

VILLAGE OF TUXFORD

BYLAW NO. 1-90

A BYLAW TO REGULATE THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES, THE PARKING OF VEHICLES AND THE USE OF THE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS .

THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF TUXFORD, IN THE PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN,

ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. INTERPRETATION

- (a) "angle parking" means the parking of vehicles with the right front wheel drawn up to the curb on the right-hand side of the highway, or at a distance of not more than thirty(30) centimetres from such curb, the vehicle to be placed at an angle of forty-five(45) degrees with the curb;
- (b) "clerk" means the clerk of a town or the secretary treasurer of a village;
- (c) "curb" means the lateral boundaries of a roadway, whether or not marked by curbing;
- (d) "highway" means any street or public highway within the municipality, but does not include a provincial highway therein as designated pursuant to the provisions of the Highways Act;
- (e) "lug vehicle" means any truck, portable engine or traction engine having metal spikes, lugs or cleats projecting from the face of the wheels or tires thereof, or having metal track tread;
- (f) "park," "parking", have the meanings ascribed thereto by the Vehicles Act;
- (g) "power turn" means to maneuver a vehicle in such a manner to cause the rear of the vehicle to depart from its ordinary line of progress by the sudden use of acceleration and/or braking;
- (h) "speed zone" means any portion of a highway within the village of Tuxford, as designated herein, and identified by a sign erected and maintained at each end thereof, indicating the maximum speed applicable thereto;
- (i) "vehicle" has the meaning ascribed to it by the Vehicles Act.

2. SCOPE

- (a) "STOP" streets
The streets and avenues as listed in Appendix 1 are designated as "Stop" streets.
- (b) "YIELD" streets
The streets and avenues as listed in Appendix 2 are designated as "Yield" streets.

3. INFRACCTIONS

- (a) "STOP" Streets
The provisions of the Vehicles Act shall apply to all traffic approaching and facing a "stop" sign erected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of the Vehicles Act .
- (b) "YIELD" Streets
The provisions of the Vehicles Act shall apply to all traffic approaching and facing a "Yield" sign erected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of the Vehicles Act.

(c) Miscellaneous Signs

- (1) No person shall, except where authorized by resolution of council or when duly authorized by law, erect upon or immediately adjacent to any highway, any sign, marker, signal or light or any advertising sign or device.
- (2) No person shall deface, damage, destroy or remove any sign or marker erected pursuant to this bylaw.

(d) LUG VEHICLES

- (1) No person shall propel, operate or drive any lug vehicle upon any highway within the municipality without first having obtained of the Clerk, a permit in writing authorizing same.
- (2) The Clerk is hereby authorized to issue permits in writing for the purpose of section d(1) of this bylaw in any case where the applicant therefor has signed a written undertaking in form 1, Appendix 5. Provided that the Clerk shall not issue any such permit unless he is satisfied that with reasonable care in operation the lug vehicle may be propelled or driven over any highway without damage resulting thereto or to any bridge or culvert thereon.
- (3) Nothing contained in section d(1) shall be deemed to preclude the transport of a lug vehicle as herein defined over any highway where same is being carried by means of a rubber-tired trailer or other conveyance equipped with rubber tires.

(e) PARKING

- (1) Except as otherwise provided herein, the parking of vehicles is permitted on all highways within the municipality.
- (2) No person shall park a vehicle in any lane, nor in any street so as to obstruct the entrance to any lane or to a driveway or approach leading to private premises.
- (3) No person shall park any vehicle in any private parking place or on any private property unless he is the owner, occupant, licensee or permittee of the parking place or private property, except with the consent of such owner, occupant, licensee or permittee.
- (4) No person shall park an unlicensed vehicle on any highway or lane within the Municipality.

(f) ABANDONED VEHICLES

- (1) A vehicle is deemed to be abandoned if the vehicle has been left or placed on a street, public place or land or building owned or controlled by the Urban Municipality for 10 days or more and after reasonable inquiry, the owner of the vehicle cannot be ascertained.
- (2) Any vehicle which is deemed to be abandoned will be dealt with as provided in section Five (5) of this Eylaw.

(g) POWER TURNS

The operator of a vehicle shall not execute "power turns" on any highway in the municipality.

(h) SPEED

No person shall operate a vehicle in the municipality at a speed greater than Forty kilometers per hour.

