## **BY-LAW NO. 878-22 | FINAL**



By-law no. 878-22 amending Permits and Certificates By-law no. 878, as already amended, in order to detail particular requirements associated with the felling of trees.

Regular meeting of the Municipal Council of the Town of Baie-D'Urfé, held according to the law at the Town Hall, ordinary place of meetings, on Tuesday, September 9, 2014, at 7:30 p.m.

## **WERE PRESENT**:

Mayor: Maria Tutino

Councillors: Peter Fletcher

Brian Manning Lynda Phelps Janet Ryan

ALSO PRESENT: Nathalie Hadida, Director General

Marie-Hélène Bourque, Town Clerk Alexandra Hobson, Assistant Town Clerk Stéphane Patenaude, Director of Public Works

WERE ABSENT: Michel Beauchamp, Councillor

Charles Colomb, Councillor

WHEREAS the presence of the emerald ash borer on the territory of the Town requires that aggressive measures be taken to limit and contain its spread;

WHEREAS the Town requires the tools necessary to identify any tree which could be potentially infected by the emerald ash borer;

WHEREAS notice of motion for the presentation of this by-law was given at a regular meeting of Council held on August 12, 2014 at 7:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS Council declares having read by-law no. 878-22 and hereby dispenses with the reading of said by-law;

THEREFORE, it is moved by Councillor Brian Manning, seconded by Councillor Janet Ryan and UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED:

THAT by-law no. 878-22 be, and is hereby adopted; and

THAT it be enacted and decreed by this-by-law as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 1.5 – VIOLATION, PENALTIES AND OTHER RECOURSES – paragraph a) is modified by the addition of a second paragraph to read as follows:

In the case of the felling of any species of tree on the territory of the Town without the prior issuance of a valid certificate of authorization, anyone contravening a provision of this by-law, or tolerating or permitting such a contravention, commits an infraction and is liable to a fine, and such fine shall be of a minimum of six hundred dollars (\$600) or a maximum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200).

SECTION 2: Section 3.2 – PRESENTATION OF AN APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION – paragraph e) is modified by the addition of a third bullet to read as follows:

In the particular case of an ash tree, the applicant must provide to the Town, within two working days after the tree is felled, two distinct branches, three (3) centimeters to ten (10) centimeters in diameter and forty-five (45) centimeters to sixty (60) centimeters in length, cut from the uppermost part of the felled tree, preferably from the south-facing side

Section 3.3 – FEES – paragraph c) is modified by the addition of a second paragraph to read as follows:

In the particular case of an ash tree, the permit fee is waived.

Mayor		Town Clerk	
TRUE CERTIFIED COPY			
Coming into force:	September 17, 2014		
Adoption of by-law:	September 9, 2014		

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