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FIRE AND EXPLOSIVES

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION:

1. No person shall accumulate or cause to be accumulated in any place where a fire arising from it might reasonably be expected to spread, any rags, damp hay, or straw, or any other material which is liable to cause spontaneous combustion.

STORING INFLAMMABLE MATERIAL:

2. No person shall store or cause to be stored any wood, coal, paper, sawdust, gasoline or other inflammable spirits, explosives or other inflammable materials, explosives or other inflammable material near a stove, furnace, engine or other source of fire where a fire originating from such source might reasonably be expected to be aggravated by the presence of the inflammable material.

EXPLOSIVES:

3. No person shall use or cause to be used any explosives for blasting within one thousand feet of any building, public place or public road or way, unless:

(a) the blast is set off during the period between nine o'clock in the forenoon and one hour before sunset;

(b) every explosive charge and site is covered with heavy rope, brush, mats, or similar apparatus so as to prevent the escape of broken rock, stones, turf, soil, or other dangerous fragments;

(c) the blast is set off during a time when no person not completely protected within a pit or baffle is within one hundred feet of the charge;

(d) a clearly audible signal warning is sounded by means of a siren, horn, or similar apparatus at least fifteen seconds and not more than one minute before the blast;

(e) it can be determined that the blasting will not cause any reasonable alarm to the occupants of the premises in the vicinity of the blasting, and unless it can be determined that the blasting will not cause any break, strain, shift or any other damage to the premises in the vicinity of the blasting;

(f) the person conducting the blasting operation informs the nearest peace officer or inspector of explosives of the intention to blast and the time, date and place that the blasting will occur.

PENALTIES:

4. Where any person contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this By-Law, he shall be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty dollars, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a period of not more than ten (10) days.