

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF HAWKESBURY

BY-LAW N° 124-96

Being a by-law respecting dog waste

WHEREAS the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.45, s. 102, authorizes the Council of a municipality to pass such by-laws and make such regulations for the health, safety, morality and welfare of the inhabitants of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Act, R.S.O 1990, c. M.45, s. 210(9) requires an owner of a dog to remove forthwith excrement left by the dog anywhere in the municipality;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Hawkesbury enacts as follows:

1. That this by-law may be cited as The Stoop and Scoop By-law.
2. That any person having control of an animal shall remove forthwith any faeces left by the animal in the Town of Hawkesbury,
 - a) on a highway,
 - b) in a public park,
 - c) on any public property and
 - d) on any private property.
3. That any person having control of a dog, shall have in his/her possession the necessary equipment to proceed immediately with the removal of any faeces.
4. That provisions of this by-law shall not apply to a blind person accompanied by a dog serving as a guide or leader.
5. That any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this by-law is guilty of an offence, and is liable, upon conviction, to a fine recoverable under the Provincial Offences Act.

**READ A FIRST, SECOND AND ADOPTED UPON THIRD READING
THIS 16th DAY OF DECEMBER 1996.**

Clerk or Acting Clerk

Mayor or Reeve