

Bill No. 103
2017

By-law No. PH-18-17_____

A By-law to amend By-law PH-18 entitled “A By-law to prohibit and regulate public nuisances within the City of London”

WHEREAS section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* S.O. 2001, c.25, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS section 9 of the *Municipal Act* provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS section 8 of the *Municipal Act* provides that the powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on municipalities to enable them to govern their affairs as they consider appropriate, and to enhance their ability to respond to municipal issues;

AND WHEREAS section 10 of the *Municipal Act* provides that a municipality may pass by-laws respecting: Economic, social and environmental well-being of the municipality; Health, safety and well-being of persons; Protection of persons and property; Structures, including fences and signs;

AND WHEREAS section 128 of the *Municipal Act* provides that, without limiting sections 9 and 10, a local municipality may prohibit and regulate with respect to public nuisances, including matters that, in the opinion of Council, are or could become or cause public nuisances, and the opinion of Council under this section, if arrived at in good faith, is not subject to review by any court;

AND WHEREAS, in the opinion of Council, nuisance parties are or could become or cause public nuisances;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London enacts as follows:

1. Section 1 of By-law PH-18 is amended by adding a new subsection (k) to the definition of “Nuisance Party”:

“(k) use of or entry upon a roof not intended for such occupancy;”

2. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on March 2, 2017.

Matt Brown
Mayor

Catharine Saunders
City Clerk

First Reading - March 2, 2017
Second Reading – March 2, 2017
Third Reading – March 2, 2017