

**TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH FRONTENAC
BY-LAW 2023-78**

A By-Law to Amend By-Law 2001-13, "A By-Law to Prohibit the Being at Large or Trespassing of Any Animal, Excluding Dogs and Cats, Within the Township of South Frontenac"

WHEREAS Council desires to update By-law 2001-13;

NOW THEREFORE the Corporation of the Township of South Frontenac enacts as follows:

1. By-law 2001-13, "A By-Law to Prohibit the Being at Large or Trespassing of Any Animal, Excluding Dogs and Cats, within the Township of South Frontenac", is hereby amended as follows:

That Schedule A of By-law 2001-13 is deleted in its entirety.

That Clause 4. of By-law 2001 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with a new Clause 4. Which reads as follows:

- "4. This by-law shall be enforced by the by-law enforcement officers of the Municipality.
 - a) No person shall obstruct or hinder or attempt to obstruct or hinder a Provincial Offences Officer or other authorized employee or agent of the Township in the exercise of a power or the performance of a duty under this by-law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, for purposes of this By-law, any person who fails to provide proof of identification satisfactory to the Provincial Offences Officer when requested to do so by the Provincial Offences Officer is deemed to obstruct an Officer under this By-Law;
 - b) At all times the By-law Enforcement Officer shall have due regard for those circumstances which are beyond the control of the person responsible for the animal including but not limited to the actions of third parties and the availability of materials and forces to contain the animal; and
 - c) Where the animal is being driven along or across a highway, in the normal course of normal agricultural and farming practices, under the control of a responsible person, the By-law Enforcement Officer shall have due regard for the circumstances with respect to the requirements of normal agricultural and farming practices and the safety of the public."

That By-law 2023 is amended to include Clause 7. b. to read as follows:

- "7.b. Every Person who contravenes any provision of this By-Law shall, upon issuance of a Penalty Notice in accordance with the By-Law to Impose Administrative Monetary Penalties On Violations Of Municipal By-Laws 2022-70, be liable to pay to the Township an Administrative Monetary Penalty in accordance with By-Law Number 2022-70."

2. This By-law will come into force and take effect on the date of its passing.

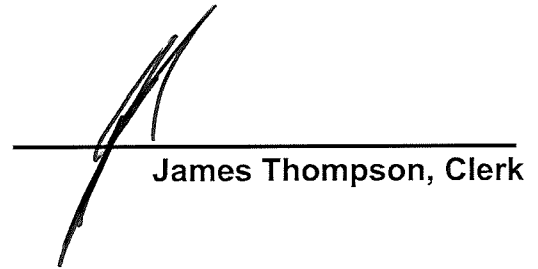
Given First and Second Readings: October 3, 2023

Given Third Reading signed and sealed October 3, 2023

**THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH FRONTENAC**



Ron Vandewal, Mayor



James Thompson, Clerk