

TOWN OF REDWATER

BYLAW NO. 762

DOG CONTROL BYLAW

A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF REDWATER, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING AND CONTROLLING DOGS.

WHEREAS the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time, authorizes a Municipality to regulate and control Animals and activities in relation to them;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Town of Redwater, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. SHORT TITLE

- 1.1. This Bylaw may be cited as the “Dog Control Bylaw”

2. DEFINITIONS

- 2.1. “Animal Shelter” means the facility or facilities designated by the Town from time to time, as the location for the impoundment and care of Dogs subject to this Bylaw;
- 2.2. “At-Large” means any Dog that is present at any place other than the property of its Owner and which is not being carried by any person, or which is not otherwise restrained or under the physical control of a person by means of some form of Restraining Device securely holding that Dog;
- 2.3. “CAO” means the Chief Administrative Officer of the Town of Redwater
- 2.4. “Council” means the Municipal Council of the Town of Redwater;
- 2.5. “*Dangerous Dog Act*” shall mean the *Dangerous Dog Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c.D-3 as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;
- 2.6. “Dog” shall mean any member of a domesticated canine species;
- 2.7. “Kennel” means a development in which domestic pets are maintained, boarded, trained, cared for, bred, or raised for remuneration or for sale;
- 2.8. “Land Use Bylaw” means the Town’s Land Use Bylaw, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;

- 2.9. “Leash” means a tether of suitable strength that may be humanely attached to a collar or harness;
- 2.10. “License Tag” means an identification tag of metal or other material issued by the Town showing the license number of a specific Dog;
- 2.11. “Lifetime License Tag” means a License Tag whereby the Owner of the Dog pays to the Town the fee as set out in Schedule “A” of this Bylaw and the License Tag is effective for the duration of the life of the Dog;
- 2.12. “*Municipal Government Act*” means the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;
- 2.13. “Owner” means a person:
- 2.13.1. who has the care, charge, custody, Possession or control of the Dog;
 - 2.13.2. who owns or claims a proprietary interest in the Dog;
 - 2.13.3. who harbours, suffers or permits the Dog to be present on any property owned or under his/her control;
 - 2.13.4. who claims and receives the Dog from the custody of an Animal Shelter or a Peace Officer; or
 - 2.13.5. to whom a License Tag has been issued for the Dog in accordance with this Bylaw.
- 2.14. “Owner’s Property” means Private Property, or all or part of a structure on Private Property, owned by or under the control or Possession of an Owner of a Dog
- 2.15. “Peace Officer” means
- 2.15.1. a member of a municipal police service;
 - 2.15.2. a community Peace Officer where under that person’s appointment as a Community Peace Officer that person is empowered to carry out the duties of a Peace Officer; or
 - 2.15.3. a Bylaw Enforcement Officer who is appointed by Council of the Town of Redwater.
- 2.16. “Possession” means:
- 2.16.1. having physical or effective control of the Dog;

- 2.16.2. having transferred physical or effective control of the Dog to another person for the purpose of allowing that person to exercise control over that Dog for a period of time; or
- 2.16.3. where one of two or more persons, with the knowledge and consent of the other or others, has physical or effective control of the Dog, the Dog shall be deemed to be in control of each and all of them.
- 2.17. “Private Property” means any property within the Town other than property constituting Public Property;
- 2.18. “*Provincial Offences Procedure Act*” means the *Provincial Offences Procedures Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. P-34, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;
- 2.19. “Public Property” means property owned by or under the control and management of the Government of Canada, the Government of Alberta or the Town, contained within the municipal boundaries of the Town;
- 2.20. “Registered Veterinarian” means a Registered Veterinarian as defined in the *Veterinary Professions Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. V-2, as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time;
- 2.21. “Restraining Device” means any Leash, harness or other restraining system capable of allowing the Owner to maintain adequate control of the attached Dog, or if located on the Owner’s Property, capable of retaining the Dog within the boundaries of the Owner’s Property;
- 2.22. “Secure Enclosure” means a building, cage, fenced area or other enclosure for the restraining of a Dog and which prohibits the Dog from jumping, climbing, digging or using any other means to exit the enclosure, and which is capable of prohibiting the entry of young children into the enclosure;
- 2.23. “Serious Wound” means an injury resulting from a Dog attack which causes a breaking of the skin or the flesh to be torn;
- 2.24. “Town” means the Town of Redwater, in the Province of Alberta;
- 2.25. “Vicious Dog” means a Dog of any age which, when on or off the property of its Owner:
- 2.25.1. shows a propensity disposition or potential to attack or injure, without provocation, other animals or humans.
- 2.26. “Violation Tag” means a tag or similar document issued by the Town pursuant to the *Municipal Government Act*;

- 2.27. “Violation Ticket” means a ticket issued pursuant to Part 2 of the *Provincial Offences Procedure Act* and any Regulations there under.

