

The Town of Snow Lake

By-Law No. 922/13

A By-law of the Town of Snow Lake to prohibit smoking
in certain outdoor locations

WHEREAS 232 (1) of the Manitoba Municipal Act, "a council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters: the safety, health, protection and well-being of people, and the safety and protection of property; AND WHEREAS tobacco smoke is a known carcinogen with negative health consequences, including an increased risk of cardiovascular and respiratory disease;

NOW THEREFORE THE Town of Snow Lake, in Council assembled,
enacts as follows:

1. In this By-law

"Athletic field" means any outdoor space used for athletic or sporting activities that is:

- (a) Owned by the Town of Snow Lake; or
- (b) Operated by the Town of Snow Lake;

and includes a soccer pitch, baseball or softball diamond, and football field;

"Town of Snow Lake workplace" means any building, portion of a building or other location owned or leased by the Town of Snow Lake and used as a place of work by one or more employees of the Town of Snow Lake;" This would include the Town Office, Community Hall, Curling Rink, Arena, Public Works Garage, Water/Sewer Plant, Fire Hall, Lift Stations and Landfill Office.

"hockey rink" means an outdoor ice surface designed for playing hockey or for recreational skating that is owned by the Town of Snow Lake or is operated by the Town of Snow Lake;

"playground" means any outdoor space owned or operated by the Town of Snow Lake that has been set aside for public use and includes places that contains swings, slides, see-saws, climbing apparatuses, or similar equipment;

2. Prohibition

No person shall smoke

- (a) subject to subsection 3(3), within 10 metres (32 feet) of the playing surface of an athletic field or a hockey rink.
- (b) on a playground;
- (c) subject to subsection 3(3), within 10 metres (32 feet) of a swimming area, owned or operated by the Town of Snow Lake;
- (d) within 10 metres (32 feet) from an outdoor entrance providing direct access to a Town of Snow Lake workplace.
- (e) within a Town of Snow Lake workplace

The prohibitions in clauses 3(1) (a) and 3(1) (c) do not apply to property that is not owned or operated by the Town of Snow Lake.

3. Penalties

(1) A person who contravenes Section 2 is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction;

(a) for a first offence, to a fine of not less than \$100 and not more than \$500;

(b) for a second offence, to a fine of not less than \$200 and not more than \$700; and

(c) for a third or subsequent offence, to a fine of not less than \$300 and not more than \$1000.

DONE AND PASSED, this day of, 2013.



Mayor



Administrator

READ a first time this 16th day of July, A.D., 2013.

READ a second time this 6th day of August, A.D., 2013.

READ a third time this 6th day of August A.D., 2013.