

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEWATER REGION

BY-LAW # 07-10-309

Being a By-Law to authorizing Council to enter into an agreement for the provision of humane shelter for stray and abandoned dogs.


WHEREAS pursuant to the *Municipal Act, 2001* (Ontario), a Council may enter into Agreements;

AND FURTHER that the Municipal Council for the Township of Whitewater Region deems it necessary to enter into agreement with the Township of Bonnechere Valley for the provision of humane shelter for stray and abandoned dogs.

THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Whitewater Region enacts that:

1. The Township of Whitewater Region hereby authorizes the Mayor and Clerk execute the Animal Shelter Services Agreement as submitted (Schedule "A").

READ a First, Second and finally passed on the Third Reading this 3rd day of October, 2007



MAYOR



CAO/CLERK

SCHEDULE "A"

ANIMAL SHELTER SERVICES AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BONNECHERE VALLEY

AND

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEWATER REGION

WHEREAS it has been recognized that the need exists for a humane shelter for stray and abandoned dogs.

AND THAT the Township of Bonnechere Valley has committed to build such as facility

AND THAT the Township of Bonnechere Valley has committed to provide such dog shelter services to the Township of Whitewater Region under this agreement

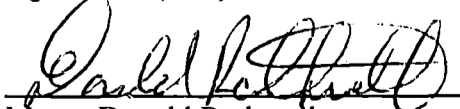
NOW THEREFORE the Township of Bonnechere valley and the Township of Whitewater Region agree that:

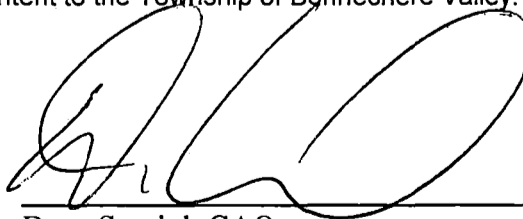
1. The Township of Bonnechere Valley shall:
 - a. Provide a shelter for stray or abandoned dogs in compliance with the regulations laid out in the Animals For Research Act and such criteria as detailed by Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food for the operation of animal shelters.
 - b. Collect and remit to the Township of Whitewater Region all monies collected from persons redeeming their dogs from the shelter
 - c. Provide an adoption service for those dogs not claimed or redeemed and determined to be suitable for adoption.
 - d. Provide a humane system of disposing of those dogs deemed not suitable for adoption and not collected by the OSPCA.

2. The Township of Whitewater Region will under this agreement pay to the Township of Bonnechere Valley:
 - a. A monthly service fee of Two Hundred Thirty Five Dollars (\$235.00)
 - b. A daily board rate of \$10.00 per day per dog in the shelter (to a maximum of seven (7) days per dog)
 - c. Veterinary fees for any injured animal belonging to Whitewater Region interned at the shelter.
 - d. Euthanasia fees for any dog belonging to the township where it is severely injured or any deemed not suitable for adoption.

3. It is further agreed that:
 - a. The Township of Bonnechere Valley shall make available the annual General Ledger of the facility for review.
 - b. That the Service fees shall be reviewed and adjusted as necessary to reflect the actual operating costs of the facility.
 - c. The Townships reserve the right to opt out of this agreement by giving a minimum of 90 days notice of intent to the Township of Bonnechere Valley.

Signed this 3rd day of October, 2007


Mayor Donald Rathwell


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