

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF KAWARTHA LAKES

BY-LAW 2008-133

**A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH AND REQUIRE PAYMENT OF A FEE FOR 911 SIGNAGE
IN THE CITY OF KAWARTHA LAKES**

Recitals

1. The Council of the Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes may pass by-laws establishing and requiring the payment of fees and charges for services or activities provided or done by on behalf of the City and for the use of City property.
2. Section 391 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, authorize imposing such fees.
3. The original by-laws adopted by the predecessor municipalities establish that the cost is recoverable from the property owner.
4. Council deems it advisable to standardize the cost of the 911 signage fee.

Accordingly, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes enacts this By-law 2008-133.

Section 1.00: Definitions and Interpretation

1.01 **Definitions:** In this by-law:

“City”, “City of Kawartha Lakes” or “Kawartha Lakes” means The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes and its entire geographic area.

“City Clerk” means the person appointed by Council to carry out the duties of the clerk described in section 228 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*.

“Council” or “City Council” means the municipal council for the City.

“Director of Development Services” means the person who holds that position and his or her delegate(s) or, in the event of organizational changes, another person designated by Council.

1.02 **Interpretation Rules:**

(a) The Schedules attached to this by-law form part of the by-law, and are enforceable as such.

(b) The words “include” and “including” are not to be read as limiting the meaning of a word or term to the phrases or descriptions that follow.

1.03 **Statutes:** References to laws in this by-law are meant to refer to the statutes, as amended from time to time, that are applicable within the Province of Ontario.

1.04 **Severability:** If a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction declares any portion of this by-law to be illegal or unenforceable, that portion of this by-law shall be considered to be severed from the balance of the by-law, which shall continue to operate in full force and effect.

Section 2.00: 911 Signage Fee

2.01 A fee of \$65.00 shall be charged for services provided to create and install 911 signage for a new installation or a complete replacement which includes the 911 blade and pole.

- 2.02 A fee of \$15.00 shall be charged for services provided to create and install the 911 blade only.
- 2.03 A fee of \$50.00 shall be charged for services provided to install the 911 signage pole only.
- 2.04 The fee noted in 2.01, 2.02 or 2.03 is payable by the owner of the property where signage is being installed and shall be collected in the same manner as municipal taxes.
- 2.05 A notice shall be mailed to the property owner advising of the fee imposed under section 2.01, 2.02 or 2.03 and providing a minimum of 21 days from the date of the notice is issued for payment. Where the signage required is as a result of the issuance of a building permit, the charge is due and payable at the time the building permit is issued.

Section 3.00: Administration and Effective Date
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- 3.01 **Administration of the By-law:** The Director of Development Services is responsible for the administration of this by-law.
- 3.02 **Effective Date:** This By-law shall come into force on the date it is finally passed.

By-law read a first, second and third time, and finally passed, this 19th day of August, 2008.

Ric McGee, Mayor

Judy Currins, Clerk