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<u>BY-LAW # 94</u>

NON SMOKING AT/ON VILLAGE OF NEW MINAS RECREATION FACILITIES BY-LAW

(A By-law prohibiting smoking at or on outdoor Village-owned and/or Village-operated recreational facilities)

Authority

The Council of the Municipality of the County of Kings under the authority vested in it by the *Municipal Government Act*, Section 172 (1) (a), (b), (c) and (d), does hereby enact as follows:

- 1. This By-law shall be known as the "Non Smoking at or on Village of New Minas Recreation Facilities By-law".
- 2. This By-law shall apply within the boundaries of the Village of New Minas.

Interpretation

In this By-law,

"Smoke" means the act of smoking tobacco, including smoking a cigarette, cigar or pipe, as evidenced by the giving-off of tobacco smoke. In absence of evidence to the contrary, where smoke is given off from a cigarette, cigar, or pipe, it shall be presumed that the substance being smoked is tobacco.

"Village" means the Village of New Minas.

"Village-owned and/or Village-operated Recreational Facilities" means walking trails, fields, playgrounds, parks, ice-rinks and all manner of similar properties or facilities owned and/or operated by the Village of New Minas.

General Prohibition

No person shall smoke on any Village-owned or Village-operated outdoor recreational facility.

Offences and Penalties

Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with Section 3 of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not less than \$50 and not exceeding \$200 for a first offence and a fine of not less than \$100 and not more than \$300 for a second or subsequent offence.

History of this By-law

Enacted - September 1, 2009