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## THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BAY

## BY-LAW NO. 57-72

BEING A BY-LAW TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE CITY OF NORTH BAY

WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of North Bay deems it advisable to prohibit the discharging of firearms within a defined portion of the area of the City of North Bay pursuant to Section 354 (1), Paragraph 30 of the Municipal Act, Chapter 284, R.S.O. 1970 as amended;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BAY HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- For the purposes of this By-law: 1.
  - "Firearm" shall mean any gun, a pistol, revolver, or a firearm that is capable of firing bullets in (a) rapid succession, air gun, spring gun, or arrow, or any class or type thereof.
  - "Peace Officer" includes a mayor, warden, reeve, sheriff, deputy sheriff, sheriff's officer, or a (b) justice of the peace.
- 2. No person shall discharge any firearm within an area of the City of North Bay described as follows:

"That area contained within the most southerly, easterly and westerly boundaries of the City of North Bay to and along the north boundary line of Concession I of the former Township of Widdifield."

- 3. This By-law shall not apply to the discharge of any firearm on any firing range under the direction and control of any Department or Agency of the Government of Canada, or the Government of the Province of Ontario; or to any person, company club or organization granted permission in writing by the City of North Bay to carry on range firing, archery practice, or other such controlled firing activities as shall be designated in such written permission.
- 4. No section in this By-law shall prevent or restrict, Police, or other peace officers from the use of firearms in the course of duty.
- 5. Any person convicted of a breach of the provisions of this By-law shall forfeit and pay, at the discretion of the convicting Magistrate, a penalty or fine not exceeding the sum of Three-Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars for each offence, exclusive of costs, recoverable under The Summary Convictions Act.

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"By-laws Nos. 803 and 1277 of the City of North Bay - By-law No. 1091 of the former Township of Widdifield, and By-laws Nos. 384 and 384A of the former Township of West Ferris are repealed. All other By-laws or parts of By-laws of the City of North Bay, the former Township of Widdifield, and the former Township of West Ferris, which are inconsistent or conflict with the provisions of this By-law are repealed."

READ A FIRST TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL THIS 27TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1969.

READ A SECOND TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL THIS 12TH DAY OF JUNE, 1972.

READ A THIRD TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL AND FINALLY ENACTED AND PASSED THIS 26th DAY OF June , 1972.

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MAYOR

CITY CLERK