

BIG GRASSY INDIAN RESERVE #35G

By-Law No. 1-80

Being a by-law to provide for the regulation of traffic,

WHEREAS Paragraphs (b) and (r) of Section 81 of the Indian Act empower the council of a band to make by-laws respecting the regulation of traffic and the imposition of a penalty for the violation thereof;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed to be expedient to limit the speed of vehicles on public roads for the safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the Big Grassy Indian Reserve #35G.

NOW THEREFORE the council of the Big Grassy Band of Indians enacts as a by-law thereof the following:

- (1) In this by-law,
  - (a) "Council" means the Council, as defined in the Indian Act, of the Big Grassy Band of Indians;
  - (b) "reserve" means the tract of land set apart by Her Majesty within the definition of the Indian Act, for the use and benefit of the Big Grassy Band of Indians known as the Big Grassy Indian Reserve #35G, Morson, Ontario.
  - (c) "road" includes any road, driveway, street, lane, square, avenue, parkway, viaduct, trestle, through-fare or other place set aside for, used, or open to the public for the passage of vehicles within the Reserve; The exception being those portions of Highway 621 which is within the boundaries of the Big Grassy Indian Reserve #35G but are under the jurisdiction of the Ontario Provincial Government; and
  - (d) "sign" or "traffic signs" means a sign, warning, marking or other device for the guidance or direction of persons using the roads.
- (2) The design, dimension, and the erection of traffic signs shall meet the requirements indicated in the "Manuel of Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Canada", 2nd edition, 1966, as amended, and as prepared by the Council on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Canada and the Canadian Good Roads Association.
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  - (1) The Council shall, by resolution, authorize the placing of all traffic signs and the resolution shall specify the location of the sign.
  - (2) The Band Manager shall place and maintain, or cause to be placed and maintained, the signs authorized by the Council and shall remove or cause to be removed, signs which are not authorized by the Council.
- (4) No person shall interfere with or attempt to interfere with the placement or maintenance of any authorized traffic sign.
- (5) No person shall remove, deface, obliterate, alter or attempt to remove, deface, obliterate, alter or in any manner interfere with any sign lawfully placed on a road.
- (6) No person shall operate a vehicle on a road at a rate of speed in excess of 40 Km per hour and a sign to this effect shall be posted on all roads within the reserve excepting Highway 621 which is controlled by the Ontario Provincial Government.

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- (7) Any person who violates any of the provisions of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty days, or both fine and imprisonment.

Approved and dated at the Big Grassy Indian Reserve #35G.

This 14th day of April 1980 by the undersigned members

Of the Big Grassy indian Band Council.

Chief Martin Tuesday

Councillors Fred Copenence

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I, Martin Tuesday, Chief of the Big Grassy Band of Indians do hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing by-law was forwarded to the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development pursuant to section 82,ss (1) of the Indian Act of this 14 day of April 1980.

R. Hedges  
Witness

Martin Tuesday  
Chief