

CITY OF SURREY

BY-LAW NO. 12667

A by-law to amend the provisions of  
"Surrey Pound By-law, 1958, No. [1669](#),"  
as amended.

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The Council of the City of Surrey, in open meeting assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. "Surrey Pound By-law, 1958, No. [1669](#)", as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19 are renumbered as Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 & 20, respectively, and new Section 13 is inserted after Section 12.(2) and before Section 14.(1) as follows:

"PROHIBITION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS"

13. (1) No person shall keep any animal unless the animal is provided with:

- (i) clean potable drinking water at all times and suitable food of sufficient quantity and quality to allow for normal growth and the maintenance of normal body weight;
- (ii) food and water receptacles kept clean and disinfected and located so as to avoid contamination by excreta;
- (iii) the opportunity for periodic exercise sufficient to maintain good health;
- (iv) necessary veterinary medical care when the animal exhibits signs of pain or suffering.

(2) No person shall keep any animal which normally resides outside, or which is kept outside for short to extended periods of time, unless the animal is provided with outside shelter:

- (i) to ensure protection from heat, cold and wet that is appropriate to the animal's weight and type of coat. Such shelters must provide sufficient space to allow any animal the ability to turn about freely and to easily stand, sit and lie in a normal position;
- (ii) at least 1 1/2 times the length of the animal and at least the animal's length in width, and at least as high as the animal's height measured from the floor to the highest point of the animal when standing in a normal position plus 10%;

(iii) in an area providing sufficient shade to protect the animal from the direct rays of the sun at all times;

(iv) any pen and run area must be regularly cleaned and sanitized and all excreta removed at least once a day.

(3) No person shall cause an animal to be hitched, tied or fastened by any rope, chain or cord that is directly tied around the animal's neck on to a choke collar.

(4) No person shall cause an animal to be confined in an enclosed space, including a car, without adequate ventilation.

(5) No person shall transport an animal in a vehicle outside the passenger compartment unless it is adequately confined or unless it is secured in a body harness or other manner of fastening which is adequate to prevent it from falling off the vehicle or otherwise injuring itself."

2. This By-law shall be cited for all purposes as "Surrey Pound By-law, 1958, No. [1669](#), Amendment By-law, 1995, No. 12667."

PASSED THREE READINGS on the 17th day of July, 1995.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the 31st day of July, 1995.

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