

**TOWN OF TISDALE**

**BYLAW No. 3/09**

**A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF TISDALE TO ALLOW FOR HUNTING OF NUISANCE ANIMALS WITHIN THE TOWN OF TISDALE.**

Whereas it is recognized that crows, magpies, cowbirds, blackbirds, grackles, starlings, English sparrows, common pigeons (rock doves), skunks, racoons, mice and rats may create a nuisance for property owners or for neighbouring property owners;

And Whereas Council considers it to be in the public interest to pass a bylaw which allows for the hunting of these animals;

And Whereas the Town of Tisdale is empowered by Section 13 of *The Wildlife Regulations, 1981* to pass a bylaw regarding the hunting of said animals;

Now Therefore, the Council of the Town of Tisdale enacts as follows:

Title:

1. This Bylaw may be referred to as the "Hunting Bylaw" of the Town of Tisdale.

Definitions:

2. In this Bylaw the expression:

- (a) "Animal Hunter" shall mean any person appointed by resolution of the Council of the Town of Tisdale to hunt any Nuisance Animal;
- (b) "Nuisance Animal" shall mean any of the following: crows, magpies, cowbirds, blackbirds, grackles, starlings, English sparrows, common pigeons (rock doves), skunks, racoons, mice and rats;
- (c) "Town" means the municipal corporation of the Town of Tisdale or the area contained within the boundary thereof as the context requires;
- (d) "Council" shall mean the Council of the Town of Tisdale.

Nuisance:

- 3. (a) Where the Town's Animal Hunter receives a complaint of a Nuisance Animal the Animal Hunter may shoot the said Nuisance Animal with or without the consent of the property owner on which the Nuisance Animal was found;
- (b) The Animal Hunter may shoot, or otherwise have removed, any Nuisance Animal found on any property within the Town of Tisdale, at any time;

Access to Property:

- 4. The Animal Hunter shall be allowed reasonable access to any property within the Town of Tisdale for the purpose of hunting, shooting or removing any Nuisance Animal;
- 5. This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon final reading and passing.

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Mayor

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Administrator

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY of Bylaw 3/09 passed by a resolution of Council of the Town of Tisdale on the 23<sup>RD</sup> day of February, 2009.

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BRAD HVIDSTON  
ADMINISTRATOR