

THE CITY OF OWEN SOUND'S REGULATORY BY-LAWS

ADULT ENTERTAINMENT PARLOURS By-law No. 1996-138

Purpose: To licence, regulate, govern, classify and inspect adult entertainment parlours.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Police Services

ANIMALS, KEEPING OF CERTAIN ANIMALS By-law No. 1997-089

Purpose: To prohibit and regulate the keeping of certain animals.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

APPLIANCES, HAZARDOUS TO CHILDREN By-law No. 1825

Purpose: To prohibit the keeping of ice boxes, refrigerators or similar appliances under conditions hazardous to children.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

BICYCLES AND MOTOR VEHICLES, PROHIBITED By-law No. 1990-123

Purpose: To Prohibit motor vehicles and bicycles on 17th Street East hill walkway
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

BUILDING By-law No. 1994-069

Purpose: To regulate the issuance of building permits related matters
Authority: Ontario Building Code
Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

BUILDINGS & YARDS, IN SAFE CONDITION By-law No. 1974-15

Purpose: To require buildings and yards be put in a safe condition to guard against fire or other dangerous risk or accident
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

BUSINESS LICENSING By-law No. 2001-007

Purpose: To licence certain businesses and public halls.
Authority: Municipal Act/Public Halls Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

CATS, CONTROL By-law No. 1991-055

Purpose: To register, regulate and control cats
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Animal Control

CEMETERY, REGULATIONS By-law No. 1993-032

Purpose: To control, regulate and manage Greenwood Cemetery
Authority: Cemeteries Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

DOGS, CONTROL By-law No. 1993-132

Purpose: To licence, regulate and control dogs
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Animal Control/By-law Enforcement

DRAINING, CELLARS, SINKS, CESSPOOLS AND SEPTIC TANKS By-law No. 1318

Purpose: To prohibit draining into open ditches
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-Law Enforcement

DRAINS, DISCONNECT ROOF DRAINS By-law No. 1975-15

Purpose: To prohibit roof-drains connecting into sanitary sewers.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

ENTRY, PROHIBIT UNLAWFUL By-law No. 1985-89

Purpose: To prohibit entry on certain municipal premises and for the removal or arrest of persons in contravention
Authority: Trespass to Property Act
Enforced by By-Law Enforcement/Police Services

ENTRY, UPON ADJOINING LS By-law No. 1993-019

Purpose: To allow an owner of a building, fence or other structure to enter an adjoining property for the purpose of making repairs, alterations, or improvements to their property
Authority: Municipal Act

EXTENDED PARKING By-law No. 1997-125

Purpose: To permit and regulate the use of self-contained vehicles during fishing derbies and licence private lots for extended parking
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

FENCING, OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS By-law No. 1982-78

Purpose: To require owners to fence privately-owned outdoor swimming pools.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building/By-law Enforcement

FIRE ARMS By-law No. 1995-119

Purpose: To prohibit & regulate the discharge of guns, other firearms, air-guns, spring guns, cross-bows and long-bows for public safety.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

FIRE, OPEN AIR BURNING By-law No. 1997-075

Purpose: To set times during which fires can be set in open air and precautions to be taken by persons setting fires and setting fees for fire permits.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Fire Department/Police Services

FIRE ROUTE By-law No. 1987-14

Purpose: To designate private roadways as fire routes prohibit parking or leaving of vehicles in these locations.
Authority: Ontario Building Code/Fire Safety Code
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Fire Department/Police Services

FIRE WORKS By-law No. 2748

Purpose: To regulate the sale of fireworks and stipulate the days when fireworks may be set-off.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

GARBAGE, DISPOSAL By-law No. 1993-082

Purpose: To regulate the collection and disposal of garbage, refuse, tires, ashes recyclable materials
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Operations Department

HEAT By-law No. 3485

Purpose: To require adequate and suitable heat for rented dwellings where the landlord pays for the heat.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

HELMUT USE By-law No. 2003-126

Purpose: To promote safety by requiring the use of helmets for people under the age of 18 when skateboarding, rollerblading or riding scooters in City Parks
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

LOTTERY LICENSING By-law No.1994-079

Purpose: To licence charitable or religious organizations to conduct and manage lottery schemes.
Authority: Order-In-Council
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

MOBILE HOME PARKS By-law No.3568

Purpose: To regulate and licence mobile home parks in the City.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department

MOBILE SOUND EQUIPMENT By-law No.1977-64

Purpose: To licence, regulate and govern owners and operators of sound equipment.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

MOVING, BUILDINGS By-law No.1978-49

Purpose: To regulate the moving of buildings and authorize the issuing permits for moving buildings.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department

