# **RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF SUTTON NO. 103**

## **BYLAW NO. 8/18**

# A BYLAW TO REGULATE THE USE OF STREETS AND ROADS

WHEREAS Section 8 of *The Municipalities Act* provides authorization for council to enact bylaws subject to *The Traffic Safety Act* relating to the use of vehicles and the regulation of pedestrians, and subject to *The Highways and Transportation Act*, respecting streets and roads; and

WHEREAS it is necessary and advisable to enact a bylaw to regulate streets and roads, and to provide for the safe operation of all vehicles within the Municipality;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Rural Municipality of Sutton No. 103 in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

#### 1. Title

This bylaw may be referred to as the "Roads Bylaw".

#### 2. Definitions

In this bylaw:

- a) "Public Highway" means a road allowance, road, street or lane as defined in Section 2(q) of *The Highways and Transportation Act*, 1997 which is under the direction, control and management of the Municipality;
- b) "Motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle as defined in Section 2(r) of *The Traffic Safety Act*;
- c) "Municipality" shall mean the Rural Municipality of Sutton No. 103;
- d) "Park" means the standing of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, on a highway, except when temporarily engaged in loading or unloading, or in obedience to traffic regulations, traffic signs or signals, or the direction of a traffic officer or constable;
- e) "Public Improvement" as described in Section 2(r) of *The Highways and Transportation Act, 1997.*

### 3. Parking Prohibited

No person shall park a vehicle on any highway.

#### 4. Speed Limits

Pursuant to Section 199 of the *Traffic Safety Act*, no person shall operate a vehicle on a highway at a speed greater than:

- a) 80 kilometres per hour, or
- b) the maximum speed indicated by any signs that are erected on the highway by the municipality.

#### 5. Signs

No persons shall deface, injure, destroy or remove any sign or marker erected by the municipality for the purpose of this bylaw.

# 6. Encumbrances on Highways and Public Places

- a) Unless authorized by council, no person shall:
  - i) Cut, dig, plough, trench, or otherwise injure a highway or property owned by the municipality;
  - ii) Remove any earth, gravel, or asphalt from any highway or property owned by the municipality;
  - iii) operate or cause to be operated any farm implement or vehicle whatsoever on the side slope of any highway so as to in any way damage the surface;
  - iv) spray, or cause to be sprayed, any type of chemical within a municipal road allowance;

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- v) notwithstanding paragraph (iv), the municipality may permit the seeding and spraying of road allowances along dirt roads where there are no roadside ditches;
- vi) place, deposit or cause to be placed or deposited, any earth, snow, ice, stones, rubbish, sewage, dead animals, grain, junked or abandoned vehicles or any other object or substance that may in any way hinder either the maintenance of, or the public's right of passage over, a public highway or other public place in the municipality;

vii) erect, excavate, bury, or cause to be erected, excavated or buried, any building structure, embankment, dugout, well or other excavation within 150 feet (46 metres) from the centre of the highway, or 300 feet (92 metres) from the centre of an intersection:

viii) plant or place, or cause to be planted or placed, any tree, shrub, brush, hedge, fence other than a wire fence, or other object within 150 feet (46 metres) from the centre of the highway, or 300 feet (92 metres) from the centre of an intersection; or

x) break, cut, fill or otherwise alter or damage a public improvement.

### 7. Certain Vehicles Prohibited

No person shall operate or move upon or over a paved road any vehicle or equipment having metal cleats, metal tracks, tire chains, or any other metal device attached to or forming part of the wheels.

#### 9. Penalties

- a) Any person who contravenes the provisions of this bylaw shall be liable for the damage caused and shall reimburse the municipality for the costs of repairing the public improvement; and
- b) Any person found guilty of infraction of the provisions contained in this bylaw may be liable upon summary conviction to the penalties imposed pursuant to the General Penalty Bylaw.
- 10. This bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the date of final passing thereof.

Read a third time and adopted this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018

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Certified a true copy of Bylaw No. 8/18 adopted by Resolution of Council on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

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