
Proposed Amendments to Bylaw No. 7860, The Animal Control Bylaw, 1999 and Bylaw No. 8176, The Dangerous Animal Bylaw, 2003

Recommendation

That City Council consider Bylaw No. 9472, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2017 (No. 2)*.

Topic and Purpose

The purpose of this report is provide City Council with Bylaw No. 9472, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2017 (No. 2)*, which implements City Council's decision to amend Bylaw No. 7860, *The Animal Control Bylaw, 1999* as follows:

- (a) clarify the boundaries of Off-Leash Recreation Areas;
- (b) reduce the SPCA holding period from 96 hours to 72 hours; and
- (c) increase the sustenance fee for animals held at the SPCA.

Report

At its October 23, 2017 Regular Business Meeting, City Council considered the report of the Standing Policy Committee on Planning, Development and Community Services recommending approval of proposed amendments to Bylaw No. 7860, *The Animal Control Bylaw, 1999* and Bylaw No. 8176, *The Dangerous Animals Bylaw, 2003*.

City Council approved the proposed amendments, and directed the City Solicitor to prepare the necessary bylaw amendments. The approved amendments to Bylaw No. 8176, *The Dangerous Animals Bylaw, 2003*, are being prepared and will be provided in due course.

In accordance with City Council's instructions, we are pleased to submit Bylaw No. 9472, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2017 (No. 2)*, for City Council's consideration.

Attachment

1. Proposed Bylaw No. 9472, *The Animal Control Amendment Bylaw, 2017 (No. 2)*.

Report Approval

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