



**CITY OF BROOKS  
BYLAW NO. 23/14**

**A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF BROOKS, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO  
AMEND BYLAW NO. 21/16, BEING A BYLAW RESPECTING COMMUNITY  
STANDARDS.**

**WHEREAS**, it is desirable to amend Bylaw No. 21/16 being a Bylaw respecting community standards;

**NOW, THEREFORE** the Council of the City of Brooks duly assembled, enacts as follows:

1. That the following definition be added to the Bylaw to read:

232. "Loiter" means, when done idly or without apparent purpose, to stand or wait around, hang around, linger, tarry, saunter, delay, or dawdle;

2. That Subsection 518 be added to the Bylaw to read:

Loitering

518. No person shall Loiter in or near a Public Place in a way that obstructs any other Person's lawful use or enjoyment of that Public Place.

3. That the aforementioned amendments to Bylaw No. 21/16, being the Community Standards Bylaw, make use of formatting that maintains the consistency of the portions of the Bylaw being amended.

4. That Schedule "A" be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the attached Schedule "A".

5. That this Bylaw shall take effect upon final passing thereof.

Read a first time this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.

Read a second time this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.

Read a third time and finally passed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.

  
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Mayor

  
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Chief Administrative Officer

**SCHEDULE "A" – Scheduled Penalties  
Bylaw 23/14**

<u>Subsection</u>	<u>Offence</u>	<u>Penalty</u>	<u>Second or Subsequent Offence Within One (1) Year</u>
317	Permitting an untidy/Unsightly condition	\$300.00	\$500.00
318	Allow grass/weeds to grow higher than six (6) inches	\$300.00	\$500.00
319	Allow material to accumulate	\$300.00	\$500.00
320	Allow the open storage of toxic fluid	\$300.00	\$500.00
321 – 330	Fail to keep premises in Good Repair	\$300.00	\$500.00
331	Fail to keep steps, walks, driveways, or parking spaces maintained for safe passage of emergency services	\$300.00	\$500.00
332	Fail to repair access points and entrances	\$300.00	\$500.00
333	Fail to secure unoccupied Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
338	Allow an appliance to remain on Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
339	Fail to prevent the opening and closing of an appliance	\$300.00	\$500.00
348	Allow the accumulation of Building Materials	\$300.00	\$500.00
352	Fail to store Building Materials in an orderly manner	\$300.00	\$500.00
354	Allow an unapproved storage area on a Non-residential Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
355	Conduct repair work to a Motor Vehicle on a Residential Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
363	Allow a flow of water to enter adjacent Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
364, 370	Fail to direct rainwater downspout or eaves trough to an approved direction	\$300.00	\$500.00
371	Allow airborne matter to escape from Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
372	Allow outdoor light to shine into adjacent Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
375	Allow loose debris to escape Premises	\$300.00	\$500.00
377,378	Deposit flyers on premises where posted that such material is not wanted	\$300.00	\$500.00

**Schedule "A" – Specified Penalties  
Bylaw 23/14**

<u>Subsection</u>	<u>Offence</u>	<u>Penalty</u>	<u>Second or Subsequent Offence Within One (1) Year</u>
379	Allow a depression to become/remains a danger to public safety	\$300.00	\$500.00
381	Create / apply Graffiti	\$500.00	\$1000.00
382	Fail to remove Graffiti	\$250.00	\$400.00
423	Make, continue, cause or allow to be made Noise	\$250.00	\$400.00
424	Yell / scream / swear in a Public Place	\$250.00	\$400.00
425	Carry-on a Noise-making activity within 150 metres of a hospital zone	\$250.00	\$400.00
426 – 432	Operate a prohibited device during the Night-time	\$250.00	\$400.00
433	Use a signalling device in a Residential area during the Night-time	\$250.00	\$400.00
434, 435	Permit / cause a Motor Vehicle to emit Noise	\$250.00	\$400.00
437	Cause / permit a Construction project during prohibited hours	\$250.00	\$400.00
500	Unreasonably disturbing / interfering with another Person's enjoyment of the City	Youth (Under 18) \$250.00 Adult \$500.00	Youth (Under 18) \$500.00 Adult \$1,000.00
501	Urinate, defecate or deposit human waste in a Public Place	\$250.00	\$500.00
502	Spitting at / on another Person / within a Public Place	\$250.00	\$500.00
503	Fighting in a Public Place	Youth (Under 18) - \$250.00 Adult - \$500.00	Youth (Under 18) - \$500.00 Adult - \$1000.00
505	Throw / propel an object in a Public Place that is reasonably likely to cause injury or damage	\$250.00	\$500.00
506	Bullying	Youth (Under 18) - \$150.00 Adult - \$500.00	Youth (Under 18) - \$250.00 Adult - \$1000.00
507 – 514	Panhandling by prohibited means	\$150.00	\$300.00

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515	Scavenging through Waste	\$250.00	\$400.00
516	Scavenging through landfill or disposal site	\$250.00	\$400.00
517	Smoking Cannabis in a Public Place	\$250.00	\$500.00
518	Loitering in a Public Place	Youth (Under 18) - \$100.00 Adult - \$250.00	Youth (Under 18) - \$200.00 Adult - \$400.00
653	Fail to remedy contraventions	\$300.00	\$600.00