

**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LATCHFORD
BY-LAW NO. 2021/010**

BEING A BY-LAW TO DESIGNATE WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS OF VEHICLES AND TRAILERS ON TOWN ROADS.

WHEREAS The Municipal Act, 2001, Section 11(2) and Section 28, grant the Corporation of the Town of Latchford jurisdiction over all road allowances located in the municipality or made by the Crown surveyors and all road allowances, streets or lanes in The Town of Latchford.


AND WHEREAS The Municipal Act 2001 Section 27 authorizes the Council of The Town of Latchford to pass by-laws in respect of roads or laneways under its jurisdiction

AND WHEREAS Section 122(7) of the Highway Traffic Act R.S.O 1990 H.8, as amended provides that the municipal corporation or of the authority having jurisdiction over a Town road or laneway may designate the date on which reduced load period shall start or end and the road or laneway or portion thereof under its jurisdiction to which the designation applies:

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Latchford as by-law The Corporation of The Town of Latchford, as follows:

1. (a) Highway traffic means the Highway Traffic Act, R.S.O.1990,1990, c.H.8 as amended from time to time;
(b) motor vehicle has the meaning ascribed thereto in the Highway Traffic Act;
(c) official sign means load restriction sign erected in accordance with the regulations under the Highway Traffic Act;
(d) reduced load period means the period from the **fifteenth day of March to the 31st day of May** inclusive of each and every year; and
(e) vehicle has the meaning ascribed thereto in the Highway Traffic Act.
2. Subject to Section 110 of the Highway Traffic Act during a reduced load period, no commercial motor vehicle or trailer, other than a public vehicle or a vehicle or vehicle referred to in Section 3 of this by-law, shall be operated or drawn upon any road or portion thereof that this part of the town road system where the weight upon an axle exceeds 5.000 pounds.
3. Subject to Section 110of the Highway Traffic Act, during a reduced load period, no vehicle having a carrying capacity in excess of 1,000 kilograms, other than a motor vehicle or trailer, shall be operated upon any road or portion thereof that is part of the town's road system where the weight upon any millimeter in the width of a tire exceeds 5 kilograms.
4. Every person who contravenes a provision of this by-law is guilty of an offence and upon conviction is liable to a fine as setout in the Highway Traffic Act:
5. This by-law will only be in effect when official signs are on display.
6. The Towns Public Works Superintendent is hereby authorized to direct the erection of official signs

READ a FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME and finally passed this 20th_day of May 2021.



Mayor, George Lefebvre.



Clerk-Treasurer, Jaime Allen.