

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BAY

BY-LAW NO. 39-85

BEING A BY-LAW TO PROHIBIT AND REGULATE THE  
DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE CITY OF  
NORTH BAY AND TO REPEAL BY-LAW NO. 150-79.

WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of North Bay deems it advisable to prohibit and regulate the discharging of firearms within a defined portion of the area of the City of North Bay pursuant to Section 210, Paragraph 29 of the Municipal Act, Chapter 302, R.S.O. 1980, as amended;

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

1. For the purposes of this By-law:

(a) "Firearm" means any gun, pistol, revolver, rifle or other device that is capable of firing bullets or other projectiles through a metal tube by use of gunpowder, forced air, other chemicals or a spring device.

(b) "Peace Officer" includes a mayor, sheriff, deputy sheriff, sheriff's officer, or a 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 up to a line commencing at the most westerly boundary of the City at the north boundary of Concession 3; thence in an easterly direction along the north limit of Concession 3 to the east limit of Lot 12; thence in a southerly direction along the east limit of Lot 12 to the north boundary line of Concession 1; thence in an easterly direction along the north limit of Concession 1 to the easterly boundary of the City as shown on the attached Schedule "A".

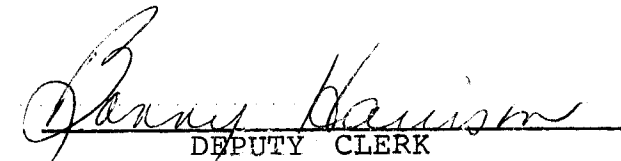
3. This By-law shall not apply to the discharge of any firearm on any firing range under the direction and control of any Department or Agency of the Government of Canada, or the Government of the Province of Ontario.
4. No section in this by-law shall prevent or restrict police, or other peace officers 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 One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for each offence, exclusive of costs, recoverable under the Summary Convictions Act.
6. By-law No. 150-79 as amended by By-law No. 60-81 of the City of North Bay is hereby repealed.
7. This by-law comes into force and effect upon being finally passed.

READ A FIRST TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL , 1985.

READ A SECOND TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL THE 29TH DAY OF APRIL , 1985.

READ A THIRD TIME IN OPEN COUNCIL AND FINALLY ENACTED AND PASSED THIS 29TH DAY OF APRIL , 1985.

  
MAYOR

  
DEPUTY CLERK

