

The Corporation of the City of Richmond Hill

By-Law 49-25

A By-Law to amend By-law 69-16 of the City of Richmond Hill

Whereas on February 11, 2019, Council of the Corporation of the City of Richmond Hill (“Council”) enacted an amendment to the Administrative Monetary Penalty By-law 69-16 that established an Administrative Monetary Penalty System (“AMPS”) for parking infractions, to expand AMPS so that it may also apply to promote compliance with any by-law passed pursuant to the *Municipal Act, 2001*;

And Whereas on April 23, 2025 Council of the City adopted the recommendations of Staff Report SRPBS.25.025 to enact a new by-law for the regulation of Trees on City Lands (the “Trees on City Lands By-law”) and to add such by-law as a designated by-law to By-law 69-16 so that the Trees on City Lands By-law may be enforced using AMPS;

Now Therefore The Council Of The Corporation Of The City Of Richmond Hill Enacts As Follows:

1. That Schedule ‘A’ of By-law 69-16 of the Corporation of the City of Richmond Hill, as amended, be further amended by adding Table 14 attached to this By-law 49-25;
2. Except as herein provided and as required to give effect to the amendments in this By-law 49-25, the provisions of By-law 69-16 continue in full force and effect without amendment.

Passed this 23 day of April, 2025.

David West
Mayor

Stephen M.A. Huycke
City Clerk

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Table 14 – Trees on City Lands By-law 20-25

Column 1 Item	Column 2 Designated Provisions	Column 3 Short Form Wording	Column 4 Administrative Penalty Amount
1	3.1a	Prune City Tree	\$350.00
2	3.1b	Injure City Tree	\$750.00
3	3.1c	Destroy City Tree	\$1,000.00
	3.1d	Peel, deface, bury or cut roots or attach in any manner any object or thing to a City Tree or any part of a City Tree	\$350.00
4	3.3	Fail to report injured/destroyed City Tree to Commissioner	\$150.00
5	3.4	Deposit/store material within Tree Protection Zone without approval	\$350.00
6	3.5	Transplant, remove/attach, burn or allow any harmful substance to contact a City Tree	\$350.00
7	3.6	Interfere with structures delineating a Tree Protection Zone	\$750.00
8	3.7 a)	Plant Trees without approval	\$350.00
9	3.7 b)	Plant Trees not in accordance with the City 's standards and specifications	\$350.00
10	4.1	Fail to carry out work in accordance with City's standards and specifications	\$750.00
11	4.2	Fail to make an application for permission to carry out work within Tree Protection Zone	\$750.00
12	4.3	Fail to cease work and apply for Commissioner instructions	\$750.00
13	5.5	Fail to comply with Work Order	\$350
14	5.7	Hinder/obstruct or attempt to hinder/obstruct an Enforcement Officer	\$750