



COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE REPORT

Bylaw 21244 - Animal Care and Control Bylaw a

Recommendation of the Committee

That Bylaw 21244 be given the appropriate readings.

History

- At the August 11, 2025, Community and Public Services Committee meeting, the August 11, 2025, Community Services report CS03105 was considered.
- The Committee heard from L. Sunley, Edmonton Humane Society; A. Bachand; C. Karsten, UC Davis Koret Shelter Medicine Program; K. Kowalchuk; and A. Buttnor.

Related motions passed at the August 11, 2025, Community and Public Services Committee meeting

- **Motion 1:**

That Bylaw 21244 be amended as follows:

section 35 be amended to add subsection 5 to allow the City Manager the ability to place conditions on existing pigeon licenses to reduce problematic issues.

- **Motion 2:**

That, as part of Administration's report on pet licence subsidy programs, Administration analyze options for using pet licence fees to fund the implementation of Dogs in Open Spaces strategy.

Attachment

August 11, 2025, Community Services report CS03105

**Clerk's Note:*

As Motion 1 did not contain the full text of the recommended amendment to Bylaw 21244, Council must select this item for debate. To fulfill the intent of the motion, it is recommended that Council consider the following motion prior to first reading:

That Bylaw 21244 be amended by deleting and replacing section 35(4) with:

35(4) The City Manager may impose conditions on a Licence to keep or have pigeons.

35(5) A Licensee may appeal the decision of the City Manager to refuse to issue, revoke, or impose conditions on a Licence issued under this section within 14 days pursuant to the provisions of the Community Standards and Licence Appeal Committee Bylaw, Bylaw 19003.