

# CITY OF WHITEHORSE

## BYLAW 93-54

A bylaw to regulate the use of skateboards within the City of Whitehorse.  
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WHEREAS subject to the *Motor Vehicles Act*, the *Motor Transport Act* and the *Highways Act* and the regulations made thereunder, Council may pass bylaws for classifying vehicles for any and all purposes involving the use of highways and other public places, and for preventing or restricting, controlling and regulating any other use of the highways and other public places or any portion thereof by or for vehicles or any particular class of vehicle; and

WHEREAS Council deems it necessary to regulate the use of skateboards within the City of Whitehorse;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of the City of Whitehorse in open meeting assembled, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

SHORT TITLE:

1. This bylaw may be cited as the "**Skateboard Bylaw**".

DEFINITIONS:

2. In this bylaw:
  - (1) "Central Business District" means the area bounded on the north by the northern street line of Wood Street, on the east by the eastern street line of First Avenue, on the south by the southern street line of Elliott Street, and on the west by the western street line of Fifth Avenue;
  - (2) "Officer" means a bylaw enforcement officer employed by the City of Whitehorse and includes a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police;
3. No person shall use or operate a skateboard within the Central Business District of the City of Whitehorse without the express and written permission of the property owner.
4. An officer may seize and impound any skateboard being used or operated contrary to the provisions of this bylaw.

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5. Any skateboard impounded pursuant to section 4 of this bylaw shall:
  - (1) upon first offence be returned to the owner, provided the owner is known, after the expiration of thirty (30) days following the date of impoundment; and
  - (2) upon any subsequent offence, be forfeited and disposed of by public auction.
6. Upon request from any owner of property within the City of Whitehorse, Council may by resolution designate an area where operation of a skateboard is prohibited.
7. This bylaw shall come into full force and effect upon the final passing thereof.

**READ** a first and second time this 9th day of August, 1993.

**READ** a third time and finally **PASSED** this 23rd day of August, 1993.

ORIGINAL BYLAW SIGNED BY:

Mayor: "W. J. Weigand"

City Clerk: "S. Bruce Peever"