

**TOWN OF MARSHALL**

**POLICY**

**Title: Outdoor Watering**

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 13, 2015

AMENDED: July 10, 2018

**POLICY STATEMENT:**

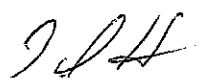
That **Section 5 & 6 of Bylaw No. 06-2016**, which clearly defines how outdoor watering is permitted, be enforced with zero tolerance for non-compliance.

**Section 5 & 6 of Bylaw No. 06-2016 shall be enforced using the following procedures:**

1. All non-compliance must be validated by one of the following persons:
  - i) Member of the R.C.M.P.
  - ii) Town Council Member
  - iii) Any Staff Member
2. a) Any person watering outside the permitted days and/or hours shall be sent one warning letter addressed to the property owner within one day of the validated offense.  
  
b) Administration shall maintain an updated list of warning letters issued and provide the R.C.M.P. with a copy on a regular basis.  
  
c) Second offenses which have been validated shall be reported directly to the R.C.M.P. The R.C.M.P. shall then issue the fine in accordance with Bylaw No. 06-2016.

**OTHER:**

- Fines are payable at the Town Office.
- Persons noted in Section 1 of this policy must be prepared to provide a statement if required.
- All reports of non-compliance shall be investigated.



**PURPOSE:**

- To ensure compliance of Water Conservation Practices.
- To decrease abusive consumption of water.
- To ensure an adequate supply of water is sustained for essential use and services.

**DEFINITIONS:**

1. **Permitted Watering (Odd/Even):**

- Even numbered houses may water on even numbered calendar dates during the early morning and evening hours.
- Odd numbered houses may water on odd numbered calendar dates during the early morning and evening hours.
- The restrictions above shall remain in force for the months of June, July, August and September.

2. **Non-Compliance:**

- To avoid watering of lawns, gardens, flower beds or trees with a hose and/or sprinklers during the heat of the day and water conservation practices.

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