

Bill No. 409
2021

By-law No. C.P.-1555()-__

A by-law to amend By-law No. C.P.-1555-252, being "A by-law to regulate the Injuring and Destruction of Trees and to encourage preservation and planting of Trees throughout the City of London" to change Civic Administration titles to reflect the current organizational structure and other housekeeping changes.

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

AND WHEREAS section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the *Municipal Act, 2001* or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS subsection 10(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality may provide any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable for the public;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 135(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, without limiting sections 9 and 10, a municipality may prohibit or regulate the destruction or injuring of trees;

AND WHEREAS the Council deems it appropriate to amend By-law C.P.-1555-252, being "A by-law to regulate the Injuring and Destruction of Trees and to encourage preservation and planting of Trees throughout the City of London" to change Civic Administration titles to reflect the current organizational structure and other housekeeping changes.

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

1. The Tree Protection By-law C.P.-1555-252, is amended as follows:
 - i) by deleting the definition of "City Engineer" and by replacing it with the following definition:
"City Engineer" means the Deputy City Manager, Environment and Infrastructure or their written designate"; and,
 - ii) by deleting all gender specific pronouns throughout the by-law and by replacing them with the appropriate gender neutral pronouns.
2. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council September 14, 2021

Ed Holder
Mayor

Catharine Saunders
City Clerk

First Reading – September 14, 2021
Second Reading – September 14, 2021
Third Reading – September 14, 2021