



TRAFFIC CONTROL BYLAW

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A Bylaw of the Hamlet of Fort Liard in the Northwest Territories to regulate vehicles pursuant to provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, R.S.N.W.T. 1988, c. M-16, s. 343, 344, 345, 346 and 347; Hamlets Act, R.S.N.W.T. 1988, c. H-1, s. 171, 172, 173, and 176.; and Summary Procedures Act, R.S.N.W.T., 1998, c. S-15, s. 11.

WHEREAS the Hamlet has found it necessary to regulate traffic and set vehicle speed limits;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE HAMLET OF FORT LIARD, at a duly assembled meeting enacts as follows:

SHORT TITLE

1. This By-law may be cited as the “**Traffic Control Bylaw**”.

INTERPRETATION

2. In this Bylaw:

“Airport” means the premises defined as the Fort Liard Airport;

“Council” means the Council of the Hamlet;

“Crosswalk” means

- a. that part of a roadway at an intersection marked as pedestrian crossing by a traffic control device, or that lies between imaginary lines connecting the edge of the roadway on opposite sides of the highway and an imaginary line parallel to and 1.5m back from the first line where there are no marked pedestrian crossings, and
- b. that part of the roadway other than at an intersection marked as a pedestrian crossing by a traffic control device;

“Driver” means a person who operates a vehicle or, where the vehicle is not in

“Emergency Vehicle” means a motor vehicle that is used for emergency purposes

“Hamlet” means the Hamlet of Fort Liard, Northwest Territories;

“Municipality” means the geographic area of jurisdiction of the Hamlet as established

“Permit” means the written authority issued pursuant to this Bylaw;

- “Roadway” means a road, place, bridge, or structure, whether publicly or privately include primary highways designated under the *Highways Traffic Act or Bylaw*; roadways on the Airport other than those designated by Hamlet Bylaw;
- “Intersection” means the area closed by the imaginary extension and connection of the curbs or edges of the roadways that intersect or join at an angle;
- “Mayor” means the Mayor of the Hamlet;
- “Motor Vehicle” means a vehicle propelled or driven by power other than muscular a marine vehicle, or all terrain vehicle;
- “Officer” means a person appointed by Council to enforce Hamlet Bylaws;
- “Park” means the stopping of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, except where the vehicle is stopped in accordance with the direction of an officer or traffic control device, the flow of traffic requires the vehicle to be stopped, or the vehicle is temporary purpose of loading or unloading;
- “Pedestrian” means a person on foot or in a wheelchair and includes a child in a
- “S.A.O.” means the Senior Administrative Officer of the Hamlet;
- “Schedule” means a schedule attached and forming part of the Bylaw; and,
- “Traffic Control Device” means a sign, signal, light, line, marking, or device placed or erected for the purpose of regulating, warning, or guiding

APPLICATION

3. This Bylaw applies to pedestrians and to vehicles on a roadways within the Municipality.

RULES OF THE ROAD

4. No driver shall operate a vehicle on the roadway without due care and attention.
5. No driver shall operate a vehicle without reasonable consideration for others.
6. Every driver and pedestrian shall obey the command that is set out in words, or by signals o

SPEED RESTRICTIONS

7. No driver shall operate a vehicle on a roadway at a speed greater than
 - (a) the maximum speed limit that is set out by a traffic control device,

- (b) 30 km/h if there is no maximum speed set out by a traffic control device.
8. Where a traffic control device sets out a maximum speed limit, the speed limit applies to that part of the roadway between the traffic control device and the point where another traffic control device indicates a greater or lesser speed or that the speed limits has ceased to apply.
9. No driver shall drive at a rate of speed that is unreasonable having regard to all circumstances
- (a) the condition of the roadway;
 - (b) the amount of traffic on the roadway; and,
 - (c) the mechanical condition of any vehicle safety item in respect of the vehicle being driven.

