highway.	\$120.00
14.15	Plants Overhanging Highway.	\$120.00
14.17	Failure to clean sidewalk (commercial)	\$120.00
14.20	Failure to clear snow and ice of awning extending over a highway	\$120.00
14.21	Playing on street or lane.	\$120.00
14.23	Driving/operating a motor vehicle on or across any publicly owned lands not designated for vehicular use.	\$500.00 + repair costs
15.1	Operating Miniature Vehicle in a Public Place.	\$500.00
17.5	Loading/unloading across sidewalk when other facilities are available.	\$120.00
17.11	Commercial business not cleaning sidewalks and/or Driveway.	\$120.00
17.12	Repairing vehicles on roadway.	\$500.00
17.13	Non operative motor vehicle Parked on highway.	\$500.00