



**TOWNSHIP OF ST. CLAIR  
BY-LAW NUMBER 33 OF 2017**

**AS AMENDED BY BYLAW 5 2022**

Being a by-law to prohibit the parking of vehicles and recreational trailers in certain locations and at certain times within the Township of St. Clair By-law [replacing Bylaw 51 of 2014].

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**WHEREAS** the Municipal Act, R.S.O., 1990, Chapter M.45, Section 210(131) allows a municipality to regulate the parking of vehicles on municipal property.

**AND, WHEREAS** the Municipal Council of The Corporation of The Township of St. Clair deems it desirable to regulate the parking vehicles and trailers during certain times and in certain locations in the interest of public safety and conveyance;

**NOW, THEREFORE** the Council of the Corporation of The Township of St. Clair enacts as follows:

**Definitions:**

For the purposes of this Bylaw, the below words are defined as follows:

- a) "*Camping Trailer*" includes all recreational vehicles (RV's) and non-motorized units used for shelter used for recreational camping and includes tent trailers;
- b) "*Commercial Trailer*" means any trailer used to haul machinery or tools associated with a commercial or industrial operation;
- c) "*Derelict Vehicle*" means any wrecked, dismantled, inoperative, unused or unlicensed vehicle and a vehicle with an expired license;
- d) "*Marine Vehicle*" includes any watercraft, motorized and non-motorized, and all trailers used for their storage and transportation;
- e) "*Recreational Trailer*" means all trailers used to haul marine vehicles and recreational vehicles including but not limited to snow machine trailers and motocross and All-Terrain Vehicle trailers;
- f) "*Vehicle*" means any and all motor vehicles both licensed and considered derelict, and includes recreational vehicles, marine vehicles, trailers and other similar transportation devices.

**Sections:**

1. That no person shall park or leave a vehicle on a highway, road or street in such a manner that results in interference with the clearing of snow or any winter control operation conducted by municipal forces or contracts during the hours of **1:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m.**, local time during the period of December 1<sup>st</sup> to April 1<sup>st</sup>.  
**[as amended by Bylaw 5 of 2022]**

2. No person shall park a derelict vehicle on any road or street at any time of the year.
3. No person shall store or leave a marine vehicle, camping trailer, commercial trailer or other recreational trailer on any Township or County road at any time, when not attached to a legally parked licensed motor vehicle.
4. No person shall store or leave a boat, camping trailer or recreational trailer in any private driveway where it extends beyond the property line along the street on which it fronts.
5. No person shall store or leave a camping trailer, recreational trailer or boat anywhere in any private driveway between the third Monday of October in any year and April 1 unless beyond the minimum front yard setback from the property line, as per the current Township Zoning Bylaw.
6. No person shall park vehicles including, but not limited to, derelict vehicles as defined above, recreational vehicles, recreational trailers, camping trailers, commercial trailers, or marine vehicles on Township boulevards, being the portion of a yard between the curb or beginning of grassed area where there are no curbs, and the road allowance with the exception of within a defined driveway where permitted without blocking a municipal sidewalk.
7. That a constable or an officer or an enforcement officer be appointed for the carrying out of the provisions of The Highway Traffic Act or this by-law, upon discovery of a vehicle parked or left in contravention of this by-law may cause it to be moved or taken to and placed or stored in a suitable place and all costs and charges for removing, care and storage thereof, if any are a lien upon the vehicle and are payable by the owner before the vehicle may be released to the owner.
8. That in this by-law the words "highway", "vehicle" and "park" have the same meaning as under The Highway Traffic Act.
9. That this By-law applies to all roads, streets and highways over which the Township of St. Clair has jurisdiction.
10. That this By-law shall not have effect on any road, street or highway where such parking is specifically allowed by permit issued by the Township of St. Clair.
11. Every person who contravenes any provision of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and upon conviction is liable to a fine as provided for by S. 61 of the Provincial Offences Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.33, as amended.
12. This By-law hereby repeals and replaces By-law 51 of 2014.
13. That this By-law shall come into force and effect on the passing thereof.

READ the first and second time this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2017.

READ a third time and finally passed, signed and sealed this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2017.



Mayor Steve Arnold



Clerk Jeff Baranek



**CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ST. CLAIR**

**PART II PROVINCIAL OFFENCES ACT**

**SCHEDULE "A"**

TO BY-LAW 33 OF 2017 – Being a by-law prohibit parking of specific vehicles in specific locations throughout the Township.

<b>ITEM</b>	<b>COLUMN 1 Short Form Wording</b>	<b>COLUMN 2 Provision Creating or Defining Offence</b>	<b>COLUMN 3 Voluntary Payment Payable within 7 days</b>	<b>COLUMN 4 Set Fine</b>
1.	Parking on municipal street within the hours of 1:00-7:00am between December 1 and April 1	Section 1	\$25	\$35
2.	Parking a derelict vehicle on a public street	Section 2	\$25	\$35
3.	Parking of a prohibited vehicle on the Township Boulevard	Section 6	\$25	\$35

**Note: The general penalty provision for the offences listed above is Section 11 of By-law 33 of 2017, a certified copy of which has been filed.**

**CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ST. CLAIR**  
**PART I PROVINCIAL OFFENCES ACT**  
**SCHEDULE "B"**

TO BY-LAW 33 OF 2017 – Being a by-law prohibit parking of specific vehicles  
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<b>ITEM</b>	<b>COLUMN 1 Short Form Wording</b>	<b>COLUMN 2 Provision Creating or Defining Offence</b>	<b>COLUMN 3 Set Fine</b>
1.	Storing or leaving a trailer on the road when not attached to a motor vehicle	Section 3	\$35
2.	Storing or leaving a boat or trailer beyond a lot line onto public land	Section 4	\$35
3.	Storing or leaving boat or trailer within front yard setback between 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday in October and April 1	Section 5	\$35

**NOTE:** the general penalty provision for the offences listed above is Section 11 of the Bylaw 33 of 2017, a certified copy of which has been filed.