RESTRICTIONS ON USE

10. No person shall operate a vehicle that is carrying flammable, combustible, explosive or other dangerous material operated on roadways other than those designated in Schedule "C"
11. Section 10 does not apply to vehicles delivering products to a customer.
12. No person shall operate a vehicle with lugs or chains on a roadway unless that person has been issued a permit.
13. Section 12 does not apply to trucks traveling on Bypass Road.
14. No person shall, without an over-dimension permit, operate
- (a) a vehicle having a width exceeding 3.2 m;
 - (b) a vehicle having a height exceeding 4 m.;
 - (c) a single vehicle having a length exceeding 12.5 m.;
 - (d) a straight truck trailer combination having a length exceeding 21 m.; or,
 - (e) a truck tractor semi trailer combination having a length exceeding 25 m.
15. No person shall operate a vehicle on a roadway under authority of a permit issued in section

TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

16. Council shall, by motion, authorize the location, placement, and erection of traffic control devices
17. The SAO shall keep a record of all traffic control devices established under this section and the record

18. No person shall tear down, deface, destroy, cover or any way change a traffic control device, u

PARKING

19. No driver shall park a vehicle on a roadway where it is practicable to park the vehicle off a roadway, unless there is a traffic control device authorizing the parking of vehicles on that roadway.

20. No driver shall park a vehicle on a roadway so as to obstruct the passage of vehicles on the roadw

21. No person shall, unless otherwise posted, park a vehicle on a roadway.

(a) in front of a public or private driveway;

(b) within an intersection;

(c) within a crosswalk or within 6m of a crosswalk;

(d) within 5m in front of a stop or yield sign located at the side of the roadway.

(e) within 6m of a driveway to a fire station on the side of a roadway on which the fire station is located; and

(f) in front of facilities designed for use by a physically disabled person.

22. No person shall park or leave a large vehicle unattended with the engine running between 23:00 hours (11 p.m.) and 7:00 hours (7 a.m.) in other than an area specified as:

a) Lot 185 and 186 LTO 1910

b) Lot 1002 LTO 1900

23. Sections 20 and 21 do not apply to emergency vehicles responding to a local emergency.

DIRECTION BY OFFICER

24. An Officer may direct a pedestrian or a driver a direction, the compliance of which is a contravention

a) to ensure the orderly movement to traffic or to prevent injury or damage to

b) because of an emergency.

25. A driver or pedestrian who receives and complies with a direction referred to in section 23 shall obey the direction and the driver or pedestrian will not commit an offence with respect to any provision of this bylaw.

OFFENCES AND PENALTIES

26. Any person who contravenes provisions this Bylaw is guilty of an offence against this Bylaw and
months.

27. An Officer may issue a ticket in the form prescribed by the *Summary Convictions* Procedur
in Schedule "B" prior to the court date specified on the ticket.

ADMINISTRATIVE

28. An Officer or the SAO shall issue Permits required under the authority of this Bylaw.

EFFECTIVE DATE

29. This By-law shall come into effect April 1, 2003.

REPEAL

31. Bylaw 75 and 79 are hereby repealed.

READ a First Time this 9th day of January 2003.

READ a Second Time this 9th day of January 2003.

READ a Third Time and finally passed this 30th day of January 2003.

TEMPORARY ROAD USE PERMIT
Pursuant to Traffic Control Bylaw 159

APPLICANT _____

ADDRESS _____

THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED TO PERMIT THE TEMPORARY USE OF A
MUNICIPAL ROADWAY FOR THE FOLLOWING -

DESCRIPTION OF ROUTE AND ROADWAYS -

THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WILL APPLY -

THIS PERMIT PERMITS TRAVEL ON THE MUNICIPAL ROADWAY ONLY
ON THE FOLLOWING DATES AND TIMES -

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME FROM</u>	<u>TIME TO</u>

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE CONDITIONS SET OUT IN THIS PERMIT WILL RESULT IN THE
PERMIT BECOMING VOID AND MAY RESULT IN PROSECUTION PURSUANT TO TRAFFIC
CONTROL BYLAW 159.

Applicant' Signature	Date
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Approval	Date
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Penalties

<u>Offence</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Fine</u> Cdn Dollars
Failure to drive with due care and attention	4, & 5	100.00
Failure to obey traffic control device	6	75.00
Failure to obey restrictions on use	10, 12, 13, 14, & 15	75.00
Failure to obey parking restrictions	19, 20, 21, & 22	50.00
Failure to obey direction by an Officer	24	75.00
Vandalize traffic control device	18	
Driving in excess of the speed limit	7, 8, & 9	
Over by 10 kilometers or less		50.00
Plus for next 10 to 20 kilometers in excess		75.00
Plus for next 20 kilometers or more in excess		100.00

Dangerous Goods Route

Map provided in this schedule can be viewed in the Hamlet Office.
 It is intended that this sketch will only be used to identify "Dangerous Goods Routes" within the Hamlet.

