THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COBOURG



BY-LAW NUMBER 023-2015

A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW NUMBER 021-2014 BEING A BY-LAW FOR THE LICENSING AND REGISTRATION OF DOGS; FOR THE REGULATION OF DOGS AND FOR PROHIBITING THE RUNNING AT LARGE OF ANIMALS WITHIN THE TOWN OF COBOURG.

WHEREAS pursuant to the *Municipal Act*, 2001, Section 11 as amended, municipalities have the authority to pass by-laws with respect to animals; and

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg deems it advisable to pass a by-law for the licencing, registration and for the regulation of dogs within the Town of Cobourg limits;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg authorized an amendment to By-law No. 021-2014 at a Committee of the Whole meeting held on March 9, 2015, and deems it advisable to amend the By-law to provide for an exemption to the Dog Tag fee for certified St. John Ambulance Therapy Dogs;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of The Corporation of Cobourg hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. That the following definition be added to the By-law:
 - 1. DEFINITIONS

"St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog" shall mean any dog that is trained, certified and registered by St. John Ambulance as a 'St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog'.

- 2. THAT the following exemption be added to the By-law:
 - 2.13 Dog tags are required for "St. John Ambulance Therapy Dogs" however the payment of the dog tag fee will be waived for "Certified St. John Ambulance Therapy Dogs" who are housed by their owners in the Town of Cobourg.
- THAT this By-law shall come into force and effect upon the final passing hereof.

READ a first, second and third time and finally passed in Open Council this 16^{th} day of March , 2015.

MUNICIPAL CLERK