

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WHITBY

BY-LAW NO. 4816-01

BEING A BY-LAW TO PROHIBIT THE FEEDING OF WATERFOWL ON TOWN PROPERTY

WHEREAS, Section 102 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.45, as amended, provides that every Council may pass such by-laws and make such regulations for the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the municipality in matters not specifically provided for by the said Act as may be deemed expedient and are not contrary to law;

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Whitby considers it necessary and expedient to pass a by-law to prohibit the feeding of waterfowl on Town property;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Whitby enacts as follows:

DEFINITIONS

1. In this by-law,
 - (a) "person" means an individual, firm, corporation, association or partnership;
 - (b) "Town" means the Corporation of the Town of Whitby;
 - (c) "Town property" means land under the jurisdiction or control of the Town and includes land covered with water; and,
 - (d) "waterfowl" means a bird that lives on or about the water and includes, but is not limited to, ducks, geese, gulls and swans.

FEEDING OF WATERFOWL

2. No person shall feed waterfowl on Town property unless he or she has been authorized in writing to do so by the Town.

PENALTIES

3. Every person who contravenes any provision of this by-law is guilty of an offence and upon conviction thereof is liable to a fine or penalty for each offence, exclusive of costs, as prescribed by the Provincial Offences Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.33, as amended, or any successor legislation in substitution thereof.


SHORT TITLE

4. This by-law may be referred to as the Waterfowl By-law.

EFFECTIVE DATE

5. This by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the final passing thereof.

BY-LAW READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 9TH DAY OF APRIL, A.D., 2001.



CLERK



MAYOR