

TOWN OF MORRIS

BY-LAW NO. 10 /03

BEING A BY-LAW OF THE TOWN OF MORRIS TO REGULATE THE USE OF FIREARMS IN TOWN.

WHEREAS Section 232(1) of The Municipal Act provides, in part:

“A Council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

- j) the sale and use of firecrackers and other fireworks, the use of rifles, guns, and other firearms, and the use of bows and arrows and other devices;
- k) wild and domestic animals and activities in relation to them, including by-laws differentiating on the basis of sex, breed, size or weight;”

AND WHEREAS the Town of Morris is currently having problems with the number of crows in the Town;

AND WHEREAS Council is in the opinion that it is in the best interest of the community to provide controls to limit the number in Town;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Morris, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. THAT Animal Control Officers designated by the Town of Morris in writing, providing they have a current FAC permit, are hereby authorized to use a shotgun to control the crow and grackle population within the Town of Morris limits;
2. THAT the hours any of the above noted are permitted to discharge the firearms for the purpose of this by-law shall be one-half hour after sunrise and up to one-half hour before sunset.
3. THAT notification be given the the Morris Office of the Red River Royal Canadian Mounted Police Detachment prior to commencing with the discharge of the firearm for the purpose of this by-law.

DONE AND PASSED in open Council assembled in Morris this 24th day of June, 2003.

THE TOWN OF MORRIS

MAYOR

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Read a first time this 10th day of June, 2003.

Read a second time this 24th day of June, 2003.

Read a third time this 24th day of June, 2003.