

## **THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DRYDEN**

### **BY-LAW NUMBER 2021-81**

BEING A BY-LAW TO REQUIRE RETAIL BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF DRYDEN TO BE CLOSED UNTIL 12:30 P.M. ON REMEMBRANCE DAY ANNUALLY.

WHEREAS Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25 as amended (the "Act") provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the Act; and

WHEREAS Section 148 of the Act provides that a municipality may require that retail business establishments be closed to the public at any time; and

WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of The City of Dryden deems it expedient and necessary to enact a by-law to require retail business establishments to be closed until 12:30 p.m. on Remembrance Day.

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

1. THAT all retail business establishments within the City of Dryden shall be closed on Remembrance Day until 12:30 p.m.
2. THAT retail businesses as defined in Section 3(1) of the Retail Business Holidays Act, Chapter R.30, R.S.O. 1990, are exempt.
3. THAT any person violating any of the provisions of this by-law shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), exclusive of costs, for such offence, and all such penalties shall be recoverable under the provisions of the Provincial Offences Act.
4. THAT the Municipal Code of The Corporation of The City of Dryden is hereby amended by deleting Chapter 192 – Retail Shops.
5. THAT By-laws 2376-95 and 2495-2002 are hereby rescinded.
6. THAT this by-law shall come into force and take effect on the final passage hereof.

ENACTED AND PASSED THIS 27th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021 as witnessed by the Corporate Seal of The Corporation of the City of Dryden and the hands of its proper Officers duly authorized in that behalf.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DRYDEN

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Mayor

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Clerk

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME THIS 27th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.

READ A THIRD TIME AND PASSED AS READ THIS 27<sup>th</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.