

## **The Corporation of the Township of North Kawartha**

### **By-law 2018-085**

**Being a by-law of the Corporation of the Township of North Kawartha to amend By-Law 2012-046 which regulates the setting of open air fires, by including the ban of flying lanterns.**

**Whereas** ; the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997, S.O. 1997, c.4, s.7.1 (1) (a) provides that a Council of a Municipality may pass By-laws regulating fire prevention, including the prevention of the spreading of fires;

**And Whereas** it is desirable to amend By-law # 46/12 being a by-law to regulate conditions under which fires may be set in the open air or in contained sites and precautions to be observed by persons setting fire;

**Now Therefore** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Kawartha enacts as follows:

1. Amend section 1. Definitions by adding:  
Flying lantern is a small hot air balloon made of paper, with an opening at the bottom where a small fire is suspended. Also known as sky lantern;
2. Amend section 2. Requirements, by adding:  
No person shall ignite or use a flying lantern.

That this by-law comes into force and effect on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2018.

Read a first, second and third time and passed in open Council on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 2018.

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Richard B. Woodcock, Mayor

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Connie Parent, Clerk