

THE CITY OF VAUGHAN

BY-LAW

BY-LAW NUMBER 170-2020

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan to amend Special Events By-law 045-2018, as amended.

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

AND WHEREAS subsection 11(2)6. of the *Municipal Act*, S.O. 2001, c.25 provides that a municipality may pass By-laws respecting the health, safety and well-being of persons;

AND WHEREAS section 11(3)5. of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.25 provides for a municipality to pass by-laws respecting culture, parks, recreation and heritage;

AND WHEREAS section 126 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.25, without limiting its powers to regulate or prohibit respecting a matter under sections 9, 10 and 11, provides that a local municipality may regulate cultural, recreational and educational events, including public fairs, prohibit such events unless a permit is obtained from the municipality, impose conditions for obtaining, and continuing to hold and renewing permits;

AND WHEREAS section 434.1 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides for the municipality to require a person, subject to such conditions as the municipality considers appropriate, to pay an administrative penalty if the municipality is satisfied that the person has failed to comply with a by-law of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan has enacted By-law 045-2018, as amended, to maintain public safety, control nuisances, and promote community standards, by regulating the manner in which public events organized by individuals or organizations are conducted;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan has determined that it is desirable to make amendments to By-law 045-2018, as amended;

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

1. That Special Events By-law 045-2018, be amended as follows:

(a) Amend Part 10.0 by renaming it **10.0 Fines**.

(b) Add Part 10.1 to read as follows:

10.1 Administrative Monetary Penalties

(1) Instead of laying a charge under the *Provincial Offences Act*, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.33, as amended, for a breach of any provisions of this By-law, an *Officer* may issue an administrative monetary penalty to the *Person* who has contravened this By-law.

(2) If an administrative monetary penalty is issued to a *Person* under Section 10.1(1), and is paid by that *Person*, no charge shall be laid against that same *Person* for the same breach.

(3) The amount of the administrative monetary penalty for a breach under this By-law is \$250.00.

(4) A *Person* who is issued an administrative monetary penalty shall be subject to the procedures provided for in the [Administrative Monetary Penalties By-law](#), as amended or its successor by-law.

(5) An administrative monetary penalty imposed on a *Person* constitutes a debt to the *City* under the [Administrative Monetary Penalties By-law](#), as amended or its successor by-law, and may be added to the municipal tax roll and collected in the same manner as municipal taxes.

(c) Amend Part 11.0 by adding the following:

(2) Schedule 1 of the [Administrative Monetary Penalties By-law](#) is hereby amended by including this By-law as a Designated By-law.

Enacted by City of Vaughan Council this 17th day of November, 2020.

Hon. Maurizio Bevilacqua, Mayor

Todd Coles, City Clerk

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of the Committee of the Whole
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