



## Sudbury East Building and By-Law Services (SEBBS)

### Report for the Consideration by Council

*Shared Services in the Municipalities of French River, Killarney, Markstay-Warren  
and St.-Charles*

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| <b>Meeting Date:</b><br>September 4, 2024              | <b>Report Date:</b><br>August 27, 2024            |
| <b>Reason Before Council:</b><br>For Information Only  | <b>Priority:</b><br>Normal                        |
| <b>Department:</b><br>Protection to Persons & Property | <b>Type of Meeting:</b><br>Committee of the Whole |

**RE: To update Council on the initiatives and activities of the Bylaw Department**

**RECOMMENDED RESOLUTION:** To accept for information.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The quarterly activity report was developed to provide interim updates on activities as an ongoing effort to be able to communicate the activities, initiatives, and impact of the and By-Law Services Department to Council and ratepayers.

#### **ANALYSIS:**

The By-Law Services Department upholds the By-Laws governing our municipality and works to identify problems within our current By-Laws and present solutions and revisions to council. Highlights of activities are included within the report.

#### **MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORT**

##### Information Regarding By-Law Enforcement and Reporting

- Animal Control occurrences are steadily declining throughout the Municipality, due to a more focused approach on dogs at large within the municipality.
- Efforts were intensified to locate short-term. Key actions included monitoring rental platforms and conducting site checks. Enforcement measures will begin in Q3 and Q4 giving a grace period for operators to license their STR's.

#### **Training / Conferences / Certification**

- None to report.

**COMPLAINTS BY CATEGORY:**

| <b>Complaints</b><br><b>*Only formal complaints are tracked*</b> | <b>Q1</b> | <b>Q2</b> | <b>Q3</b> | <b>Q4</b> | <b>2024</b> | <b>2023</b> | <b>2022</b> |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Animal                                                           | 12        | 4         | -         | -         | 16          | 15          | -           |
| Noise Control                                                    | 2         | -         | -         | -         | 2           | 4           | 2           |
| Property Standards                                               | 5         | 4         | -         | -         | 9           | 9           | 8           |
| Traffic Control                                                  | 1         | -         | -         | -         | 1           | 1           | -           |
| Open Burning                                                     | -         | -         | -         | -         | -           | -           | -           |
| Snow Removal                                                     | 1         | -         | -         | -         | 1           | 3           | 1           |
| Zoning                                                           | -         | 2         | -         | -         | 2           | 1           | 2           |
| Other*                                                           | -         | 1         | -         | -         | 1           | 1           | -           |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                                               | <b>21</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>-</b>  | <b>-</b>  | <b>32</b>   | <b>34</b>   | <b>13</b>   |

**\*Other represents any By-Law categories not included in the rest of the table. e.g., traffic, signage etc.**

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