THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST LUTHER GRAND VALLEY BY-LAW 2002-20

A BY-LAW TO PROHIBIT SKATEBOARDS FROM SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PEDESTRIAN WALKWAYS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST LUTHER GRAND VALLEY

WHEREAS Section 207 Subsection 42 chap. M45 of the Municipal Act R.S.O. 1990 empowers municipalities to enact a by-laws prohibiting carriages, wagons, bicycles, sleighs and other motive power, or any particular kind of class of such vehicles or conveyances being upon, or being used, drawn hauled or propelled along or upon any sidewalk, pathway or footpath, used by or set apart for the use of pedestrians and forming part of any highway or bridge, boulevard or other means of public communication or being in or upon any highway, boulevard, park, park-lot garden or other place set apart for ornament or embellishment or for public recreation. R.S.O. 1980, C.302, S.208, par. 42; 1982, C24, S.9(2)

AND WHEREAS it has been deemed expedient to control the use and operation of skateboards in the urban section of the Township of East Luther Grand Valley.

NOW THEREFORE The Corporation of the Township of East Luther Grand Valley enacts as follows:

1. (A) "skateboard" shall mean a form of conveyance without self-propulsion consisting of any number of wheels attached to a surface which is designed to support the weight of a rider.

2. No person shall ride, propel, or use a skateboard or similar conveyance, in any manner along or upon,

(A) any sidewalk, pathway or footpath, used by or set apart for the use of pedestrians and forming part of any highway or bridge, boulevard or other means of public communication, or

(B) any highway, boulevard, park, park-lot, garden or other place set apart for ornament or embellishment or for public recreation.

3. This by-law shall apply to the areas shown enclosed within the heavy black lines on the map attached hereto as Schedule "A".

4. No person shall leave a skateboard or any similar conveyance lying on any of the places referred to in paragraph 2 herein, in any of the areas shown on Schedule "A" attached hereto such that it impedes or interferes with the flow of pedestrian traffic or with the entrance to or egress from a building.

5. This by-law shall not apply, or be deemed to apply to a wheelchair, regardless of the method of propulsion.

6. Any person who violates any provision of this by-law is guilty of an offence and is subject to a penalty not exceeding $100.00 exclusive of costs.

7. That By-law 99-16 is hereby repealed.

BY-LAW READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME THIS 12th DAY OF November, 2002

REEVE "John Oosterhof"
CLERK "Jane M. Wilson"

BY-LAW READ A THIRD TIME AND PASSED THIS 12th DAY OF November, 2002.
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