

**BYLAW NO. 9976****The Underground Encroachment and Sidewalk Safety  
Amendment Bylaw, 2024**

The Council of the City of Saskatoon enacts:

**Short Title**

1. This Bylaw may be cited as *The Underground Encroachment and Sidewalk Safety Amendment Bylaw, 2024*.

**Purpose**

2. The purpose of this Bylaw is to amend *The Underground Encroachment and Sidewalk Safety Bylaw, 2012* to:
  - (a) update the appropriate appeal board to the Saskatoon Appeal Board;  
and
  - (b) make minor housekeeping amendments.

**Bylaw No. 8995 Amended**

3. *The Underground Encroachment and Sidewalk Safety Bylaw, 2012* is amended in the manner set forth in this Bylaw.

**Section 3 Amended**

4. Section 3 is repealed and the following substituted:

“3. In this Bylaw:

- (a) “**Encroachment**” means an area, opening or structure located in or under a street that is attached to the abutting property including the top or covering of the area, opening or structure if the top or covering is a Sidewalk;
- (b) “**Designated Officer**” means a person appointed by the General Manager to act as a designated officer for the purposes of this Bylaw;

- (c) **“General Manager”** means the Fire Chief or their designate;
- (d) **“Owner”** means the owner of the property immediately abutting an Encroachment;
- (e) **“Property”** means land or improvements or both;
- (f) **“Sidewalk”** means the part of an encroachment that forms the top or cover of the Encroachment and that is designed and intended for the use of pedestrians;
- (g) **“Street”** means a street as defined in *The Cities Act*.

**Section 15 Amended**

5. Section 15 is amended by striking out “12” and substituting “14”.

**Section 18 Amended**

6. Section 18 is repealed and the following substituted:

- “18. (1) A person may appeal an order made pursuant to Section 16 in accordance with Section 329 of *The Cities Act*.
- (2) An appeal pursuant to subsection (1) shall be made to the Saskatoon Appeal Board
- (3) The rules and procedure for an appeal pursuant to subsection (1) shall be governed by the provisions of *The Saskatoon Appeal Board Bylaw, 2024*.”.

**Coming Into Force**

7. This Bylaw comes into force on January 1, 2025.

Read a first time this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Read a second time this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Read a third time and passed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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Mayor

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City Clerk