

## APPROVAL REPORT

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### The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2020 (No. 2)

#### ISSUE

This report submits Bylaw No. 9729, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2020 (No. 2)*, for City Council's consideration.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That City Council consider Bylaw No. 9729, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2020 (No. 2)*.

#### BACKGROUND

At its [September 28, 2020 Regular Business Meeting](#), City Council considered the report of the General Manager, Community Services Department dated September 14, 2020 and resolved:

1. That proposed amendments to Bylaw No. 7860, Animal Control Bylaw, 1999, as outlined in Option 1- Maximum of Four Dogs in Off-Leash Areas and Implementation of a Commercial Dog Walker Permit Process Allowing up to Eight Dogs at Approved Off-Leash Areas, and the implementation of a Commercial Dog Walking Permit process be approved; and
2. That the City Solicitor be requested to make the necessary amendments to Bylaw No. 7860, Animal Control Bylaw, 1999.

#### DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS

The Bylaw comes into force on January 1, 2021.

In accordance with City Council's instruction, we are pleased to submit Bylaw No. 9729, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2020 (No. 2)* for City Council's consideration.

#### APPENDIX

1. Proposed Bylaw No. 9729, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2020 (No. 2)*.

#### Report Approval

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