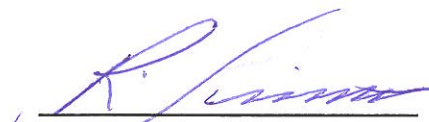



PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

Pursuant to the authority conferred by sections 202(c) (iii) and 270 of the City of Mount Pearl Act, RSNL 1990, Chapter C-16, as amended, the following regulations have been made by the City Council of the City of Mount Pearl and amended on the 14th day of July 2015.

In accordance with Section 39 Notice of Motion to adopt amendments to the regulations was given at the City's regular Public Council meeting held on the 30th day of June 2015.



Randy Simms
Mayor



Michele Peach
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Chief Administrative Officer

BICYCLE, SCOOTER, SKATEBOARD AND SIMILAR OBJECTS REGULATIONS

Short Title

1. These regulations may be cited as the City of Mount Pearl Bicycle, Scooter, Skateboard and Similar Objects Regulations.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Act" means the City of Mount Pearl Act, Chapter C-16, RSNL 1990 as amended;
 - (b) "Council" means the Council as defined by the Act;
 - (c) "bicycle, scooter, skateboard or similar object" means any device propelled on wheels by human power;
 - (d) "helmet" means a helmet that is designed for bicycle use and is approved by the Canadian Standards Association, the Snell Memorial Foundation or the American National Standards Institute;
 - (e) "street" means any street, alley, boulevard, bridge, court, lane, park, sidewalk, square or any other way designed or intended for public use for the passage of motor vehicles and/or pedestrians and any part of any of them open to public use.

Helmet Required

3. No person shall ride or operate a bicycle, scooter, skateboard or similar object on a street unless that person is wearing a helmet and the chinstrap of the helmet is fastened under the person's chin.
4. A person is exempted from section 3 if he or she:
 - (a) is a member of a religious community who, in accordance with his or her beliefs, is required to wear religious headwear; or
 - (b) cannot wear a bicycle helmet for medical reasons and has provided the City with written confirmation of same from a licensed physician.
5. No parent or guardian of a person under the age of sixteen shall authorize or knowingly permit that person to ride on or operate a bicycle, scooter, skateboard or similar object on a street unless that person is wearing a bicycle helmet as required by section 3.

Enforcement

6. These regulations may be enforced by the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, a municipal enforcement officer, a peace officer or any other person appointed by the Council.
7. Pursuant to section 438 of the Act, every person who contravenes or fails to comply with any of the provisions of these regulations is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

Coming into Effect

8. These regulations shall come into effect on the 14th day of July, 2015.

Publication and Copy to Minister

9. These regulations were published in The Telegram on the 1st day of August, 2015 and gazetted on the 7th day of August, 2015.
10. A copy of these regulations was sent to the Minister of Municipal and Intergovernmental Affairs on the 31st day of July, 2015.

Repeal of Previous Regulations and Amendments

11. All previous City of Mount Pearl Bicycle, Scooter, Skateboard and Similar Objects Regulations and amendments are repealed.