

BY-LAW AND REGULATORY SERVICES SUMMER NEWSLETTER

The City of Markham, Corporate Services Division

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BY-LAW AND REGULATORY SERVICES

Markham's Municipal Law Enforcement Officers provide enforcement services for all the City's Regulatory and Licensing By-laws. Additionally, this division is also responsible for enforcement of parking infractions.

BY-LAW CONTACT INFORMATION

- Follow Markham By-law on Twitter [@MarkhamBylaw](https://twitter.com/MarkhamBylaw) (Please note that this account is not monitored 24/7)
- For service requests, call 905.477.5530, e-mail contact@markham.ca or visit www.markham.ca

OPEN AIR FIRES



- You must have a permit to burn an open fire in the City of Markham.
- You must notify the Fire department on the day that you plan to have an open air fire.
- For more information on open air fire, visit the City of Markham's [website](#).

PARK ETIQUETTE



- City parks promote a safe, active and healthy outdoor experience for both residents and visitors.
- Please be mindful of local by-laws when enjoying Markham's parks and outdoor areas.
- Please remember to keep your dog(s) on a leash at all times, except in designated off leash areas.
- When disposing of any items, please use the waste and recycling bins provided.
- If you spot graffiti or see a hazard or problem that needs attention, you can report it to the City by calling 905.477.5530.
- Find out where all the parks are in Markham on the City's [website](#).

Maintenance of Long Grass and Weeds

Grass & weeds must be under six inches (Bylaw #2017-27)



Grass clippings are not accepted for curbside collection. Leaving them on the lawn creates a natural fertilizer & keeps the weeds away!



With the summer weather upon us, please remember to "Keep Markham Beautiful" by maintaining your lawn and boulevard. [Refer to By-law 2017-27 for more information.](#)

Frequently Requested By-laws

The City of Markham is committed to providing easy-to-understand information on the by-law and regulations that may affect both current and future homeowners in Markham. These by-laws concern the use and enjoyment of your property, and understanding them is an important part of living together as a community.

The City has put together a By-law Guide for Homeowners, which includes the fourteen by-laws that homeowners are most concerned about. You can view this list on www.markham.ca.

The City of Markham has also put together a comprehensive list of the most frequently requested by-laws, as they relate to Parking Operations, Property Standards, and By-law Enforcement. You can view this list on www.markham.ca

Communities do not take shape by accident – **Understanding our City's by-laws is everyone's responsibility!**

Bright Spot

"On behalf of family council at Woodhaven Nursing Home, they want to say thanks for the great service and how much they appreciate the work that you do and how much easier it is for the staff, family and residents. The officers are very friendly. Thanks again for all you do."