

BY-LAW NO. 19-92

A BY-LAW TO REGULATE THE OPERATION OF MOTORIZED SNOW VEHICLES IN THE TOWN OF CARLETON PLACE

WHEREAS, under *The Motorized Snow Vehicles Act*, M.44, Section 7(2), R.S.O. 1990, a municipal council may pass by-laws regulating, governing or prohibiting the operation of motorized snow vehicles within the municipality, including any highways therein or any part or parts thereof;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Carleton Place enacts as follows:

SECTION I - DEFINITIONS

- 1) a) **"a motorized snow vehicle"** means a self-propelled vehicle designed to be driven primarily on snow.
- b) **"highways"** include a common and public highway, street, avenue, parkway, driveway, square, place, bridge, viaduct or trestle designed or intended for, or used by, the general public for the passage of vehicles.

SECTION II - OPERATION OF A MOTORIZED SNOW VEHICLE

- 2) THAT the operation of motorized snow vehicles is prohibited in the following areas:
 - a) any designated park and/or recreational facility lands owned and/or operated and maintained by the Corporation of the Town of Carleton Place,
 - b) within the radius of 0.5 kilometer of the Carleton Place and District Memorial Hospital,
 - c) on Bridge Street, Moore Street and Franktown Road from the northern boundary of the intersection of Bridge Street and the Town Line to the southern boundary of the Corporation Town limits, except to cross the aforementioned prohibited area at properly recognized inter-sections and the Provincially recognized Snowmobile Trail through the Town of Carleton Place.
 - d) on sidewalks, or where a "highway" has been ploughed to the width of the "highway" and the width of the sidewalk, on that portion of the total street, which is intended as, and is in fact a sidewalk, or within four feet of the designated or recognized edge of the ploughed portion of the road,
 - e) within a radius of 0.5 kilometer from any school within the defined boundaries of the Corporation of the Town of Carleton Place, being a public, secondary, or separate school, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
- 3) No person shall operate a motorized snow vehicle within the defined boundaries of the Corporation of the Town of Carleton Place between the hours of midnight and 7:00 a.m. of any day.
- 4) THAT in the event of emergency conditions, where an abnormal snowfall in excess of one meter over a 24-hour period falls and would severely restrict the prompt physical removal of snow, and where deemed necessary by recognized lawful authority that motorized snow vehicles would be of assistance, the previous conditions of this By-law shall be temporarily suspended.


SECTION III - ENFORCEMENT

- 5) THAT any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this By-law is guilty of an offence, and the procedure with respect thereto and the penalty upon conviction therefore shall be as provided for in *The Provincial Offences Act*, R.S.O. 1990, C.P33 and amendments thereto.

SECTION IV - REPEAL OF BY-LAW

- 6) THAT By-law No. 9-74 and all other by-laws or parts of bylaws inconsistent herewith be repealed.


READ A FIRST TIME THIS 28TH DAY OF APRIL 1992


Steven C. Peckett, Mayor



D.H. Rogers, Clerk

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 22ND DAY OF DECEMBER 1992


Steven C. Peckett, Mayor


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READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 22ND DAY OF DECEMBER 1992


Steven C. Peckett, Mayor


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