



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COBOURG

BY-LAW NUMBER 012-2011

A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW NUMBER 02-2003 BEING A BY-LAW RESPECTING SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES.

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 115 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, authorizes councils of local municipalities to pass by-laws to prohibit or regulate the smoking of tobacco in public places and workplaces;

AND WHEREAS the Smoke-Free Ontario Act establishes a minimum standard applicable across the province, and municipalities still have the ability to pass more restrictive by-laws;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg considered the enactment of such a by-law to be advisable and in the interests of the health, safety and welfare of its inhabitants;

AND WHEREAS Council passed By-law No. 02-2003 on January 6, 2003;

AND WHEREAS Council is desirous to amend By-law No. 02-2003 to prohibit smoking around the exterior of municipally owned buildings including the arenas, community centre, marina, trailer park, bus and transit shelters, parks garage, public works building, public utilities buildings, greenhouse, water plant, water pollution control facilities, C. Gordon King Centre/Cobourg Public Library, Market Building, Old Fire Hall Theatre Building, Fire Hall, Police Station, Dressler House and Victoria Hall.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg enacts as follows:

1. THAT PART II of By-law No. 02-2003 be amended by adding the following:

PART II - NO SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES

2. No person shall smoke within nine (9) meters of the exterior of municipally owned buildings including the arenas, community centre, marina, trailer park, bus and transit shelters, parks garage, public works building, public utilities buildings, greenhouse, water plant, water pollution control facilities, C. Gordon King Centre/Cobourg Public Library, Market Building, Old Fire Hall Theatre Building, Fire Hall, Police Station, Dressler House and Victoria Hall and signs will be posted accordingly.

3. THAT the provisions of this by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the final passing hereof, subject to the erection of appropriate signs in accordance with the relevant regulations.

READ a first, second and third time and finally passed in Open Council
this 7th day of March, 2011.


MAYOR


MUNICIPAL CLERK