

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WESTMEATH

BY-LAW NO. 86- 20

A By-Law to authorize the carrying on of a Community Programme of Recreation within the meaning of the regulations under the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation Act 1982, and to provide for the establishment, operation and maintenance of Community Centres pursuant to the Community Recreation Centres Act, R.S.O. 1980 and the regulations made thereunder.

1. The Council of the Corporation enacts as follows:
  - (a) Pursuant to Regulations made under the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation Act, 1982, a Community Programme of Recreation is hereby established for the residents of the Municipality.
  - (b) Pursuant to the Community Recreation Centres Act, R.S.O. 1980 and the regulations made thereunder, a Community Centre is hereby established for the residents of the Municipality.
  - (c) The said Community Programme of Recreation, and the said Community Centre shall be directed, managed and controlled on behalf of the Council of the Corporation by a committee known as the Westmeath & District Recreation Association.
2. The Committee shall be appointed annually by the Council of the Corporation as follows:
  - (a) 2 members of the Council of the Corporation
  - (b) 3 residents of the said Municipality who are qualified to be elected as members of the Council
3. The Committee functions and responsibilities are listed in Schedule "A" and the facilities the committee is responsible for are listed in Schedule "B", attached to and forming part of this by-law.
4. In carrying out the provisions of this by-law, the Committee shall at all times be the agent of the Municipal Corporation, and while acting bona fide within the limits of the authority of this by-law neither the committee nor any member thereof shall incur any liability by reason of anything done or left undone by the committee; provided however, that nothing in this paragraph contained shall authorize or empower the committee to incur any debt, liability or obligation for which the Municipal Corporation shall become liable without having previously obtained the consent of the Council of the Municipality.
5. That the provisions of any by-law that contravene this by-law be and is/are hereby repealed.
6. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the date of its final passing subject to the approval of the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation.

ENACTED AND PASSED THIS 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1986.

  
Reeve

  
Clerk

SCHEDULE "A" TO BY-LAW # 86-20

RECREATION COMMITTEE FUNCTIONS

1. Subject to the approval of Council, the Committee shall formulate policies, rules and regulations for and relating to the administration of community programmes of recreation, and the operating, maintenance and management of Community Recreation Centre as listed in Schedule "B".
2. The said Committee shall be responsible for all policies, rules and regulations relating to the administration of the community programme of recreation which is conducted directly by that committee or its employees, and it shall have the powers to recommend to council the adoption of by-laws, rules and regulations pertaining to the proper conduct of the community programme of recreation.
3. The said Committee may make rules and regulations for the conduct of the community programme of recreation or any part thereof and to govern the conduct of all persons who in any way participate in or be in attendance at any part of the programme.
4. The said Committee shall hold regular monthly meetings.
5. At any meetings of the said Committee a quorum shall consist of a simple majority of members.
6. The said Committee shall elect a chairman, (or the council shall appoint a chairman) annually from among the members and such other officers as may be required.
7. The said Committee shall submit to Council an annual report of its activities and such other reports as may be required from time to time.
8. The said Committee is authorized to work jointly with other municipal services in establishing, operating and maintaining a supervised public recreation system of facilities and activities.
9. When advisable the said Committee may recommend to Council the appointment of area recreation committees authorizing such area committees to establish and operate area community programmes of recreation, and the Committee shall provide such services as it deems necessary to assist these area committees in carrying on their activities.
10. The said Committee may appoint as it deems necessary such committees to act in an advisory capacity to the Committee.

SCHEDULE "B" TO BY-LAW 86- 20

COMMUNITY RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

The Westmeath Community Arena and Hall.