(i) VEHICLES ON PUBLIC RESERVES, Etc.,

No person may operate or park a vehicle on any areas designated on Appendix 4.

4. SIGNS

- (a) Council shall cause to be erected and maintained at all stop streets listed in Appendix 1, at a distance of approximately three (3) metres from point of intersection, an appropriate sign containing the word stop, so placed to face the traffic approaching the intersection.
- (b) Council shall cause to be erected and maintained at all yield streets listed in appendix 2, at a distance of approximately three (3) metres from point of intersection, an appropriate "Yield" sign, so placed to face the traffic approaching the intersection.
- (c) Council may by resolution provide for the erection and maintenance on any highway, and at any designated point or points thereon, of such signs as it may deem expedient for warning, guidance, directions or information thereon.

5. PENALTIES

- (a) Any member of the Police Force or other person appointed by the council may remove, or cause to be removed, any vehicle that is unlawfully placed, left, or kept, on any highway or lane, public parking place, or other public place, or on municipally owned property, and to impound or store said vehicle.
- (b) Where a vehicle has been impounded or stored after it has been removed under section 5 (a), it may be retained at a place designated by the council for a period of 30 days from the date of removal, unless the cost of removal, impounding, storage and penalties are paid sooner. On payment of the full costs herein, the vehicle may be released to the owner thereof.
- (c) If the costs of removal, impounding, storage and penalties are not paid within the period of 30 days, as specified in Section 5(b) the Village shall have the right to recover same from the owner of the vehicle by:
 - (1) Legal action in a court of competent jurisdiction,
 - or
 - (2) Sale by Public Auction on publication of a Notice designating a time and place of sale at least 10 days prior to the sale, in a newspaper circulating in the Village, and on sending such notice by Registered Mail to the owner at the address appearing on the last registration of the vehicle.
- (d) (1) A person who contravenes any of the provisions of Section 3 of this bylaw or fails to comply therewith or with any notice or order given thereunder shall be guilty of an offence and upon conviction, shall be liable to penalties as follows:
 - Section No. 3(c)(1)(2) - Twenty Five (25) dollars.
 - 3(d) - Five hundred (500) dollars.
 - 3(e)(2)(3)(4) - Twenty Five (25) dollars.
 - 3(f) - Twenty Five (25) dollars.
 - 3(h) - as set out by the Highway Traffic Act.
- (2) A violator of the sections of this bylaw, as set out in subsection (1) upon being served with a Notice of Violation, may during the regular office hours, voluntarily pay the penalty at the municipal office, and upon payment as so provided, that person shall not be liable to prosecution of the offence.
- (3) The Notice of Violation shall be in Form "2", Appendix attached to and forming part of this bylaw.

6. Bylaw No. 12-75 is hereby repealed .

Mayor

E. P. Koch

(seal)

Clerk

[Signature]

APPENDIX 1 of BYLAW No. 1-90

VILLAGE OF TUXFORD

"STOP" STREETS (Section 4(a))

Street

Where intersected by

APPENDIX 2 of BYLAW No. 1-90

"Yield" Streets

Street

Where intersected by

Saskatchewan Ave.

Young Street
McCreary Street
Main Street
Brownlee Street

Young Street

Railway Avenue
Buffalo Avenue

McCreary Street

Buffalo Avenue
Railway Avenue

Main Street

Buffalo Avenue
Railway Avenue

Brownlee Street

Buffalo Avenue
Railway Avenue

APPENDIX 3 of BYLAW No. 1-90

"SPEED ZONES" -

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"PUBLIC RESERVES" -

APPENDIX 5 OF BYLAW NO. 1-90

NOTICE OF VIOLATION
VILLAGE OF TUXFORD

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code _____

DETAILS OF OFFENCE:

Date _____ Time _____ A.M.
P.M.

Licence No. _____

DESCRIPTION OF VIOLATION _____

LOCATION OF VIOLATION: _____

Owner

You are charged with violation of Bylaw No. _____

Section(s) _____

Penalty for the above violation _____

Special Constable

You may make voluntary payment of the above penalty at the office of the Village of Tuxford during regular office hours or by mail within 7 days from the date of service of this Notice of Violation.

If you do not make voluntary payment within the time set out above you shall be liable to prosecution .