

— TOWNSHIP OF —
ASHFIELD - COLBORNE - WAWANOSH

**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
ASHFIELD-COLBORNE-WAWANOSH**

By-Law No. 15-2009

BEING A BY-LAW TO AMEND SCHEDULE "C" OF BY-LAW 12-2001
BEING THE SCHEDULE FOR "STANDARDS OF OPERATING A BREEDING
AND/OR BOARDING KENNEL" FOR DOGS WITHIN
THE TOWNSHIP OF ASHFIELD-COLBORNE-WAWANOSH.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh deems it expedient to amend Schedule "C" of by-law 12-2001 being the "Standards of Operating a Breeding and/or Boarding Kennel" for dogs within the Township.

NOW THEREFORE the Corporation of the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh ENACTS as follows;

PART 6-KENNEL LICENSE

A license to operate a Breeding Kennel may be issued.


A license to operate a Boarding & Breeding Kennel may be issued, subject to the following conditions:

- 6.1 Adequate, properly-confining and sanitary facilities are provided as per Schedule 'C' attached hereto;
- 6.2 The total number of animals allowed in a kennel may be restricted at the discretion of the Animal Control Officer.
- 6.3 Kennel premises may be inspected at any time, before a license is issued or renewed or upon receipt of specific complaints by the municipality. Such inspections are to be carried out by the Animal Control Officer or other person designated by Council;
- 6.4 If a Kennel operator fails to maintain the required standards or is guilty of an infraction under any part of this by-law, he may be required to appear before Council or a committee thereof and give acceptable assurance that he can and will maintain proper standards in future. Failure to provide such assurance could result in cancellation of his license under this part;
- 6.5 In the event of a dispute concerning Part 6.4 a veterinarian shall be consulted and his decision will be binding.

Read a **FIRST** and **SECOND** time this 7th day of April 2009.

Read a **THIRD TIME** and **FINALLY PASSED** this 7th day of April 2009.


Reeve, Ben Van Diepenbeek


Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer, Mark Becker

SCHEDULE "C"
BY-LAW No. 15-2009

STANDARDS OF OPERATING A BREEDING AND/OR BOARDING KENNEL

Part 1 – EACH RUN.

- 1.1 a) is at least 2.5 feet (.075 metres) wide, a minimum of 6 feet (1.8 metres) high and at least 15 square feet (1.35 square metres) in area.
- b) for dogs under 26.5 pounds (12 kilograms), and situated in a kennel which is completely in an enclosed separate building, the minimum height for interior walls shall be 39 inches (1 metre) in height.
- 1.1 has a floor of solid (no slatted floors), readily sanitized and fluid-impervious materials, or
- 1.2 is,
 - a) enclosed by walls or solid, readily sanitized and fluid-impervious material, or
 - b) surrounded by partitions in which solid, readily sanitized and fluid-impervious material extends from the floor for at least 4 feet (or 1.2 metres) and, above the solid material, other material that will prevent an animal confined in the run from escaping extends to a height of at least 6 feet (or 1.8 metres) above the floor,
- 1.3 is constructed so that liquid cannot escape or pass to another run except through a drain, or a drainage channel leading directly to a drain, which is inaccessible to another animal in the run,
- 1.4 has a door which does not open onto another dog run.

PART 2 – EACH RUN

- 2.1 is well constructed and secure,
- 2.2 is well ventilated,
- 2.3 is properly drained.