

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON SHORES

BY-LAW #15-39

BEING A BY-LAW TO PERMIT THE OPERATION OF OFF-ROAD VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITHIN AND UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON SHORES

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act, S.O. 2001 C. 25*, Section 8, as amended, confers broad authority upon municipalities and provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS the *Municipal Act, S.O. 2001* as amended, C. 25, provides that a municipality may pass by-laws to provide a service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable;

AND WHEREAS the *Highway Traffic Act, R.S.O. 1990* as amended c. H.8 PART X.3 OFF-ROAD VEHICLES, authorizes the council of a municipality to pass by-laws permitting the operation of off-road vehicles on highways or any parts of highways within and under the jurisdiction of the Municipality and Provincial Regulations associated therewith regulates off-road vehicles permitted on highways;

AND WHEREAS the *Off-Road Vehicle Act R.S.O. 1990*, c. O.4 as amended from time to time, and associated Regulations, establishes legislation and regulation for the operation of Off-Road Vehicles on highways;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron Shores deems it advisable to permit the operation of Off-Road Vehicles, as provided for and permitted under the *Ontario Highway Traffic Act*, the *Ontario Off-Road Vehicle Act* and Associated Ontario Regulations, on any highway or any part or parts of any highway within the jurisdiction of the Municipality;

NOW THEREFORE, The Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron Shores **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS**:

1. All Off-Road Vehicles, as defined and allowed for in accordance with the *Ontario Highway Traffic Act*, the *Off-Road Vehicle Act* and associated Ontario Regulations, are hereby permitted to be operated on any highway or on any part or parts of any highway within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Huron Shores.
2. Any person operating any Off-Road Vehicle in contravention of this by-law is subject to the penalties applicable by law.
3. This by-law shall become effective upon the passing thereof.
4. By-law #03-45 is hereby rescinded.

Read a first, second and third time and passed in open Council this 24th day of June, 2015.

MAYOR – L. C. (Gil) Reeves

CLERK – Deborah Tonelli