

TOWN OF INUVIK

BY-LAW 624

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BEING A BY-LAW OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF INUVIK IN THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES TO ESTABLISH AND CONTROL CAMPGROUNDS.

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WHEREAS Section 184 (g) of the Municipal Ordinance, R.O.N.W.T., 1974 c. M-15, provides that a Council may pass By-Laws for the acquisition, operation and maintenance of public parks and recreational facilities;

AND WHEREAS it is desirable that the Town of Inuvik establish and control campgrounds within the Town;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Inuvik, in regular session duly assembled, enacts as follows:

SHORT TITLE

1. This By-Law may be cited as the "Campground By-Law".

INTERPRETATION

2. In this By-Law

- (a) "Camp" or "Camping" - means to remain in a Campground overnight, either with or without a tent, tent camper, truck camper, travel trailer, motor home, van, station wagon, car or any other motor vehicle or shelter where such is used for sleeping, cooking or any camping purpose;
- (b) "Campground" - means the area designated as a Campground pursuant to Section 3 of this By-Law;
- (c) "Campground Officer" - means an employee of the Town designated by Council to administer the provisions of this By-Law;
- (d) "Campsite" - means an area within a Campground designated by the Town as a Campsite and developed for the purpose of accommodating persons who are Camping at that Campground.
- (e) "Council" - means the Council of the Town of Inuvik;
- (f) "Forest Protection Ordinance" - means the Forest Protection Ordinance, R.O.N.W.T.,
- (g) "Municipal Ordinance" - means the Municipal Ordinance, R.O.N.W.T., 1974 c M-15;
- (h) "Town" - means the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Inuvik;
- (i) "Camping Party" - means a group of not more than two adult persons and not more than six non-adult persons camping together.

CAMPGROUNDS

- 3. The areas described in Schedule 1 hereto are hereby designated as Campgrounds.
- 4. Each Campground shall bear the name set opposite the description of the Campground in Schedule 1 hereto.
- 5. The Town shall erect road signs to identify each Campground.

CAMPSITES

- 6. The Town shall designate certain areas of each Campground as Campsites and shall mark the boundaries thereof.

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FEES

7. Every Camping party using or occupying a campsite shall, on demand of a Campground Officer:
- (a) pay the Campground Officer a set fee for every day that such person uses or occupies the Campsite; and
  - (b) give his name and address to the Campground Officer.

PROHIBITIONS

8. No person shall:
- (a) remain overnight in a Campground other than a Campsite;
  - (b) Camp in any one Campground for a total of more than eight days in any one year without the permission of a Campground Officer;
  - (c) use or occupy any kitchen shelter, washroom facility or service building located at a Campground for sleeping accommodation;
  - (d) use or occupy any kitchen shelter, washroom facility or service building located at a Campground in a manner that prevents or is likely to prevent other persons from using such kitchen shelter, washroom facility or service building at the same time;
  - (e) deposit or leave any garbage, sewage, litter, waste or other obnoxious material in a Campground except in a receptacle or pit provided for that purpose;
  - (f) offer for sale in a Campground any services, food, beverage or equipmnet unless authorized by the Town;
  - (g) advertise any business, profession, service, article, exhibition or event in a Campground unless authorized by the Town;
  - (h) launch a boat within a Campground unless it is launched from an area designated by signs as a boat launching site;
  - (i) do any act or make any noise which disturbs or is capable of disturbing any other person in a Campground.
9. Subject to the Forest Protection Ordinance, no person, within a Campground, shall:
- (a) start, maintain or renew a fire except in a place provided or designated for that purpose; or
  - (b) leave a fire unattended or leave the area unless the fire is extinguished; or
  - (c) destroy or damage or remove any trees, plants, rocks or other natural features.
10. No more than one camping party shall camp in any one campsite at any one time.

CLEANLINESS

11. Every person using a Campsite shall maintain and leave it in a clean and sanitary condition.

ENFORCEMENT

12. Any person using a Campground or Campsite in violation of this By-Law shall, on demand of a Campground Officer, immediately vacate such Campground.
13. Any person who contravenes a Section of this By-Law is guilty of an offence contrary to Section 153 of the Municipal Ordinance and is liable, on summary conviction, to imprisonment not exceeding one month or to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or to both such fine and imprisonment.



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14. The Campground Officer may remove to a safe storage area any boat, trailer, vehicle, tent or any other articles, supplies or equipment that have been left unattended in a Campground for a period of more than seventy-two (72) hours.

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF April A.D., 1981

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF April A.D., 1981

READ A THIRD TIME AND PASSED WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

PRESENT THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF April A.D., 1981

Cynthia C. Hall  
Mayor

[Signature]  
Secretary-Treasurer