3. LICENSING PROVISIONS

- 3.1. An Owner shall apply for a License Tag:
- 3.1.1. on the day the person becomes the Owner of the Dog; or
 - 3.1.2. if the Dog is not THREE (3) months of age when the person becomes the Owner of the Dog, on the day the Dog becomes THREE (3) months of age;
- 3.2. The Owner shall be required to apply for a License Tag regardless of age if the Dog is found At Large.
- 3.3. A license under this Bylaw must be renewed on an annual basis, by paying the applicable license fee as set out in Schedule A of this Bylaw, prior to February 1st in each year. Any person who fails to renew a license within this time is guilty of an offence. The annual requirement does not apply to any persons purchasing a Lifetime License Tag for their Dog.
- 3.4. Upon payment of the required annual license fee, and providing such information as may be required by the Town, the Owner will be supplied with a License Tag having a number which will remain registered to that Dog for the year in which it was purchased except where a person has purchased a Lifetime License Tag the tag number shall be allocated for the lifetime of the Dog.
- 3.5. An Owner of an unlicensed Dog is guilty of an offence.
- 3.6. License Tags issued pursuant to this Bylaw shall not be transferred from one Dog to another or from one Owner to another. This includes a lifetime License Tag.
- 3.7. Every Owner shall ensure that the License Tag is securely fastened to a choke chain, collar or harness worn by the Dog at all times whenever the Dog is on property other than the Owner’s Property or property controlled by the Owner.
- 3.8. An Owner of a Licensed Dog is guilty of an offence if the Dog is not wearing a License Tag while the Dog is on property other than the Owner’s property or property controlled the Owner.
- 3.9. The Owner of a Dog that has been duly licensed under this Bylaw may obtain a replacement License Tag for one that has been lost or damaged upon payment of the replacement License Tag fee as set out in Schedule “A” of this Bylaw.

- 3.10. No person shall be entitled to a refund or rebate for any License Tag fee.
- 3.11. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the following:
- 3.11.1. persons temporarily visiting the Town for a period not exceeding FOUR (4) consecutive weeks;
 - 3.11.2. Not-for-Profit Associations, Not-for-Profit Corporations and Government Organizations engaged in the provision of specialized Dog services, including but not limited to, guide or assistance Dogs, police Dogs, and search and rescue Dogs;
 - 3.11.3. Handicapped persons holding an identification card proving ownership of a guide or assistance Dog for their use;
 - 3.11.4. holders of a valid and subsisting Development Permit, issued pursuant to the Land Use Bylaw authorizing the operation of a Kennel, Animal Shelter or similar facility, but only in regard to those Dogs which are intended for sale or adoption or a Dog which is owned by persons other than the operators of the Kennel, Animal Shelter or similar facility and which are boarded therein.

4. NUMBER OF ANIMALS

- 4.1. No more than THREE (3) Dogs shall be harboured, suffered or permitted to remain upon or in any Property, land, house, shelter, room or place, building, structure or premises within the Town, unless:
- 4.1.1. the premises are lawfully used for the care and treatment of Dogs, operated by or under the charge of a Registered Veterinarian;
 - 4.1.2. the Owner is the holder of a valid and subsisting Development Permit to operate a Kennel, Animal Shelter or a similar facility as authorized by the Land Use Bylaw, but only in regard to those Dogs which are intended for sale or adoption or Dogs which are owned by persons other than the operators of the Kennel, Animal Shelter, or similar facility and which are being boarded therein;
 - 4.1.3. the Dogs in excess of the limit are under THREE (3) months of age and are the offspring of a licensed Dog residing at the same location; or
 - 4.1.4. the Owner is a not-for-profit Association, Not-for-Profit Corporation or Government Organization engaged in the provision of specialized Dog services, including but not limited to, guide or assistance Dogs, police Dogs, and search and rescue Dogs.
- 4.2. Any person who keeps, suffers or harbours more than THREE (3) Dogs within the Town is in contravention of this bylaw and is guilty of an offence.

