



**Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 8856,  
Amendment Bylaw No. 9486**

The Council of the City of Richmond, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The **Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 8856** is amended:
  - (i) In section 3.1.1, by deleting the words “Subject to other provisions of this Bylaw:” and substituting with “A person”;
  - (ii) In section 3.1.1(a), by deleting the words “a person”;
  - (iii) In section 3.1.1(b), by deleting the words “a person”;
  - (iv) In section 3.1.2 by adding, after the word “may” the words “, in the determination of the **inspector**,”
  - (v) In section 3.2.1, by deleting subsection (a) and substituting:

“(a) the **sound** made by a dog barking, howling or otherwise, or the **sound** created by any other animal, continually or sporadically or erratically for any period in excess of one-half hour of time;”
  - (vi) In section 3.2.1, subsection (b), by deleting the words “ in good working order”;
  - (vii) In section 3.2.1, subsection (e), by deleting the final word “and”;
  - (viii) In section 3.2.1, subsection (f)(ii) by deleting the semi-colon “;” and replacing it with a period “.”;
  - (ix) In section 3.2.1, by adding subsections (g) and (h) as follows:

“(g) except as permitted under section 4.1.1(l), the **sound** caused by **lawn and garden power equipment**; and

(h) except as permitted under section 4.1.1(m), the **sound** caused by **construction**.”

- 2. The **Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 8856** is amended:
  - (i) In section 4.1.1, by deleting the words “This Bylaw does not apply to **sound made**” and substituting “Exempted from the general sound restrictions in Part 2 is **sound made**.”
  - (ii) In section 4.1.1(i) by inserting after the words “dedicated roads,” the words “statutory rights of way,”;
  - (iii) In section 4.2.3, by adding, at the end of the section, the sentence “The notice requirement in this section is in addition to the signage requirement in section 4.1.2.”
  
- 3. The **Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 8856**, Schedule A is amended by adding, in section 3 Land Use Contracts, after the land use contract bylaw numbers, in each zone, the following:
  - “(i) or, if the Land Use Contracts are terminated and replaced by underlying zoning, the underlying zoning.”
  
- 4. This Bylaw is cited as “**Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 8856, Amendment Bylaw No. 9486**”.

FIRST READING

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SECOND READING

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THIRD READING

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