

Memo



To: Committee of the Whole
From: **Corporate Services**
Date: 2019-03-11
Subject: Unfinished Bylaws

Background

There are a number of bylaws that were started by Corporate Services under the previous Council which were left incomplete during the lead-up to the 2018 election.



In 2018, Council requested staff to develop a bylaw for the regulation of Second-Hand Dealers and Pawnshops (proposed Bylaw 2044), and another to determine Smoke- and Vape-Free Places within the City (proposed Bylaw 2054).

- Smoke- and Vape-free Places
 - Largely based on Provincial legislation, the local bylaw allows enforcement by Bylaw Officer rather than requiring RCMP attention.
- Second-hand Dealers and Pawnbrokers
 - Based on bylaws from Kelowna, Nanaimo, and Port Coquitlam, this bylaw establishes certain requirements for maintaining documentation of second-hand items sold or pawned.

At this time, staff would like some guidance from Council as to whether these bylaws should be brought back to Council for further discussion or tabled until Council develops an appetite to give consideration to either of these issues.

Benefits or Impacts

Strategic Impact

-  The proposed bylaws were initiated by Council based on public feedback.
-  The proposed bylaws impact community liveability

Policy/Legislation

The proposed bylaws are based on higher-level legislation but provide a means for local enforcement.

Attachments

- DRAFT – Bylaw 2044 Second-Hand Dealers and Pawnbrokers
- DRAFT – Bylaw 2054 Smoke- and Vape-Free Places