

BYLAW NO. 10079

The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2025 (No. 2)

The Council of the City of Saskatoon enacts:

Short Title

1. This Bylaw may be cited as *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2025 (No.2)*.

Purpose

2. The purpose of this Bylaw is to amend *The Animal Control Bylaw, 1999* to prohibit the feeding of wildlife.

Bylaw No. 7860 Amended

3. *The Animal Control Bylaw, 1999* is amended in the manner set forth in this Bylaw.

Section 2 Amended

4. Clause 2(e) is amended by striking out “and wild animals” and substituting “animals and wildlife”.

Section 3 Amended

5. (1) Subsection 3(1) is amended by:
 - (a) adding the following clause after clause (b):

“(b.1) **“attractant”** means attractant as defined in *The Wildlife Regulations, 1981*;”;
 - (b) striking out “and” after “disability;” in clause (s);
 - (c) striking out “.” in clause (t) and substituting “; and”; and

(d) adding the following clause after clause (t):

“(u) **“wildlife”** means wildlife as defined in *The Wildlife Act, 1998*.”.

(2) Subsection 3(2) is repealed.

Heading “Control and Regulation of Exotic and Wild Animals” Amended

6. The heading **“Control and Regulation of Exotic and Wild Animals”** after Part VI is amended by striking out **“and Wild Animals”** and substituting **“Animals and Wildlife”**.

Heading “Owning, Harboursing, Renting and Selling Exotic and Wild Animals” Amended

7. The heading **“Owning, Harboursing, Renting and Selling Exotic and Wild Animals”** preceding section 22 is amended by striking out **“and Wild Animals”** and substituting **“Animals and Wildlife”**.

New Section 23.1

8. The following section 23.1 is added after section 23:

“Feeding of Wildlife

23.1 (1) Subject to subsection (2), no person shall:

- (a) intentionally feed or attempt to feed wildlife;
- (b) cause or permit an attractant to be placed or remain in, on or about any public or private property with the intent of attracting wildlife; or
- (c) cause or permit an attractant to be placed or remain in, on or about any public or private property in a manner that could:
 - (i) attract wildlife to the public or private property; and

- (ii) be accessible to wildlife.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not apply to a person who feeds birds on private property provided that:
 - (a) seed or feed is placed in a bird feeding device that is sufficiently above grade as to not attract or be accessible to wildlife; and
 - (b) spillage of seed upon the ground is removed and disposed of in a manner that does not attract wildlife.
- (3) This section does not apply to the exemptions outlined in section 23.”.

Section 25 Amended

- 9. Subsection 25(1) is amended by striking out “or 21.1” and substituting “, 21.1 or 23.1”.

New Section 26.1

- 10. The following section 26.1 is added after section 26:

“Enforcement of Bylaw

- 26.1 (1) Except as otherwise provided in this Bylaw, the administration and enforcement of this Bylaw is delegated to the General Manager.
- (2) The General Manager may appoint any employee or agent of the City as a peace officer for the purposes of enforcing this Bylaw.”.

Schedule No. 7 Amended

- 11. Schedule No. 7 is amended by adding the following clause after clause (r):

“(s) feeding of wildlife [Section 23.1] \$250 \$500 \$1000”.

Schedule 8 Amended

12. Schedule No. 8 is amended by adding the following clause after clause (r):

“(s) feeding of wildlife [Section 23.1] \$250 \$500 \$1000”.

Coming Into Force

13. This Bylaw comes into force on the day of its final passing.

Read a first time this _____ day of _____, 2025.

Read a second time this _____ day of _____, 2025.

Read a third time and passed this _____ day of _____, 2025.

Mayor

City Clerk