MOVING, LARGE OBJECTS By-law No.1983-22

Purpose: To authorize the issuing permits to move large objects, other than buildings, in the City
Authority: Highway Traffic Act
Enforced by Building Department

MUD TRACKING By-law No. 1989-132

Purpose: To regulate and control the tracking and depositing mud and other debris on City streets.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department

NOISE, FROM BOATS By-law No. 2322

Purpose: To prohibit noise from outboard motors that disturbs the inhabitants or creates a nuisance.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

NOISE, UNUSUAL/NOISES THAT DISTURB By-law No. 2001-034

Purpose: To prohibit and regulate unusual noises or noises likely to disturb the inhabitants.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

NUISANCES, PUBLIC By-law No. 1999-178

Purpose: To prohibit control public nuisances.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

PARKING, OFF-STREET FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES By-law No. 1993-018

Purpose: To require the owners of public accessible parking lots to provide designated parking spaces for vehicles with disabled permits and for prohibiting the use of these spaces by other vehicles
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Specially Appointed By-law Enforcement Officers

PARKING, ON PRIVATE PROPERTY By-law No. 1990-92

Purpose: To prohibit unauthorized parking of vehicles on private property.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Specially Appointed By-law Enforcement Officers

PARKS By-law No. 1992-014

Purpose: To regulate the maintenance and control of City parks.
Authority: Public Parks Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

PIGEONS By-law No. 2264

Purpose: To control strayed pigeons
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

PLUMBING, LICENSING REGULATING By-law No.2002-211

Purpose: To license, regulate and govern plumbing contractors, master and journeyman plumbers.
Authority: Building Code Act
Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

PROPERTY STANDARDS By-law No.1999-030

Purpose: To set standards for the maintenance and occupancy of property.
Authority: Building Code Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

SANITARY SEWER CONNECTION By-law No. 1978-83

Purpose: To require all building owners to install suitable toilet facilities and connect these facilities to the proper public sewer.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

SECOND HAND SHOPS/DEALERS By-law No. 1999-04 Police Services Board

Purpose: To license, regulate and govern salvage shops, second-h shops dealers.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Police Services

SEWER USE By-law No. 1992-117

Purpose: To regulate sewage discharge into City sewers.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

SIGNS By-law No. 1986-193

Purpose: To prohibit or regulate the erection of signs and other advertising devices.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

SMOKE ALARMS By-law No. 1991-100

Purpose: To require the installation of smoke alarms in residential occupancies.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Fire Department

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL By-law No. 1974-1

Purpose: To regulate the removal of snow and ice from streets buildings.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement

SNOW MACHINES By-law No. 1976-27

Purpose: To control the operation of motorized snow vehicles.
Authority: Motorized Snow Vehicles Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

STREETS USE By-law No. 1989-138

Purpose: To regulate the use of streets, preserve order and suppress nuisances.
Authority: Municipal Act
Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

STREET, TEMPORARY CLOSURE PERMISSION TO DO WORK ON By-law No. 1995-195

Purpose: To regulate and control the temporary closure of City streets and the issuance of permits for work on city streets.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement

STREET VENDING By-law No. 1995-126

Purpose: To license, regulate and govern street/outdoor vending.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement

SWIMMING, PROHIBIT IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS By-law No.1987-96

Purpose: To prohibit swimming, diving, bathing wading at the Mill Dam, Jubilee Bridge, 8th, 9th and 10th Street bridges.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

TAG DAYS By-law No. 1977-49 – is this still valid – i.e. Provincial legislation re squeegee kids

Purpose: To fix days when people organizations may solicit money on city streets.

Authority: Municipal Act ?

Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Police Services

TAXICABS By-law No. 97-1 Police Services Board

Purpose: To licence and regulate brokers, owners and drivers of taxicabs

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by Police Services

TOURIST HOMES By-law No.1996-001

Purpose: To licence, regulate and govern tourist homes.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement

TRAFFIC By-law No.2003-148

Purpose: To regulate parking and traffic.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement/Meter Department/Police Services

TREES By-law No.1994-020

Purpose: To regulate and control the management of city owned trees.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by Building Department/By-law Enforcement

WATER RESTRICTIONS By-law No.1988-106

Purpose: To regulate the supply and to prohibit wrongful use of water.

Authority: Public Utilities Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement

WATER, STANDING By-law No. 2003-118

Purpose: To regulate standing water for health, safety and the public's well being.

Authority: Municipal Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement

ZONING By-law No. 1985-80

Purpose: To prohibit or regulate the use of land, the location, size and type of buildings or structures, the density of development and to require parking facilities.

Authority: Planning Act

Enforced by By-law Enforcement