

BYLAW NO. 1411

A Bylaw to make provisions for the Warning of
the Dangers of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 692 of the Municipal Act and subject to the Health Act, Council may by bylaw regulate persons, their premises, and their activities to further the care, protection, promotion and preservation of the health of the inhabitants of the municipality; and,

WHEREAS Council recognizes the danger of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome and Fetal Alcohol Effects; and,

WHEREAS Education and Information has proven to be an efficient way to reduce the incidence of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome; and

WHEREAS Council wishes to place suitable warning signs where alcohol is consumed or sold.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the City of White Rock, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. In this Bylaw, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Licenced Establishment" means any establishment licenced under the provisions of the Liquor Control and Licencing Act and includes restaurants;
 - (b) "Proprietor" means the person who ultimately controls, governs, or directs the activities carried on within the kinds of premises referred to in this Bylaw and includes the person actually in charge thereof.
2. The proprietor of every Licenced Establishment shall ensure that a sign or signs warning of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome shall be installed and maintained as prescribed in Section 3 hereof.
3. Signs warning of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome shall meet the following minimum requirements:
 - (a) For any licenced premises that is permitted to sell alcohol beverages for off the premises consumption, there shall be at least one sign, located so it is clearly visible from all locations where the sale or dispensing of the alcoholic beverage takes place.
 - (b) For any licenced premises that permits the consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises, there shall be one sign conspicuously displayed in each public washroom located within the premise.

- (c) Each sign required hereunder shall have a minimum dimension of 21.5 cm by 21.5cm.
- (d) Lettering on the sign shall be in bold print, white on a red background and shall be a minimum of 1 cm in height.
- (e) The wording on the sign shall be as follows:

"WARNING:
 DRINKING DISTILLED SPIRITS, BEER, COOLERS,
 WINE AND OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
 DURING PREGNANCY CAN CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS"

- (f) Signs shall be substantially in the form and style as set out in Schedule "A", dated October 06, 1994, attached to and forming part of this Bylaw.

4. This bylaw may be cited as the "White Rock Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Bylaw, 1994, No. 1411".

RECEIVED FIRST READING on the	11th	day	of
October 1994			
RECEIVED SECOND READING on the	11th	day	of
October 1994			
RECEIVED THIRD READING on the	11th	day	of
October 1994			
RECEIVED THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTER			
OF HEALTH on the	day of	199	
RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED on the	day of	199	

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

1994 October 17

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 1411, duly given Third Reading by the Council of the Corporation of the City of White Rock on the 11th day of October, 1994.

D. A. Middler
 City Clerk

CITY OF WHITE ROCK
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