

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ST. JOSEPH

BY-LAW 2017-06

A By-law to amend By-law 2016-12, being a By-law for the Licensing, Registration, Care and Control of Dogs and Kennels.

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipality may provide any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable for the public; and

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, authorizes a single tier municipality to pass by-laws respecting Animals; and

WHEREAS By-law 2016-12 was passed on February 17, 2016 to govern the licensing, registration, care and control of dogs and kennels in the municipality; and

WHEREAS Council desires that fees be established to provide for the recovery of the costs associated with Animal Control, inspections, patrols, licensing, administration and regulation of dogs and kennels;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of The Township of St. Joseph does hereby enact as follows:

1. THAT By-law 2016-12 be amended by appending this By-law to provide for the annual license fees for individual dogs and kennels.
2. THAT either a Boarding or Breeding Kennel shall be licensed by the municipality, and said license shall be issued annually following inspection at the beginning of each year.
3. THAT the annual fee for a Boarding or Breeding license shall be \$50.00 per year.
4. THAT the annual fee for the licensing of individual dogs shall take effect as of March 31, 2017 and shall be as follows:

Spayed or Neutered: prior to March 31:	\$10.00 per dog	After March 31:	\$15.00
Not spayed or neutered: prior to March 31:	\$15.00 per dog	After March 31:	\$30.00

READ A FIRST, AND TAKEN AS READ A SECOND AND THIRD TIME and finally passed in open Council this First day of February, 2017.



J. Wildman, Mayor



Carol O. Trainor, Clerk