**Bill No. 063** 



## **BY-LAW NUMBER 2021-**

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Barrie to amend Business Licensing By-law 2006-266 (General Licensing) regarding the setting off or discharging of fireworks.

**WHEREAS** Section 8 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, provides that powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising the authority under the Act;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 10 (1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides a single-tier municipality may provide any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable for the public;

**AND WHEREAS** by motion 21-G-159, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie deems it expedient to enact a by-law to further regulate and govern the time in which Fireworks may be set off or discharged.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** Section 112.1.5.0.0. subsection (d) of By-law 2006-266, be deleted and replaced with the following:

112.1.5.0.0 No Person shall:

- exhibit, sell, or offer for sale any fireworks/pyrotechnics within the geographic limits of the City except for a period of 5 calendar days prior to and the day of
  - i) Victoria Day
  - ii) Canada Day
  - iii) New Year's Day
  - iv) Lunar New Year
  - v) Diwali

The exhibiting, sale, or offering for sale of any fireworks/pyrotechnics under this section shall be subject to the provisions of any other by-law which may otherwise limit or restrict such exhibit, sale, or offering for sale of such fireworks.

- 2. **THAT** By-law 2006-266 be further amended by adding the following Section:
  - 112.1.7.0.0 Every person shall ensure, at the time of sale, individuals purchasing firework/pyrotechnic items are provided with an information fact sheet which details regulations for the setting off or discharging of any Firework/pyrotechnic within the City of Barrie. The Licensee shall ensure that all information contained in the fact sheet is accurate and up to date as of the date of the sale to the best of their knowledge.
- 3. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and effect immediately upon passing thereof.

**READ** a first and second time this 28th day of June, 2021.

**READ** a third time and finally passed this 28th day of June, 2021.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF	BARRIE
MAYOR – J. LEHMAN	
CITY CLERK – WENDY COOKE	_