

CITY OF BURNABY

BYLAW NO. 9884

A BYLAW to encourage water conservation

The Council of the City of Burnaby ENACTS as follows:

1. This Bylaw may be cited as BURNABY WATERWORKS REGULATION BYLAW 1953, AMENDMENT BYLAW 1993.

2. Burnaby Waterworks Regulation Bylaw 1953 is amended by adding thereto, immediately following section 11, the following section:

"11.1 Schedule "B" containing restrictions on water usage called "Sprinkling Restrictions" is deemed to form part of this Bylaw."

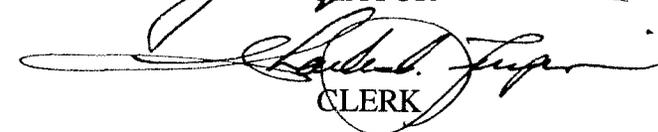
3. The said Bylaw is further amended by adding thereto the Schedule "B" hereto attached.

Read a first time this 10th day of MAY 1993

Read a second time this 10th day of MAY 1993

Read a third time this 10th day of MAY 1993

RECONSIDERED AND ADOPTED THIS 17th day MAY 1993


MAYOR

CLERK

SCHEDULE "B"

SPRINKLING RESTRICTIONS

1. Definitions

In this Schedule,

- (a) "GVWD" means Greater Vancouver Water District;
- (b) "newspaper" means a publication or local periodical that
 - (i) contains items of news and advertising, and
 - (ii) is distributed at least weekly in the City;
- (c) "sprinkle or sprinkling" means the application or distribution of water on lawns or boulevards by sprinkling or spraying but does not include the method known as "drip irrigation";
- (d) "water" means water supplied by the City;
- (e) "WSRP" means the Water Shortage Response Plan prepared by GVWD, a copy of which is available for viewing at the office of the Commissioner of GVWD at 4330 Kingsway, Burnaby, B.C., V5H 4G8, or at the office of the City of Burnaby at 4949 Canada Way, Burnaby, B.C. V5G 1M2

2. Prohibition

2.1 Between the last Saturday of May and September 30th in each year no person shall sprinkle or allow sprinkling except in compliance with the provisions of this Bylaw.

3. Sprinkling Restrictions

3.1 If the Commissioner of GVWD advises the City in writing that in accordance with the WSRP a reduction in water use is necessary requiring Stage II restrictions under the WSRP, no person shall sprinkle or allow sprinkling except at premises

- (a) with even numbered civic addresses on Wednesdays and Saturdays between the hours of 4:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. and between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., and
- (b) with odd numbered civic addresses on Thursdays and Sundays between the hours of 4:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. and between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m..

3.2 If the Commissioner of GVWD advises the City in writing that in accordance with the WSRP a reduction in water use is necessary requiring Stage III restrictions under the WSRP, no person shall

- (a) sprinkle or allow sprinkling except at premises
 - (i) with even numbered civic addresses on Wednesdays between the hours of 4:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. and between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., and
 - (ii) with odd numbered civic addresses on Thursdays between the hours of 4:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. and between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.;
- (b) utilize a hose to wash down or hose roofs, sidewalks or driveways;

- (c) wash motor vehicles with a hose unless the hose is equipped with a shut off device that is spring loaded and operates by using hand pressure.

3.3 If the Commissioner of GVWD advises the City in writing that in accordance with the WSRP a reduction in water use is necessary requiring Stage IV restrictions under the WSRP, no person shall

- (a) sprinkle or allow sprinkling at any time;
- (b) utilize a hose to wash down or hose roofs, sidewalks or driveways;
- (c) at any time water or spray any trees, shrubs, flowers or vegetables (except for large gardens forming part of apartment, townhouse or other multi-dwelling premises and commercial buildings where hand watering is impractical) or wash motor vehicles with a hose unless such spraying, watering or washing is done by way of a hand held container or hose equipped with a shut off device that is spring loaded and operates by using hand pressure.

3.4 The provisions of sections 3.1 to 3.3 inclusive do not apply to a person who has a valid and subsisting permit issued under section 5.1 or to the class of water users exempted in section 6.1.

4. Notice

4.1 Sufficient notice of the restrictions set out in section 3 of this Bylaw or in any change or revocation thereof shall be deemed to have been given by an announcement made on behalf of the City through a radio or television station broadcasting in the area of the City or by one publication in a newspaper not less than 72 hours prior to the commencement, change or revocation of the restrictions.

5. Permits

5.1 A person who has installed a new lawn, either by placing sod or turf or by seeding, or who has installed new landscaping on a substantial part of the outdoor portion of premises may apply to the City for a permit that will entitle the permittee to sprinkle at any time during the currency of the permit.

5.2 A permit issued under section 5.1 shall be valid for a period of 21 days after the date of its issue and shall be conspicuously displayed at the premises for which it was issued.

5.3 After the expiration of a permit issued under section 5.1 a person may apply for and obtain one subsequent permit under section 5.1.

6. Exemptions

6.1 This Schedule does not apply to nurseries, farms or golf courses.