



City of
Peterborough

The Corporation of the City of Peterborough

By-Law Number 26-008

Being a By-law to delegate certain authority respecting Highways in relation to the City's Traffic Technical Working Group and to the Director, Engineering and Capital Works.

A. Recital

1. The Council of the Corporation of the City of Peterborough considers it to be in the City's interests to delegate certain authority respecting Highways to the City's Traffic Technical Working Group and to the Director, Engineering and Capital Works.

Now therefore, The Corporation of the City of Peterborough by the Council thereof enacts as follows:

B. Short Title

2. This By-law may be referred to as the "Traffic Technical Working Group By-law".

C. Interpretation

3. Unless otherwise stated:
 - a) a reference to a statute or regulation refers to a statute or regulation of the Province of Ontario;
 - b) a reference to a statute, regulation or by-law refers to that enactment as it may be amended or replaced from time to time; and
 - c) a reference to a section, paragraph, clause or schedule is a reference to this By-law's section, paragraph, clause or schedule.
4. The headings in this By-law are for convenience only and do not form part of this By-law.
5. If any part of this By-law is determined to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid part is severed, and the remainder continues to be valid.

6. The delegations of authority by this By-law are in addition to delegations of authority established by other City by-laws and otherwise at law. In the event of any inconsistency between this By-law and any other City by-law, the provision that more effectively delegates authority prevails to the extent of the inconsistency.

D. Definitions

7. In this By-law:
- a) “By-law” means this By-law.
 - b) “City” means The Corporation of the City of Peterborough or the geographic area of the City of Peterborough as the context requires.
 - c) “Council” means the City’s Council.
 - d) “Director” means the City’s Director, Engineering and Capital Works.
 - e) “Highway” means each highway or part of such highway as defined by the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25
 - f) “HTA By-laws” means a City by-law passed under the authority granted to a municipality under the Highway Traffic Act.
 - g) “TTWG” means a working group composed of a majority of the following:
 - Manager, Traffic and Parking Services (Chair)
 - Senior Project Manager, Traffic and Parking Services
 - Manager, Engineering Services
 - Manager, Public Works Operations
 - Peterborough Police Service Representative
 - Supervisor, Parking Operations
 - Manager, Transportation Planning
 - Portfolio Co-Chair 1, Municipal Operations
 - Portfolio Co-Chair 2, Municipal Operations

E. Delegation

8. Council hereby delegates to:
- (1) TTWG the authority to make recommendations to the Director related to:
 - (a) promoting efficient and effective traffic management which contribute to public safety, (b) enhancing parking solutions which contribute to public safety, and (c) if necessary, HTA By-laws,

- (2) the Director the authority to approve, not approve or to refer back to the TTWG for further consideration each TTWG recommendation given to the Director pursuant to section 8(1), and
 - (3) where the Director approves a TTWG recommendation, the Director is also delegated the authority to pass an amending by-law to give effect to the Director's approval.
9. It is Council's opinion that the powers being delegated by this by-law are of a minor nature, having considered the factors under Section 23.2(4) of the Municipal Act, 2001 and including the Director's professional qualifications and the legislation and engineering standards which govern the use, operation and maintenance of Highways within the City.

F. General

10. No proceeding for damages or otherwise may be commenced against the City, a member of Council or an officer, employee or agent of the City or a person acting under the instructions of the officer, employee or agent for any act done in good faith in the performance or intended performance of a duty or authority under this By-law or for any alleged neglect or default in the performance in good faith of the duty or authority.
11. This by-law is effective when it is passed.

By-law passed this 19th day of January, 2026.

Jeff Leal, Mayor

John Kennedy, City Clerk