

BY-LAW NO. 41-01

OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF AYLMER

Being a By-law to regulate in-line skating,
rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboarding,
and the use of a scooter or bicycle in the
Town of Aylmer.

WHEREAS Council wishes to restrict in-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboards and the use of bicycles and scooters in certain areas of the Town of Aylmer under certain conditions in order to ensure the safety of pedestrians, users of the roadway, and participants in those sporting activities.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF AYLMER HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. For the purposes of this by-law:
 - a) "Occupier" includes a person who is in physical possession of premises and includes an owner of property;
 - b) "Rollerblades and in-line skates" are defined as boot-type footwear upon which a number of wheels are affixed to the centre of the length of the sole thereof in a single, straight line, and are laced or secured onto a person's feet for the purpose of transportation by muscular power;
 - c) "Rollerskates" are defined as boot-type footwear upon which a number of wheels are affixed to the sole thereof, and are laced or secured onto a person's feet for the purpose of transportation by muscular power;
 - d) "Skateboard" is defined as a platform with or without handlebars with any number of wheels attached to the bottom side of the platform, and which is driven by muscular power or gravity;
 - e) "Scooter" is defined as a platform with handlebars and any number of wheels attached to the bottom side of the platform and is driven by muscular power or gravity;
 - f) "Bicycle" is defined as a 2 or 3-wheeled device with handlebars and pedals for the purpose of transportation by muscular power.
 - g) "In-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating and skateboarding" are defined as the activity of using each of the objects respectively;
 - h) "Sidewalk" is defined as that portion of the road allowance designed or ordinarily used by pedestrians, and includes the boulevard immediately adjacent to the roadway, which roadway is designed and ordinarily used for vehicular traffic.
2. No person shall:
 - a) engage in or permit in-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboarding, or the use of a bicycle or scooter on any steps, ramps, driveways or sidewalks of any building owned or occupied by the Corporation of the Town of Aylmer.
 - b) engage in or permit in-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboarding, or the use of a bicycle or scooter in or on any path, accessway, stairs or steps leading to or on:
 - (i) the Cenotaph on Talbot Street
 - (ii) the bandshell located in Monteith Bandshell Park

- c) engage in or permit in-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboarding, or the use of a bicycle or scooter within any municipal parking lot;
 - d) engage in or permit any game or sports activity upon a roadway or sidewalk without due care and attention, and without reasonable consideration for others using the roadway or sidewalk;
 - e) engage or permit in-line skating, rollerblading, rollerskating, skateboarding, or the use of a bicycle or scooter upon any sidewalk within the core area of the Town of Aylmer defined as:
 - Talbot Street from Wellington Street eastward to Queen Street
 - John Street from Pine Street northward to Chestnut Street
 - King Street from Sydenham Street northward to Talbot Street
 - Centre Street from Sydenham Street northward to Talbot Street
 - Raglan Street from Sydenham Street northward to Talbot Street
4. Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence and upon conviction shall be liable to the penalties as provided for under the *Provincial Offences Act*, R.S.O. 1990, as amended from time to time.
5. The provisions of any By-Law inconsistent with the provisions of this by-law are hereby repealed.

READ A First and Second time this 9th day of July, 2001.

MAYOR

CLERK

READ A Third time and finally passed this 13th day of August, 2001.

MAYOR

CLERK

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	DESCRIPTION OF OFFENCE	PROVISION CREATING OR DEFINING OFFENCE	SET FINE
1.	Engage in or permit in-line skates, rollerblades, rollerskates, skateboards, bicycle or scooters on any driveway or sidewalk owned by the Town of Aylmer	2 a)	\$55.00
2.	Engage in or permit in-line skates, rollerblades, rollerskates, skateboards, bicycle or scooters on any path, accessway, stairs or steps leading to or on the Cenotaph or Bandshell	2 b)	\$55.00
3.	Engage in or permit a game or sports activity upon a roadway or sidewalk without due care and attention and without reasonable consideration to others	2 d)	\$55.00
4.	Use or permit in-line skate, rollerblade, roller-skate, skateboard, bicycle or scooter upon any sidewalk in the core area	2 e)	\$55.00

NOTE: The penalty provision for the offences indicated above is Section 4 of By-Law No. 41-01, a certified copy of which has been filed.