

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SHUNIAH

BY-LAW NO. 1952-98

Being a by-law to control dog waste in the Township of Shuniah.

WHEREAS the Municipal Act R.S.O. 1990 Chapt. M 45, Section 210, subsection 9 provides that the councils of municipalities may pass a by-law for requiring an owner of a dog to remove excrement left by the dog anywhere in the municipality and for excluding from the operation of the by-law such class or classes of physically handicapped persons as may be set out in the by-law;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SHUNIAH ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. DEFINITIONS

In this by-law:

- (a) **"Corporation"** means the Corporation of the Township of Shuniah;
 - (b) **"dog"** means a male or female dog.;
 - (c) **"owner"** of a dog includes a person who possesses or harbours a dog and, where the owner is a minor, the person responsible for the custody of the minor. The words **"owns"** and **"owned"** have corresponding meanings;
 - (d) **"park"** means a property owned by or made available by lease, agreement or otherwise, to the Corporation that is dedicated, set apart or made available for use as public park, garden, athletic field, or playground, including any and all avenues, boulevards and drives therein, the approaches thereto and street connecting the same and all buildings, structures, facilities, erections and improvements located in or on such property, for so long as such property is so established, dedicated, set apart or made available, for the aforementioned purposes; and
 - (e) **"public highway"** includes a public lane, a public sidewalk, a public pedestrian walkway, and a public highway within the meaning of The Municipal Act and includes the travelled and untravelled portions thereof.
2. Every person owning, harbouring, or having control or supervision over any animal which defecates in or upon any park, public highway under the jurisdiction of the Corporation or on any boulevard forming part of such highway or any other lands of which the Corporation is the owner shall immediately cause such excrement to be removed and deposited in a lawful place.
3. Every person who contravenes any of the provisions of this by-law is guilty of an offense and upon conviction is liable to a fine or penalty as provided for in the Provincial Offences Act.
4. This by-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of passing.

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME THIS 10th DAY OF September 1998

Donna Harsanyi
Reeve

[Signature]
Clerk-Treasurer

READ A THIRD AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 10th DAY OF September 1998

Donna Harsanyi
Reeve

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Clerk-Treasurer

PROVINCIAL OFFENCES ACT

IT IS ORDERED pursuant to the provisions of the Provincial Offences Act and the rules for the Ontario Court of Justice that the amount set opposite the offences in the attached schedules of offences under the Provincial Statutes and Regulations thereunder and By-law No. 1952-98, Part I, of the Municipality of Shuniah, Thunder Bay District, attached hereto are the set fines for these offences, to take effect June 14th, 2022.

Dated at Thunder Bay this 14th day of June, 2022.



The Honourable David Gibson
Regional Senior Justice
Northwest Region

Township of Shuniah By-law #1952-98 A by-law to control dog waste in the Township of Shuniah

Item	Column 1 Short Form Wording	Column 2 Provision Creating or defining offence	Column 3 Set Fine
1.	Being the owner of a dog, Failing to remove its excrement	Section 2	\$150.00

Note: The penalty provision for the offences indicated above is section 3 of By-law #1952-98, a certified copy of which has been filed.