THE CORPORATION OF THE

MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN

BY-LAW NO. 2001-27

BEING A BY-LAW TO REGULATE THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 210, Paragraph 36 of the Municipal Act Chapter M-45, R.S.O. 1990 as amended the municipality may pass by-laws for the purpose of public safety, prohibit or regulate the discharge of guns or other firearms, airguns, springs-guns, cross bows, long-bows or any class or type thereof in the municipality or in any defined area thereof.

AND WHEREAS the municipality deems it expedient to regulate or prohibit, for the purpose of public safety, the discharge of guns or other firearms, air-guns, spring-guns, cross-bows, long-bows or any class thereof in the municipality or in any defined area thereof:

THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan enacts as follows:

Section 1 Title

This by-law shall be known as the Firearms By-law of the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan.

Section 2 Definitions

Firearms means any barrelled weapon from which any shot, bullet or missile can be discharged and that is capable of causing bodily injury to a person.

Section 3 Scope

No person shall discharge any gun or other firearm, air gun, spring gun, cross-bow, long-bow or any class or type thereof within the limits of the municipality at any time with exceptions as set out in Schedule "A" of this by-law.

Section 4 Penalty

Any person who contravenes any provisions of this by-law or any part thereof shall be guilty of an offence and be liable to a penalty recoverable under the provisions of the Provincial Offences Act.

Resolution Number 2001-06 Moved by Fred Busch

Seconded by Carole Dobbs Be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan approves the first and second reading of By-Law Number 2001-26 to By-Law Number 2001-42 with the exception of By-Law Number 2001-32 and approves the third reading and final passing of said by-laws. Carried.

SCHEDULE "A" TO BY-LAW NO. 2001-27

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- 1. The discharge of firearms, air guns, spring guns and long and cross bows is prohibited only within those Parts of Lot 23, Concession X and XI and that part of the original allowance for road between Concession X and XI fronting on Lots 23 being known as Himsworth South Municipal Park now being leased from the Ontario Hydro Commission, in the former Municipality known as Himsworth South.
- 2. All urban areas of the former Municipality known as Himsworth South, Powassan and Trout Creek shall prohibit the discharge of any firearms.

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3. All other areas of the former Municipality known as Himsworth South are exempt from the provisions of the Firearms By-law.