# THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LATCHFORD

## **BY-LAW NO. 2022-022**

## A By-Law of The Town Of Latchford to Amend By-Law 2017-19

WHEREAS Council for The Town Of Latchford enacted By-Law 2017-19 being a By-law of the Town of Latchford Respecting the Management, Protection and Identification of Animals.

WHEREAS the Municipal Act 2001, Chapter M.25 Section 103(1),105(1), 128 (1) and 130 authorizes the municipality to pass by-laws respecting and licensing and regulating animals

WHEREAS Council for The Town of Latchford wishes to amend By-Law 2017-19 being a By-law of the Town of Latchford. Respecting the Management, Protection and Identification of Animals.

# NOW THEREFORE THE Council of the Corporation of the Town of Latchford hereby enacts as follows:

1. Section 28 is amended by adding the following new subsection 28.1:

#### 28.1

- (a) Every owner of an animal listed in Schedule C of this bylaw who possessed the animal prior to the passing of By-Law 2017-19 shall maintain a log of all animals being kept which includes the species, age and sex of the animals, the date the animal was acquired or disposed of, and the physical address where the animals are being kept
- (b) The log referenced in clause 28.1 (a) shall be provided to an officer upon the request of the officer
- (c) The log referenced in clause 28.1 (a) shall be provided annually to the Town and must be received at the Town office no later than January 15 of any year
- (d) No person required to maintain the log referred to in clause 28.1 (a) shall provide false or misleading information in the log
- (e) No person who possessed an animal listed in Schedule C of this bylaw prior to the passing of By-Law 2017-19 shall change the location where the animal is being kept without written approval from the Town of Latchford.

## **PENALTY**

Every person who contravenes any of the provisions of this by-law is guilty of an offence and subject to a fine recoverable under the Provincial Offences Act.

Every person who is convicted of an offence under this by-law shall be subject to a fine of not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for each offence. Such fines shall be recoverable under the *Provincial Offences Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P. 33*.

Where a provision of this bylaw conflicts with a provision of another by-law in force in the Town of Latchford the provision that establish the higher standards shall prevail in order to protect health, safety and welfare of the general.

. It is the declared intention of the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Latchford that any section or part of a section of this by-law which may subsequently be held to be illegal shall be severable from the remainder of the by-law and shall not be deemed to have persuaded. The remainder of the by-law

This By-Law comes into full force and effect upon on passage.

**READ a first, second and third time** and finally passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> of August 2022.

Mayor, George Lefebvre.

Clerk-Preasurer, Jame Allen.