

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL OKANAGAN

BY-LAW # 39

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A BY-LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THE HEALTH AND PROTECTION OF PERSONS ATTENDING SPECIAL EVENTS.

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WHEREAS in pursuance of the Provisions of the "Municipal Act" R.S.B.C. 1960 and Supplementary Letters Patent of the Regional District of Central Okanagan, the Regional Board may by by-law enact regulations for the care, protection, promotion and preservation of the health and well being of the inhabitants of the electoral areas of the Regional District.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to provide for adequate health, sanitation and protective measures for persons attending special events where large numbers of people are in attendance or may be anticipated to be in attendance.

NOW THEREFORE the Regional Board of the Regional District of Central Okanagan, in open meeting, assembled, enacts as follows:

1. This by-law shall be applicable to all events, congregations and gatherings of people where one thousand (1000) or more persons may be anticipated to attend at any location within the following electoral areas of the Regional District of Central Okanagan:

Electoral Area "A"

Electoral Area "F"

Electoral Area "B"

Electoral Area "G"

Electoral Area "C"

Electoral Area "H"

Electoral Area "D"

Electoral Area "I"

Electoral Area "E"

The boundaries of which are more particularly described in the Letters Patent of the said Regional District. If the Regional Board has reason to believe that one thousand (1000) or more persons may be anticipated to attend at any location within the electoral areas listed herein, it may cause notice in writing to be given to the owner or occupier of the lands upon which such event, congregation or gathering of people is to be held requiring such an owner or

occupier to apply for a permit to hold such event, congregation or gathering of people and to comply with the provisions of this By-law.

2. Application, in writing, for a permit to hold such event, congregation or gathering of people shall be made to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Regional District of Central Okanagan, 540 Groves Avenue, Kelowna, British Columbia, not less than thirty (30) days before the first day on which such event, congregation or gathering of people is to be held. Each such application shall be accompanied by the written approvals required by Section 3 of this By-law.

3. Every application for a permit under this By-law shall be accompanied by the hereinafter required approvals which shall be in writing and shall be signed by the appropriate person or official:

(a) The approval of the registered owner and the occupier of the land upon which the event, congregation or gathering of people is to be held.

(b) A certificate of the Medical Health Officer for the electoral area as listed herein certifying that adequate and acceptable arrangements have been made for the following:

1. Adequate water supply.
2. Toilet facilities.
3. Garbage/<sup>storage</sup> collection and removal and all other waste and refuse, incidental to the gathering.
4. Food and drink storage, dispensing, preparation and use.
5. Public health facilities.
6. Emergency medical facilities.

(c) A statement from the Chief of Police (Royal Canadian Mounted Police) for the electoral areas listed herein to the effect that adequate arrangements, and to his satisfaction, have been made for the following:

1. The off-street parking of automobiles and all other means of transport.
2. Internal security on the site.
3. Traffic control (including access routes for emergency vehicles).

4. Location of a police command station at or near the site (if deemed advisable by the said Chief of Police).

5. Any other requirements for the preservation of law and order and control of traffic which may be deemed advisable by the said Chief of Police.

(d) A statement from the local assistant to the Provincial Fire Marshall or Forest Ranger that adequate arrangements have been made for fire prevention and protection.

4. All applications shall be submitted to the Regional Board of the said Regional District for approval and the Regional Board reserve the right to refuse any or all applications or may place special restrictions on permits granted. The Regional Board may require the applicant to post a cash bond sufficient to cover the estimated costs of the obligations undertaken by the applicant satisfactory to the Regional District.

5. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this by-law or who suffers or permits any act or thing to be done in contravention of any of the provisions of this by-law, or neglects to do or refrains from doing anything required to be done by any of the provisions of this by-law is guilty of an offence punishable under the provisions of the summary convictions act, R.S.B.C. 1960

6. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the "Control of Special Events By-law # 39 1971. May 4, 1971


READ THE FIRST TIME this 17th day of March, 1971. Deputy Minister of Health

READ THE SECOND TIME this 17th day of March, 1971.

READ THE THIRD TIME this 17th day of March, 1971.

APPROVED by the Minister of Health this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1971.

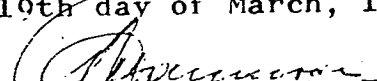
RECONSIDERED AND ADOPTED this 19th day of May, 1971.

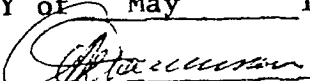
  
Chairman

  
Secretary-Treasurer

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of By-law No. 39 cited as "Control of Special Events By-law No. 39 1971" as read a third time by the Central Okanagan Regional District on the 17th day of March, 1971. Dated at Kelowna this 19th day of March, 1971.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of By-law No. 39 cited as "Control of Special Events By-law No. 39 1971" which was Reconsidered and adopted by the Central Okanagan Regional District on the 19th day of May, 1971. Dated at Kelowna this 20th DAY of May 1971.

  
Secretary-Treasurer

  
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