

# ***THE CITY OF VAUGHAN***

# ***BY-LAW***

## **BY-LAW NUMBER 203-2023**

**A By-law of the Corporation of the City of Vaughan to amend Anti-Graffiti By-law 46-2009, as amended, to increase administrative monetary penalty amounts for repeat offenders.**

**WHEREAS** section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25 (“*Municipal Act*”), as amended, provides that the powers of a municipality under this Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality’s ability to respond to municipal issues;

**AND WHEREAS** section 128(1) of the *Municipal Act* provides that a municipality may prohibit and regulate with respect to public nuisances, including matters that, in the opinion of council, are or could become or cause public nuisances;

**AND WHEREAS** Council has determined that it is desirable to make amendments to Anti-Graffiti By-law 46-2009, as amended, to increase administrative monetary penalty amounts for repeat offenders;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That Anti-Graffiti By-law 46-2009, as amended, be further amended by adding the word “first” before “breach” in section 6.0(3).
2. That Anti-Graffiti By-law 46-2009, as amended, be further amended by adding section 6.0(6) to read as follows:
  - (6) The amount of the administrative monetary penalty for a second and any subsequent breach under this By-law is \$800.

Voted in favour by City of Vaughan Council this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2023.

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Steven Del Duca, Mayor

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Todd Coles, City Clerk

Authorized by Item No. 11 of Report No. 52 of the Committee of the Whole  
Adopted by Vaughan City Council on December 12, 2023.  
City Council voted in favour of this by-law on December 12, 2023.  
Approved by Mayoral Decision MDC 008-2023 dated December 12, 2023.  
**Effective Date of By-Law: December 12, 2023.**