

# ADVISORY NOTICE

## STREETS & TRAFFIC BYLAW



### ON-STREET PARKING RULES EXPLAINED

This advisory notice is about Ladysmith's Streets and Traffic Bylaw and some recent changes to the Bylaw. It is provided to you for information and education.

We would like to remind you of some key sections of our Streets and Traffic Bylaw that apply to parking on Town streets.

1. Storage of unlicensed vehicles and unattached trailers, as well as storage of other materials has never been allowed on the Town's boulevards. Many residents assume that the area between the roadway and the actual property line is their own property, when it is actually part of the road right-of-way which is Town property.

While residents might see it as inconvenient to be unable to store things in this area, this is standard in most communities and improves neighbourhood aesthetics as well as pedestrian and vehicular traffic safety. If you're unsure, please contact City Hall or check your property survey if you have one.

2. The Streets and Traffic Bylaw also prohibits any vehicles, including Recreational Vehicles, from parking on any Town street longer than 72 hours **at one time**. This is not a new rule.
3. The Streets and Traffic Bylaw has also been amended to prohibit camping and sleeping overnight in all types of vehicles on Town streets, boulevards and parking lots.

Town Staff will be working proactively with residents to ensure that people are aware of these rules. We understand that our regulations may cause some inconvenience and it is our intention that residents will have time and opportunity to make other arrangements for storing unattached trailers or unlicensed vehicles that are currently parked on boulevards or streets.

For further information please contact the Town's Bylaw Services at 250-245-6446.

We appreciate everyone's cooperation on this matter. Thank you.

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