THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RAMARA

BYLAW NUMBER 2005.60

A BYLAW TO REGULATE THE USE OF OFF ROAD VEHICLES AND HORSES ON THE RAMARA TRAIL SYSTEM WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF RAMARA

WHEREAS THE Municipal Act, S.O. 2001 provides a Municipality with the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purposes of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS Section 130 of the Municipal Act authorizes a municipality to regulate matters not specially provided for by this Act or any other Act for the purposes related to the health, safety and well being of the inhabitants of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS Section 9 and 11 of the Municipal Act S.O. 2001 c.25, confers power to a Municipality to regulate and prohibit matters with Municipal Spheres of Jurisdiction;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Township of Ramara deems it in the best interest to prohibit the operation of off road vehicles on the Ramara Trail system;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Ramara enacts as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS

- 1.1 Council means the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Ramara.
- 1.2 Bylaw enforcement officer means the officer that will be responsible for enforcing and administration of this bylaw.
- 1.3 Motorized vehicle means a vehicle including an automobile, motorcycle, motor assisted bicycle, all terrain vehicle (as defined in the Highway Traffic Act), off road vehicle (as defined in the Off Road Vehicle Act), motorized snow vehicle, and any other vehicle propelled or driven otherwise than by muscular power.
- 1.4 Personal assistive mobility device means a motorized wheelchair or medical scooter used to improve and/or assist the mobility of the operator having a physical disability, with the capacity to carry one (1) operator only and no passengers.

- 1.5 Ramara Trail system means the Ramara Trail within the geographic limits of the Township of Ramara as outlined in Schedule "A" attached hereto.
- 1.6 Township means the Corporation of the Township of Ramara.

2. PROVISIONS

- 2.1 No person shall operate a motorized vehicle on the Ramara Trail system;
- 2.2 No person shall ride or lead a horse on the Ramara Trail system.

3. EXCEPTIONS

- 3.1 Personal assistive mobility devices are exempt from the provisions of this Bylaw;
- 3.2 Motorized vehicles required in the maintenance and repair of the trail system are exempt from the provisions of this bylaw.
- 3.3 Motorized snow vehicles displaying a valid Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Club (OFSC) Trail Permit are exempt from the provisions of this bylaw.
- 3.4 Emergency Service vehicles are exempt from the provisions of this bylaw.

4. ENFORCEMENT

- 4.1 Every person who contravenes any provision of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and is liable to a fine as listed in Schedule "B" attached to and forming part of this bylaw.
- 4.2 Every person who contravenes the provisions of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and upon conviction is liable to a fine or penalty as provided by the Provincial Offences Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.33, Section 61.
- 4.3 Council hereby appoints the bylaw enforcement officer to enforce the regulations of this bylaw.

5. ENACTMENT

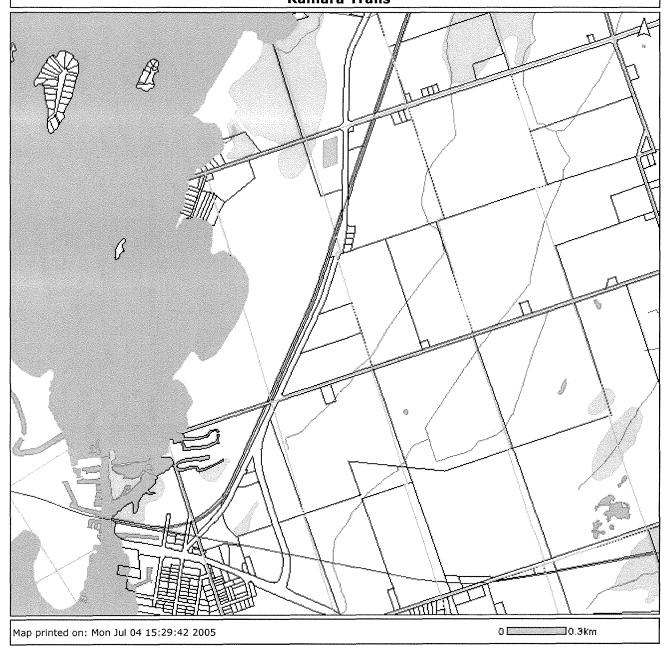
5.1 That this bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the date of passing.

BYLAW READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED THIS 4^{TH} DAY OF JULY, 2005.

WILLIAM DUFFY, MAYOR

RICHARD P. BATES, CAO/CLERK

Schedule "A" to Bylaw 2005. ້ອິອ Ramara Trails



LEGEND

SCHEDULE "B" TO BYLAW 2005.60

SET FINES

Description		Section	Set Fine
1.	Operate motorized vehicle on the Ramara Trail	2.1	\$75.00
2.	Ride or lead a horse on the Ramara Trail	2.2	\$75.00