

A By-law for prohibiting the building or maintaining of any fence or the placing of any obstruction on any highway in the Township of Westmeath.

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Westmeath enacts as follows:-

1. No person shall build or maintain any fence on any highway in the Corporation of the Township of Westmeath.
2. No person shall place or deposit any fire-wood or any other thing calculated to obstruct any highway, or to obstruct or interfere with public travel on any highway, on any highway or bridge in said Corporation.
3. That no person shall throw, place or deposit on any highway or bridge, any dirt, filth, glass, hand-bills, paper or other rubbish or refuse, or the carcass of any animal.
4. That any fence built or maintained on any highway in said Corporation, or any fire-wood or any other thing, as set out in paragraphs 2 and 3 hereof, placed or deposited on any highway or bridge of said Corporation, shall be removed by the person or persons by whom the same are or were so built, maintained, placed or deposited.
5. That this By-law shall not extend or apply to worm fences constructed in said Corporation prior to the passing of this By-law, which said worm fences are not more than half their width upon the highway.
6. That from and after the passing of this By-law, no person shall build a worm fence or any portion thereof on any highway in said Corporation.
7. No person shall place or deposit any materials to be used for the construction or repairing of a highway or bridge on any highway or bridge in said Corporation without first having obtained from the Reeve of said Corporation, or such other person as the Council of said Corporation may from time to time designate, permission so to do, and, upon entering into an agreement with said Corporation, indemnifying the said Corporation of and from

all actions, damages, claims, costs and demands which may be made by any person or persons by reason of the placing of said materials on said highway or bridge.

8. Any person convicted of a breach of any of the provisions of this By-law shall forfeit and pay, at the discretion of the convicting Magistrate, a penalty not exceeding, exclusive of costs, the sum of Fifty Dollars for each offence, and in default of payment of the said penalty and costs forthwith said penalty and costs or costs only may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender. AND in case of there being no distress found out of which said penalty can be levied, the convicting Magistrate may commit the offender to the common gaol of the County of Renfrew, with or without hard labor, for any period not exceeding twenty-one days, unless the said penalty and costs (if any) including the costs of said distress and of the commital and conveyance of the offender to the said gaol, are sooner paid.

9. THAT this By-law shall come into force immediately on the passing thereof.

PASSED this 9th day of May, A.D. 1914.

James R. Davidson
Reeve



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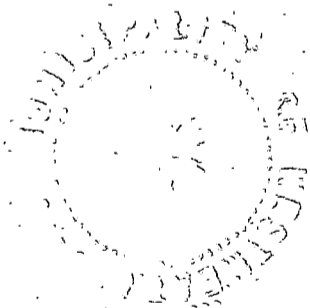
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