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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:	**Marc Lemoine** City Clerks	**FROM:**	**Angela Czarnecki** Legal Services
FILE:	G.1/2022(65)	**DATE:**	January 6, 2023

RE: Responsible Pet Ownership By-law No. 92/2013 – Technical Amendment

Please find attached the above-referenced By-law amendment.

A report was approved by Council on November 25, 2021 (Minute No. 27), which consequentially amended Schedule B of the Responsible Pet Ownership By-law No. 92/2013, as follows:

1. That the draft amending by-law be enacted, attached as Appendix A, which includes a new Schedule A to the Municipal By-law Enforcement Act Enabling By-law and several consequential amendments to other by-laws, and that these amendments come into effect 30 days after enactment.

Appendix B of amending By-law No. 103/2021 indicates that Schedule B of the Responsible Pet Ownership By-law No. 92/2013 is amended so that the provisions have either the incorrect dollar amounts or no dollar amounts for "Preset Fine ($)" and "Early Payment Discount", as follows:

SCHEDULE "B" TO
THE RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP BY-LAW

Specified Fine Provisions
Enforceable through The Provincial Offences Act

Provision	Contravention Summary	Preset Fine ($)	Early Payment Discount	Minimum Fine
4(1)(i)	Fail to prevent dog from injuring person or animal	200	100	N/A
18(1)(g)	Fail to prevent cat from injuring person or animal	N/A	N/A	N/A

The Animal Services Agency has advised that the "Present Fine" and "Early Payment Discount" columns were intended to state "N/A" for both provisions and the "Minimum Fine" was intended to state "$350" for both provisions, so that the amended Schedule B should be as follows:

SCHEDULE "B" TO
THE RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP BY-LAW

Specified Fine Provisions
Enforceable through The Provincial Offences Act

Provision	Contravention Summary	Preset Fine ($)	Early Payment Discount	Minimum Fine
4(1)(i)	Fail to prevent dog from injuring person or animal	N/A	N/A	350
18(1)(g)	Fail to prevent cat from injuring person or animal	N/A	N/A	350

A simple data input error occurred when the chart was being filled in along with many others. As a result, we believe that it would be appropriate for this error to be corrected by way of a technical amendment.

Please place the within By-law before Council for reading at its meeting scheduled for January 26, 2023. An electronic copy of the By-law has been provided by my assistant to Jennifer Ridge and Lorraine King via email.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me.



Angela Czarnecki
Solicitor

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Enclosure