A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF MARTENSVILLE TO ESTABLISH A SNOW MANAGEMENT BYLAW

Pursuant to Section 8 of The Cities Act, the Council of the City of Martensville, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

Short Title

1. The Bylaw may be cited as the Snow Management Bylaw

Purpose

2. The purpose of this Bylaw is to restrict depositing of snow, ice and debris on the street right-of-way within the City of Martensville.

Definitions

- 3. In this Bylaw:
 - (a) "Bylaw Enforcement Officer" means any person appointed by the Council to enforce the provisions of this bylaw;
 - (b) "City" means the City of Martensville in the Province of Saskatchewan;
 - (c) "City Manager" means the manager of the City of Martensville;
 - (d) "Council' means the Council of the City of Martensville;
 - (e) "Curb" means the lateral boundaries of a roadway, whether or not marked by curbing;
 - (f) "Debris" means material including, but not limited to snow, ice, sand, dirt, gravel, turf, mud or organic material, leaves, grass, and solid waste;
 - (g) "Highway" means a road, parkway, driveway, square or place designated and intended for or used by the general public for the passage of vehicles, but does not include any area whether privately or publicly owned, that is primarily intended to be used for the parking of vehicles and the necessary passageways on that area, and does not include a provincial highway within the municipality as designated pursuant to the provisions *The Highway Transportation Act*, 1997;
 - (h) "Municipal Land" means a park, municipal reserve, municipal buffer, utility parcel, environmental reserve, or other parcel of land otherwise maintained by the municipality;
 - (i) "Roadway" means that portion of the street intended for vehicular traffic within the City;
 - (j) "Sidewalk" means that part of a highway primarily intended for the use of pedestrians and includes the part lying between the curb or edge of roadway and the adjacent property line;
 - (k) "Snow Dump: means the sight site designated by the Director of Infrastructure and Planning or City Manager for the City of Martensville where snow may be dumped;
 - (1) "Vehicle" means a vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer or motor vehicle, as described by *The Highway Transportation Act, 1997*.

Objective

- 4. The Objective of the Bylaw:
 - (a) To facilitate the handling of emergencies by Police, Fire and Ambulance Services during the winter:
 - (b) To reduce the hazards of ice conditions to motorists and pedestrians; and to;
 - (c) Minimize the economic losses to the community and industry resulting from unsatisfactory winter driving and pedestrian activities

Responsibility

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- (a) No person using a power driven device or manual device to clear debris from the sidewalk, shall cause injury to or unduly interfere with any person lawfully using the sidewalk, or causing damage to the sidewalk, curbs, or any other public or private property;
- (b) No person shall use any chemical to melt snow or ice or to improve traction in such a way that damage, either intentional or unintentional, to the sidewalk, curb, or any public or private property, or the environment. This includes damage which may be caused by runoff or meltwater. These chemicals include but are not limited to: salts, ice-melt products, and snow-melt products;
- (c) No person shall use a power driven device or manual device to clear debris from roadway or road right-of-way or municipal lands, without the express written permission of the Director of Infrastructure and Planning or City Manager for the City of Martensville;
- (d) No person shall use a power driven device or manual device to deposit, store, or stockpile debris on roadways or road right-of-way or municipal lands, without the express written permission of the Director of Infrastructure and Planning or City Manager for the City of Martensville;
- (e) No person shall deposit, store or stockpile debris on private property in a manner which may cause the material to fall, topple, sluff or slump onto adjacent public or private properties including roadways, sidewalks, street right-of-way and municipal land;
- (f) No person shall deposit, store or stockpile snow or ice, or loose debris on private property in a manner which causes a visual barrier which is deemed unsafe for motorists, or pedestrians;
- (g) No person shall deposit, store or stockpile debris on private property in a manner which may impede or affect the natural, or designed drainage of the areas;
- (h) No person shall build, carve, or erect an object or structure from snow or ice which may pose a potential danger or personal injury, or property damage in the case of a failure or collapse of the object or structure;
- (i) No persons shall deposit any material other than clean uncontaminated snow and ice at the snow dump;
- (j) No person shall use the snow dump for any reason other than depositing snow and ice. Prohibited activities include but are not limited to recreation, loitering or habitation.

City Remedying Contravention

6. The City may take whatever actions or measures are necessary to remedy a contravention of this Bylaw, and in the case of snow or ice, the City may, pursuant to *Section 333 of the Cities Act*, complete the work and add to the tax roll of the adjoining property the unpaid expenses and costs incurred by the City for remedying the contravention.

Penalties

7. Any person who contravenes the provisions of Section 5 of this bylaw or fails to comply therewith or with any notice or order given thereunder shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to the penalties specified in Appendix "A" attached to this bylaw.

Repeal of Bylaw

8. Bylaw 56-06 is hereby repealed

Bylaw Effective

9. This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect when adopted by Council.

Read a first time this day of, 2017 Read a second time this day of, 2017 Read a third time and adopted this day of, 2017

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APPENDIX "A"

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APPENDIX "A" FORM 2

INFRACTION	DESCRIPTION	PENALTY	PENALTY
SECTION	OF OFFENCE	1 st offence, 2 nd , Subsequent	REDUCED
		-	(payment in less than 10 days)
5 (a)	Cause Injury or	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
	Interference		offence)
5 (b)	Damage of Property	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
			offence)
5 (c)	Operating within	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
	Street ROW's		offence)
5 (d)	Pile Debris on	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1 st
	Municipal lands		offence)
5 (e)	Dangerous Pile	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1 st
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5 (f)	Sight Safety	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
			offence)
5 (g)	Impede Drainage	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
			offence)
5 (h)	Dangerous	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
	Construction		offence)
5 (i)	Deleterious Snow	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
	Dump Material		offence)
5 (j)	Mis-use Snow	\$120.00, \$200.00, \$400.00	\$60.00 (only for 1st
	Dump		offence)