

Resort Village of Etters Beach

BYLAW NO. 79/2015

A BYLAW TO REGULATE THE BURNING OF REFUSE WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE RESORT VILLAGE OF ETTERS BEACH

The Council for the Resort Village of Etters Beach in the Province of Saskatchewan under the authority of the Saskatchewan Clean Air Act, Section 18 enacts as follows:

1. Short Title

This Bylaw may be cited as the Burning Bylaw.

2. Purpose and Scope

- (a) Control the burning of materials within the municipality to ensure the safety, health and enjoyment of neighbourhood by its residents.
- (b) Regulate burning of materials and the manner in which they may be burned.

3. Definitions

- a) All terms and expressions used in this bylaw shall have the same respective meanings as in Section 2 and 18 of the Clean Air Act and Section 11 of the Clean Air regulations.
- b) Official shall mean those persons authorized by Council, a peace officer, the Provincial Fire Marshall or his agents,

4. Prohibitions

- (a) No person shall cause or permit to be caused the burning of cardboard, rubbish, yard refuse, manure, animal carcasses, material classified as a dangerous good, trash, refuse, garbage, industrial waste or any other waste material.
- (b) Use of any barrels or receptacles for purposes of burning any material as defined under the Clean Air Act is strictly prohibited.
- (c) Burning of any material which will generate black smoke or an offensive odour including insulation from electrical cording, equipment, asphalt roofing materials, hydrocarbons, plastics, rubber materials, creosote, wood or any similar material is prohibited.
- (d) Any Official may enter private property at any time to inspect an active fire where prohibited burning is suspected or has been in receipt of complaint from a resident.

5. Control of Burning

- (a) Commercially constructed outdoor fireplaces with heavy guage screening not exceeding 10 millimetres, barbeques or raised firepits shall be permitted for open air fires whose fuel source consists of charcoal briquettes or cut seasoned woods.
- (b) Active private fires shall be supervised and monitored at all times.
- (c) Any Official may request that active fires be extinguished immediately where deemed that wind or other conditions exist which warrant it.

6. **Penalties**

- (a) Any person who violates or fails to comply with any provision of this bylaw and receives a Notice of Violation is subject to a penalty of \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) to the Resort Village of Etters Beach.
- (b) Where non-compliance with this bylaw requires the assistance of outside fire services the fine and any applicable call-out fees shall be applied to the property owner.

7. **Effective Date**

This bylaw becomes effective on date of its adoption by the Council of the Resort Village of Etters Beach.

Mayor

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Administrator