5. GENERAL OFFENCES

- 5.1. An Owner whose Dog is At-Large is guilty of an offence;
- 5.2. The Owner of a Dog that barks, howls or otherwise makes noise so as to, in the opinion of a Peace Officer, constitute an unreasonable disturbance of the quiet or repose of any person, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.3. The Owner of a Dog that threatens, attacks, bites, chases or injures any person is guilty of an offence;
- 5.4. The Owner of a Dog that attacks, injures, kills, chases or otherwise harasses another animal is guilty of an offence;
- 5.5. The Owner of a Dog that causes damage to Public or Private Property, other than the Owner's Property, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.6. Where a Dog has defecated on any Public or Private Property, other than the Owner's Property, the Owner shall remove such defecation immediately and failure to do so shall constitute an offence;
- 5.7. The Owner of a Dog shall maintain the Owner's Property or the property controlled by the Owner on which the Dog is harboured, in a clean and sanitary condition and shall take such steps as are necessary to prevent the presence of nuisances, including but not limited to, offensive or noxious odors. Any Owner who fails to maintain the property in such a manner, as determined by a Peace Officer, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.8. The Owner of a female Dog in estrus or "heat" which is not adequately contained or restrained, both on and off the Owner's Property, in a manner sufficient in the opinion of a Peace Officer to avoid attracting other Dogs, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.9. Any person, who without the consent of the Owner, unties, loosens or otherwise frees a Dog that was tied or otherwise restrained, or opens a gate, door or opening in a fence or Secure Enclosure in which a Dog has been confined, thereby allowing the Dog to run At-Large, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.10. Any person, who interferes with, prohibits or otherwise impedes a Peace Officer in the performance of the Officer's duties under this Bylaw, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.11. Any person who, in the opinion of a Peace Officer, is teasing, tormenting, annoying or harming any Dog, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.12. The Owner of a Dog that disturbs a waste receptacle, whether on Private or Public Property, scattering the contents of such receptacle, is guilty of an offence;

- 5.13. The Owner of a Dog that causes, allows or permits that Dog to be present at any location, whether Public or Private Property, where a sign prohibits the presence of Dogs, is guilty of an offence;
- 5.14. The Owner of a Dog that enters into a flowerbed in a park whether or not the Dog is controlled by a Restraining Device, is guilty of an offence;

6. VICIOUS DOG

- 6.1. The CAO or their designate, may declare a Dog to be a Vicious if there is reasonable grounds to believe, either through personal observation or on the basis of facts determined after an investigation of a complaint, that the Dog:
 - 6.1.1. has a known propensity, tendency, or disposition to threaten, attack, chase or bite, without provocation, another animal or human;
 - 6.1.2. has inflicted a Serious Wound upon another animal or human.
- 6.2. Where a Dog is determined by the CAO or their designate to be a Vicious Dog pursuant to section 6.1, the CAO or their designate shall:
 - 6.2.1. Serve the Owner with a written notice that the Dog has been declared to be a Vicious Dog;
 - 6.2.2. Direct the Owner to keep the Vicious Dog in accordance with the provisions of section 6.7 of this Bylaw, and provide the Owner with a time limit for constructing the required enclosure; and
 - 6.2.3. Inform the Owner that, if the Vicious Dog is not kept in accordance with section 6.7 of this Bylaw, the Owner may be fined, or subject to enforcement action pursuant to this Bylaw.
- 6.3. A written notice under section 6.2 above may include a summary of the applicable Bylaw provisions governing a Vicious Dog
- 6.4. Any Owner who receives notice under section 6.2 may, within Fourteen (14) days of receiving the written notice of the designation, request in writing that the designation be reviewed by Council. Council is not obligated to conduct an oral hearing of the review and may conduct the review based on written material provided by the CAO or their designate and the Owner.
- 6.5. Council upon a review conducted pursuant to section 6.4 of this Bylaw may:
 - 6.5.1. uphold the designation of the Dog as a Vicious Dog

