

TOWN OF MAIDSTONE

BYLAW NO. 14-98

A BYLAW RESPECTING ANIMAL CONTROL WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE
TOWN OF MAIDSTONE

The Council of the Town of Maidstone in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS:

In this Bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) COUNCIL - shall mean the Council of the Town of Maidstone.
- (b) ANIMALS - means all cattle, swine, horses, mules, sheep, goats, lama's or any animal of the bovine species, all species of fowl and all species of poultry.
- (c) OWNER - shall mean and include any person, group of people, firm or corporation harboring animals.
- (d) TOWN - shall mean the Town Of Maidstone, Sk..
- (e) AGRICULTURE USE - shall mean a parcel of land in an urban municipality that is used by a person exclusively for farming purposes, or a number of such parcels of land operated by a person as one farming unit, and that is nine hectares or more in area.
- (f) PERMIT - shall mean a perscribed permit form issued, upon approval, by the Town of Maidstone council and known as "Schedule A" of this Bylaw.

2. GENERAL:

- (a) No person shall herd animals, at anytime, within the boundaries of the Town of Maidstone.
- (b) A person shall be permitted to harbor or keep cattle and/or horses on property;
 - (i) that is of Agricultural Use within the Town of Maidstone's boundaries;
 - (ii) that the amount of cattle and/or horses be no more than 4 in total per 9 hectres of land;
 - (iii) upon the approval and the issuance of a permit issued by the Town of Maidstone;
 - (iv) All other animals exempt.

2. (c) No person shall own, possess or harbor any cattle and/or horses that in any manner, creates a disturbance or provides annoyance or discomfort to other persons residing in the neighborhood or to the public at large, or which causes injury to any person and any person so doing, shall be in violation of this Bylaw.

3. PERMITS:

- (a) Every person who harbors or keeps cattle and/or horses within the Town's boundaries shall apply for a permit prior to the harboring of the cattle and/or horses. Failure to do so shall constitute an offence under this Bylaw.
- (b) When applying for a permit, the applicant shall:
- (i) Provide a description of the type of cattle and/or horses that he/she intends to harbor;
 - (ii) Provide the legal and civic address of the property where the cattle and/or horses shall be harbored;
 - (iii) Provide the name/names of the owner of the harbored cattle and/or horses.
 - (iv) Provide the total number of cattle and/or horses to be harbored.
 - (v) Provide the total area in hectares, of the property where the cattle/horses shall be harbored.
- (c) Permits shall be issued upon the approval by the council of the Town of Maidstone.
- (d) Permits will be terminated under the following:
- (1) Change of ownership of the cattle and/or horses or the property on which the cattle and/or horses shall be harbored.
 - (2) Violation of this bylaw.

4. RUNNING AT LARGE:

- (a) No cattle and/or horses shall run at large in the Town boundaries, and for the purpose of this Bylaw, cattle and/or horses shall be deemed to be running at large when they are beyond the boundaries of the land specified in the permit.
- (b) All cattle and/or horses must be securely confined within an enclosure on the land specified in the permit. Any animal found running at large shall be in violation of this Bylaw.
- (c) All cattle/horses running at large may be impounded and will be subject to pay pound fees.

5. BREEDING OF ANIMALS:

The breeding of animals shall be prohibited anywhere within the Town's boundaries. This shall include all cattle/horses that are being harbored within a confined enclosure on land specified on a permit that has been approved by the Town of Maidstone council.

6. PENALTY:

Unless otherwise specified in the Bylaw, a person committing a breach of this Bylaw or neglecting or refusing to comply therewith, is guilty of an offence and liable to be fined as provided in Section 7 of the bylaw.

7. FINE:

- (a) Any person convicted of an offence under this Bylaw shall forfeit and pay a fine up to a maximum of \$500.00 and all costs of any damages caused by violation of this bylaw.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY OF

BYLAW 14-98 PASSED IN

COUNCIL THIS 7th

[Signature]
MAYOR

(SEAL)

July 1998

[Signature]
ADMINISTRATOR

[Signature]

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 7TH DAY OF JULY, 1998
READ A SECOND TIME THIS 7TH DAY OF JULY, 1998
READ A THIRD TIME THIS 7TH DAY OF JULY, 1998

" SCHEDULE A "
BYLAW 198

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PERMIT RESPECTING ANIMAL CONTROL

NAME: _____
MAILING ADDRESS: _____
CIVIC ADDRESS: _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____
LEGAL ADDRESS: _____
TOTAL AREA IN HECTRES: _____

ANIMAL INFORMATION:

TYPE: _____
DESCRIPTION: _____
ORIGINAL OWNER: _____
TOTAL ANIMALS: _____

MAYOR

APPLICANT

ADMINISTRATOR