

The Corporation of the Township of
Algonquin Highlands
By-Law 2025-25

Being a By-law to Amend Dog Control By-law 2024-18

(Dog Control By-law Amendment)

Whereas Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands enacted By-law 2024-18 to regulate the Keeping and Control of Dogs within the Township of Algonquin Highlands on the 5th day of September 2024.

As Whereas it is deemed necessary to amend By-law No. 2024-18, being the By-law to regulate the keeping and control of dogs within the Township of Algonquin Highlands.

Now Therefore the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands enacts as follows:

1. By amending Section 2 – Definitions adding the following definition:

2.22 **Administrative Monetary Penalty System:** means a monetary penalty imposed for a contravention of a Designated By-law and as set out in Township's Administrative Monetary Penalty System (AMPS) By-law, as amended.

2. By amending the following Sections by deleting:

Section 10 - Administrative Penalties

10.1 An Officer who finds that a person has contravened any provision of this by-law may issue a penalty notice addressed to that person.

10.2 Any person who contravenes any provision of this by-law shall, upon issuance of a penalty notice pursuant to Section 10.1, is liable to pay to the Township an administrative penalty in the amount of \$100.00 dollars.

10.3 The penalty notice shall be given to the person to whom or to which it is addressed as soon as is reasonably practicable and shall include the following information:

- a) particulars of the contravention, including to which property it applies;
- b) the amount of the administrative penalty; and
- c) a statement advising that an administrative penalty will constitute a debt to the Township.

10.4 A person who has been issued a penalty notice shall pay the administrative penalty within fifteen (15) days from the date the notice was issued.

10.5 An administrative penalty that is deemed to be confirmed constitutes a debt to the Township and may be added to the tax roll of the Owners' property.

And replacing with:

Section 10 – Administrative Monetary Penalties

10.1 Every Person who contravenes a provision of this By-law shall upon the issuing of a Penalty Notice under Township’s Administrative Monetary System By-law, as amended, is liable to pay the Township an Administrative Monetary Penalty.

Read a First, Second and Third time and passed this 20th day of March 2025.



Mayor Liz Danielsen



Clerk/Deputy CAO Dawn Newhook