- 6.5.2. reverse the decision of the CAO or their designate and deem that the Dog is not a Vicious Dog; or
 - 6.5.3. uphold the Vicious Dog designation and vary the conditions of harboring the Dog within the Town
- 6.6. The decision of Council shall be provided to the Owner in writing within Thirty (30) day of Council conducting the review and may be served personally or by registered mail on the Owner. If the decision is sent by registered mail, but unclaimed the decision may be sent to the Owner's regular mail and shall be deemed received seven (7) days after the date of mailing.
- 6.7. The Owner of a Vicious Dog shall:
 - 6.7.1. Maintain in force a policy of liability insurance in a form satisfactory to the Town providing third party liability coverage in a minimum amount of ONE MILLION (\$1,000,000) DOLLARS for injuries caused by the Owner's Vicious Dog and no License Tag shall be issued for a Vicious Dog unless proof of such insurance coverage is provided annually to the Town when applying for the License Tag
 - 6.7.2. License the Dog as a Vicious Dog and follow the procedures set out in Section 3 of this Bylaw, which includes paying the applicable fee for a Vicious Dog as set out in Schedule "A" of this Bylaw; and
 - 6.7.3. While the Vicious Dog is off the Owner's Property, muzzle and secure the Vicious Dog by means of a Restraining Device under the physical control of a person of sixteen (16) years of age or older; and
 - 6.7.4. While the Vicious Dog is on the Owner's Property, confine the Vicious Dog within a Secure Enclosure, or within the residence of the Owner.
 - 6.7.5. Post a sign at all entrances to the Owner's Property or the property controlled by the Owner, stating "Vicious Dog"
- 6.8. An Owner who fails to comply with the provisions of section 6.7 is guilty of an offence.
- 6.9. The Owner of a Vicious Dog shall immediately notify the Town should the policy of liability insurance expire, be cancelled or terminated, and upon the occurrence of such an event, the Vicious Dog license shall be null and void, unless the Town receives written proof that a new insurance policy has been secured, meeting the requirements of section 6.7.1 within FIFTEEN (15) days of the expiry, cancellation or termination of the original policy.
- 6.10. Where the Owner of a Vicious Dog is guilty of an offence under section 5 of this Bylaw, the fine shall be double the amount indicated in Schedule "B" of this Bylaw.

- 6.11. In addition, to the remedies set forth elsewhere in this Bylaw, if the CAO or their designate determines that a Vicious Dog is not being kept in accordance with this Bylaw, the C.A.O. or their designate may:
- 6.11.1. issue an Order pursuant to section 545 of the *Municipal Government Act* directing that the Vicious Dog be kept in accordance with this Bylaw or removed from the physical boundaries of the Town; and
 - 6.11.2. in addition or as an alternative to the issuance of an Order under subsection 6.11.1 bring an application pursuant to the *Dangerous Dog Act* for an order directing that the Vicious Dog be kept in accordance with this Bylaw, destroyed or subjected to such other Order as the Court may direct.
- 6.12. At no time shall a Lifetime License Tag be issued to a Vicious Dog and in the event that a Lifetime License Tag has been issued to a Dog that is declared vicious pursuant to this section, the Lifetime License Tag may be rescinded by the Town.

7. PEACE OFFICER

- 7.1. A Peace Officer is a designated officer of the Municipality for the purposes of inspections, investigations and enforcement of this Bylaw and, in addition to any other powers or authority granted under this Bylaw or any other enactment, is authorized to:
- 7.1.1. capture and impound in an authorized Animal Shelter any Dog that is At-Large;
 - 7.1.2. to take any reasonable measures necessary to subdue any Dog, including the use of equipment and materials;
 - 7.1.3. to enter onto lands surrounding any building in pursuit of a Dog while that Dog is At-Large; and
 - 7.1.4. if a Dog is in distress, whether or not as a result of enforcement action taken pursuant to this Bylaw, to take the Dog to a Registered Veterinarian for treatment and, once treated, to transfer the Dog to the Animal Shelter.
- 7.2. All costs and expenses incurred by the Town as a result of veterinary treatment pursuant to section 7.1.4 above shall be recoverable from the Owner of the Dog as lawful debt owed to the Town.
- 7.3. Dogs impounded in the Animal Shelter shall be kept for a period of at least seventy two (72) hours. For the purpose of calculating the length of time a Dog has been in custody, weekends and statutory holidays shall be included in the calculation.

