

Mayoral Decision

Decision Number: 2024-30

Date: November 7, 2024

Subject: Direction to Staff – Public Space Use Bylaw Review

I, Mat Siscoe, Mayor of the City of St. Catharines, pursuant to Section 284.3 of the Municipal Act, hereby direct the Chief Administrative Officer to report back at the first City Council meeting of 2025 on Public Space Use Bylaws and Policies in the Province of Ontario, including but not limited to, those enacted by the City of Guelph (Bylaw Number (2024) – 20990), and the City of Ottawa (Encampment Guidance Document), with options for how to enact protocols similar in nature but responsive to local concerns, guidelines and setback distances in the City of St. Catharines.

Mayor

Mat Siscoe