

Municipality of Brenda-Waskada
Province of Manitoba
By-Law #25-2017

Being a By-Law of the Municipality of Brenda-Waskada to regulate burning within the Municipality.

WHEREAS Section 232(1) of the Municipal Act provides that a Council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

- a) The safety, health, protection and well being of people and the safety and protection of property
- i) Preventing and fighting fires
- o) Enforcement of By-Laws

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of Brenda-Waskada in session assembled enacts as follows:

1. The Authority having jurisdiction means the Municipal Council (and duly appointed agents thereof)
2. Burning is permitted in the Municipality of Brenda-Waskada subject the following conditions and provisions of “The Fire Prevention Act” and Manitoba Burning of Crop Residue Regulations:
 - (a) To keep fires under control at all times
 - (b) To bear responsibility for all property damage which may result
 - (c) To fireguard the area as required under the terms of “The Fire Prevention Act”
 - (d) No fire to be set and left unattended
3. Council may, by resolution, ban all burning within the municipality if conditions exist where, in the opinion of Council, open fires are of extremely high risk. Council also delegates the authority to ban all burning in the Municipality to the Waskada and Area Fire Chief and / or the CAO.
4. That any person convicted of a violation or infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall upon conviction be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding \$500.00.
5. That any person convicted of a violation or infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall upon conviction will also be liable for the hourly rate associated with the fire department call and current municipal equipment custom rates as per attached Schedule A.

THAT this by-law shall come into force and take effect on the passing thereof.

DONE AND PASSED in Council assembled this _____ day of _____ 2017.

Head of Council

Municipal Administrator

Given first reading this 9th day of August 2017.

Given second reading this 13th day of September 2017.

Given third reading this 13th day of September 2017.