BYLAW NO. 9854

The Waterworks Amendment Bylaw, 2022

The Council of the City of Saskatoon enacts:

Short Title

1. This Bylaw may be cited as *The Waterworks Amendment Bylaw*, 2022.

Purpose

2. The purpose of this Bylaw is to amend *The Waterworks Bylaw, 1996* to prohibit the installation of new domestic wells, to require the proper sealing of any unused or abandoned domestic wells, and to implement a housekeeping amendment.

Bylaw No. 7567 Amended

- 3. The Waterworks Bylaw, 1996 is amended in the manner set forth in this Bylaw.
- 4. The Waterworks Bylaw, 1996 is amended by striking out "Department" wherever it appears and substituting "Division".

Sections 51.1 and 51.2 Added

5. The following sections are added after section 51:

"Domestic Wells

- 51.1 (1) In this section:
 - (a) "groundwater" means water beneath the surface of land; and
 - (b) "domestic well" means a well used to draw groundwater for residential, household, sanitary or irrigation purposes, but does not include a well used for industrial or commercial purposes, or scientific testing or sampling.
 - (2) No person shall install or permit to be installed on land owned by that person, a domestic well.

Abandoned Wells

51.2 Any well that is abandoned or no longer in use shall be decommissioned by the owner of the property on which the well is located in accordance with section 28 of *The Ground Water Regulations*.".

Coming into Force

Mayor	City Clerk	
Read a third time and passed this	day of	, 2022
Read a second time this	day of	, 2022
Read a first time this	day of	, 2022
This Bylaw comes into force on t	he day of its final passing.	