- 7.4. Where a Dog that has been impounded and bears obvious identification tattoos, brands, marks, tags or licenses, the Peace Officer shall make all reasonable efforts to contact the Owner of the Dog.
- 7.5. During the period established in section 7.3, the Dog may be redeemed by its Owner, except as otherwise provided for in this Bylaw, upon payment to the Town or its authorized agent of:
- 7.5.1. the appropriate license fee when a Dog is not licensed
 - 7.5.2. the cost of any veterinary treatment provided in respect of the Dog pursuant to this Bylaw; and
 - 7.5.3. the impound fee
- 7.6. At the expiration of the time period established in sections 7.3 , the CAO or their designate is authorized to:
- 7.6.1. offer the Dog for sale or as a gift;
 - 7.6.2. allow the Dog to be redeemed by its Owner in accordance with the provisions of Section 7.5 above; or
 - 7.6.3. transport the Dog to a facility capable of longer care at which time shall assume ownership of the Dog and shall do as the facility see best.
- 7.7. Where a Dog has been impounded, if in the opinion of a Registered Veterinarian or a Peace Officer, a Dog:
- 7.7.1. should be euthanized for humane reasons;
 - 7.7.2. is feral and without identification;
- a Registered Veterinarian may immediately proceed to humanely euthanize the Dog.
- 7.8. No action shall be taken against any person, including a Peace Officer or Registered Veterinarian, acting under the authority of this Bylaw for damages or disposal of a Dog, in accordance with the provisions of this Bylaw.

8. OFFENCES & PENALTIES

- 8.1. Any person who contravenes any provision of this Bylaw is guilty of an offence and is liable upon summary conviction, to a specified penalty for that offence as set out in Schedule "B" to this Bylaw.

- 8.2. Notwithstanding section 8.1 of this Bylaw, any person who commits a second or subsequent offence under this Bylaw within ONE (1) year of committing a first offence under this Bylaw, is liable upon summary conviction to double the fine as set out in Schedule “B” of this Bylaw, for that offence.
- 8.3. Under no circumstances shall a person contravening any provision of this Bylaw be subject to the penalty of imprisonment.
- 8.4. Upon conviction of a person for an offence under this Bylaw, a Court may, in addition to any fine imposed for the offence, impose a separate penalty, payable to the Town within a time limit to be established by the Court, for any fee, costs, rate, toll or charge incurred by the Town as a result of the conduct giving rise to the offence.
- 8.5. Amounts subject to the separate penalty under subsection 8.4 shall include but are not limited to:
 - 8.5.1. Costs of veterinarian services, including medication and laboratory testing, incurred in relation to an impounded animal;
 - 8.5.2. Impoundment fees, costs and charges;
 - 8.5.3. Costs of repairs or replacement of damaged municipal property,
 - 8.5.4. Fees, charges or costs associated with any searches or inquiries necessary for the purpose of determining whether an offence has been committed or for the identification of the person responsible for that offence.

9. VIOLATION TAGS

- 9.1. A Peace Officer is hereby authorized and empowered to issue Violation Tags to any person who the Peace Officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe has contravened any provision of this Bylaw.
- 9.2. A Violation Tag may be issued to such person:
 - 9.2.1. either personally; or
 - 9.2.2. by mailing copies, via registered mail, to such person at their last know postal address.
- 9.3. A Violation Tag shall be in a form approved by the CAO of the Town and shall state:
 - 9.3.1. the name of the person;
 - 9.3.2. the offence;
 - 9.3.3. the appropriate penalty for the offence as specified in Schedule “B” of this Bylaw;

9.3.4. that the penalty shall be paid within fourteen (14) day of the issuance of the Violation Tag; and

9.3.5. any information as may be required by the Town.

9.4. Where a Violation Tag has been issued pursuant to this Bylaw, the person to whom the Violation Tag is issued may in lieu of prosecution of the offence, pay to the Town the specified penalty as set out on the Violation Tag.

9.5. Nothing in this Bylaw shall prevent a Peace Officer from immediately issuing a Violation Ticket.

10. VIOLATION TICKETS

10.1. In those cases where a Violation Tag has been issued and the penalty specified on the Violation Tag has not been paid within the prescribed time, a Peace Officer is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a Violation Ticket.

10.2. Notwithstanding section 9.1 and 10.1, a Peace Officer is authorized and empowered to immediately issue a Violation Ticket to any person who the Peace Officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe is responsible for a contravention of this Bylaw.

10.3. A Violation Ticket issued with respect to a contravention of this Bylaw shall be served upon the person responsible for the contravention in accordance with the *Provincial Offences Procedure Act*.

10.4. The person to whom the Violation Ticket has been issued may plead guilty by making a voluntary payment in respect of the Summons by delivering to the Provincial Court, on or before the initial appearance date, the Violation Ticket together with an amount equal to the specified penalty for the offence as provided for in Schedule "B" to this Bylaw.

