

## By-law 2021-16

### **A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Amend By-law 2010-188 being a By-law to Prohibit, Regulate and Control Discharges Into Bodies of Waters Within City Boundaries or Into the City Sanitary Sewers, Storm Sewers, Sanitary Sewage Works and all Tributary Sewer Systems**

**Whereas** Council of the City of Greater Sudbury deems it desirable to amend By-law 2021-16 being a By-law to Prohibit, Regulate and Control Discharges Into Bodies of Waters Within City Boundaries or Into the City Sanitary Sewers, Storm Sewers, Sanitary Sewage Works and all Tributary Sewer Systems, as amended;

#### **Now therefore Council of the City of Greater Sudbury hereby enacts as follows:**

1. By-law 2021-16 being a By-law to Prohibit, Regulate and Control Discharges Into Bodies of Waters Within City Boundaries or Into the City Sanitary Sewers, Storm Sewers, Sanitary Sewage Works and all Tributary Sewer Systems, as amended, is hereby further amended by:

(1) Adding the following definition to Section 1, immediately after the definition for “connection” and immediately before the definition for “dental amalgam”;

““CSA B-481” means standard CSA B-481, published by the Canadian Standards Association and entitled “Grease Interceptors”, as amended or replaced from time to time;”.

(2) Adding the following definition to Section 1, immediately after the definition for “dentistry” and immediately before the definition for “EPA”;

““downspout” means a pipe to carry rainwater from a roof;”.

(3) Adding the following definition to Section 1, immediately after the definition for “grab sample” and immediately before the definition for “ground water”;

““gravity weeping tiles” refers to the piping system that collects water from weeping tiles outside the premises and then conveys the drainage water by gravity, away from the premises;”.

(4) Adding the following definition to Section 1, immediately after the definition for “subsurface drainage pipe” and immediately before the definition for “Swimming Pool”;

““sump pump” means the system that conveys water drained from the weeping tiles to a collector box / sump pit , away from the premises;”.

(5) Repealing subparagraph 15(2)(b)(ii) and enacting in its place and stead the following paragraph:

“(ii) an insurance certificate evidencing a policy of insurance held by the applicant with an insurance company licensed to operate in Ontario, with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 automobile liability, \$2,000,000 commercial general liability, and \$1,000,000 environmental impairment or pollution liability; and”.

(6) Repealing paragraphs 23(1)(a) and 23(1)(b) and enacting in their place and stead the following paragraphs 23(1)(a), (b) and (c):

“(a) install, operate and properly maintain a grease interceptor in any piping system at its premises that connects directly or indirectly to a sewer;

(b) install, operate and maintain in accordance with the requirements of CSA B-481, as amended; and

(c) install any grease interceptor except in compliance with the most current requirements of the *Ontario Building Code*.”

(7) Repealing subsection 30(1) and enacting in its place and stead the following subsection:

“(1) No person shall discharge, or cause or permit to be discharged, wastewater from a swimming pool such that it flows:

(a) directly or indirectly to a storm sewer or storm drainage system;

(b) directly or indirectly onto an adjoining property; or

(c) over a valley or ravine slope.”

(8) Repealing paragraph 31(4)(b) and enacting in its place and stead the following paragraph 31(4)(b):

“(b) the connection of the downspout, gravity weeping tiles or the sump pump to the sanitary sewer was approved at the time of construction by the applicable approving authority; or”.

(9) Renumbering paragraph 31(4)(c) as paragraph 31(4)(d) and enacting the following paragraph as 31(4)(c) to be inserted immediately following paragraph 31(4)(b);

“(c) the owner has entered into Residential Sewer Discharge Agreement with the City; or”.

(10) Repealing the definition for “Discharge Agreement” in subsection 17(1) and enacting in its place and stead the following definition;

““Discharge Agreement” includes a Leachate Discharge Agreement, an Overstrength Sewage Discharge Agreement, a Residential Sanitary Sewer Discharge Agreement, a Sanitary Sewer Discharge Agreement, and a Sludge Discharge Agreement and “Discharge Agreements” refers collectively to more than one Discharge Agreement;”.

(11) Adding the following definition to subsection 17(1), immediately after the definition for “Overstrength Sewage Discharge Agreement” and immediately before the definition for “Sanitary Sewer Discharge Agreement”;

““Residential Sanitary Sewer Discharge Agreement” means a Discharge Agreement authorizing a sump pump or gravity weeping tiles from a residential premises to be temporarily connected to the City’s sanitary sewer system;”.

2. This By-law shall come into full force and effect upon passage.

**Read and Passed in Open Council** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021

\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

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