

The Corporation of the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley

By-law Number 05-04

BEING A BY-LAW TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF GUNS OR OTHER FIRE ARMS IN CERTAIN AREAS

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act, 2001*, Section 130 states that a municipality may regulate matters not specifically provided for by this Act or any other Act for purposes related to the health, safety and well-being of the inhabitants of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to prohibit the discharge of guns or other firearms, air guns and spring guns within the area of the municipality hereinafter defined.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley enacts as follows:

1. No person shall discharge a gun or other firearm, air gun or spring gun within the areas designated as hamlets, settlement areas and subdivision residential in the Township's Official Plan(s).
2. No person shall discharge a gun or other firearm, air gun or spring gun within the area of the Township bounded on the north by the southerly limit of County Road 2, and on the south by the water's edge of the northerly bank of the St. Lawrence River from the Township's easterly boundary to its westerly boundary.
3. No person shall discharge a gun or other firearm, air gun or spring gun within the area bounded on the north by the waters edge of the northerly bank of the St. Lawrence River and southerly distance of three hundred yards from the waters edge.
4. Every person who contravenes the provisions of this by-law is guilty of an offence and under conviction is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$1,000.00, exclusive of costs, under the Provincial Offences Act.
5. By-laws 1713 and 87-59 of the geographic Township of Elizabethtown are hereby repealed in their entirety.
6. This by-law comes into force and effect upon the final passing thereof, and may be referred to as the Discharge of Firearms Prohibition By-law.

Read a First and Second time this 10th day of January, 2005.

Read a Third time and finally Passed this 24th day of January, 2005.



Mayor



Clerk