10.5. When a Clerk of the Provincial Court records the receipt of a voluntary payment pursuant to section 10.4 and the *Provincial Offences Procedure Act*, the act of recording constitutes acceptance of a fine in the amount of the specified penalty.

11. SEVERABILITY PROVISION

11.1. It is the intention of the Town Council that each separate provision of this Bylaw shall be deemed independent of all other provisions, and it is further the intention of Town Council that of any provision of their Bylaw be declared invalid, that provision shall be deemed to be severed and all other provision of the Bylaw shall remain in force and effect.

12. **REPEAL OF BYLAWS**

12.1. Bylaw # 625 and any amendments are hereby repealed upon the final passing of this bylaw.

READ a first time in Council this 15th day of March, 2010.

READ a second time in Council this 6th day of April, 2010.

READ a third and final time in Council this 6th day of April, 2010.



Mayor



Chief Administrative Officer

Bylaw 762
Schedule "A"
License Fees

Annual License Fee:

Dog: Unaltered	\$20.00
Altered	\$10.00

Replacement Tag Fee: \$ 5.00

Lifetime License Fee Effective January 1, 2011

Dog: Unaltered	\$80.00
Altered	\$40.00

License Fee for Vicious Dog: annual only \$80.00

Impound Fee \$25.00 per day

Annual tags, regardless when they are purchased in the calendar year, are valid only for the calendar year in which they are issued.

**Dog Control Bylaw 762
Schedule B - Penalties**

Section No.	Offence	Mimimum Penalty Specified	Mimimum Penalty Specified 2nd	Violation Ticket 1st Offence	Violation Ticket 2nd Offence
3.1	failure to license	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
3.3	failure to renew	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
3.6	transfer of license dog to dog	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
3.7	failure to wear a license	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
4.1	more than 3 dogs	Letter warning	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$150.00
5.1	dog at large	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
5.2	barking	Letter warning	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$150.00
5.3	dog that injures a person	\$200.00	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$600.00
5.4	dog that injures another animal	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$400.00
5.5	damage to public or private property	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$400.00
5.6	failure to remove defecation from property other than owners	\$50.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$200.00
5.7	maintance of dog defecation on owners property	Letter warning	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$150.00
5.8	female dog in estrus	Letter warning	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$150.00
5.9	unties or loosens a dog	\$100.00	\$150.00	\$200.00	\$300.00
5.10	interference with a Bylaw Officer	\$500.00	\$750.00	\$750.00	\$1,500.00
5.11	teasing, tormenting or harming a dog	\$100.00	\$150.00	\$200.00	\$300.00
5.12	dog upsetting garbage can	\$50.00	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$100.00
5.13	dog on premise where no dog allowed signs	\$50.00	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$100.00
5.14	dog disturbing public property	\$50.00	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$100.00
6.1.1	vicious dog	Letter of declaration			
6.1.2	vicious dog	Letter of declaration			
6.7.1	failure to maintain insurance policy	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 700.00
6.7.2	failure to license vicious dog	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 700.00
6.7.3	failure to muzzle vicious dog	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 700.00
6.7.4	failure to confine vicious dog	\$ 500.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 1,000.00
6.7.5	failure to post at all entrances	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 700.00

BYLAW 867

BEING A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF REDWATER IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO AMEND BYLAWS 762 THE DOG CONTROL BYLAW AND BYLAW 763 THE TRAFFIC SAFETY BYLAW AS IT RELATES TO THE APPOINTMENT OF A BYLAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER.

WHEREAS, under the authority of the *Municipal Government Act*, being Chapter M-26 as amended or repealed and replaced from time to time, authorizes a Municipality to amend or revise any of its bylaws or any one or more provisions of them.

NOWTHEREFORE, the Council of the Town of Redwater, duly assembled, hereby enacts the following:

1. That **Bylaw 762**, the Dog Control Bylaw, be amended by correcting Section 2.15.3. to read:

2.15.3. a Bylaw Enforcement Officer who is appointed by the C.A.O. of the Town of Redwater.
2. That **Bylaw 763** the Traffic Safety Bylaw be amended by correcting Section 2.19.4. to read:



2.19.4. a Bylaw Enforcement Officer who is appointed by the C.A.O. of the Town of Redwater.

This Bylaw shall come into full force and effect upon the day it receives third and final reading by Council

Read a first time this 21st day of May, 2019.

Read a second time this 21st day of May, 2019.

Read a third time and finally passed this 21st day of May, 2019.


MAYOR

TOWN MANAGER