Rural Municipality of Gimli

BY-LAW NO 05-0009

BEING a by-law of the Rural Municipality of Gimli providing for the regulating Skateboarding.

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 232(1) of The Municipal Act of Manitoba Chap. M225 states in part that a council may in a by-law:

"232(1) A Council may pass by-laws for municipal purposes respecting the following matters:

(b) people, activities and things in, on or near a public place or a place open to the public, including parks, municipal roads, recreation centres, restaurants, facilities, retail stores, malls, and private clubs and facilities that are exempt from municipal taxation."

AND WHEREAS persons Skate Boarding have repeatedly caused damage to municipal property, private property and been a nuisance to a great number of pedestrians, vehicle traffic and private property owners in the Municipality;

AND WHEREAS Council views it in the best interest of the Rural Municipality of Gimli to establish regulations for prohibiting Skateboarding in or near a public place or a place open to the public, including parks, municipal sidewalks, recreation centres, Gimli Recreation Authority property, restaurants, facilities, retail stores, malls, private clubs and facilities that are exempt from municipal taxation;

NOW THEREFORE Council of the Town of Gimli in meeting duly assembled, enacts as follows:

- THAT no person shall Skate Board on in or near a public place or a place open
 to the public, including parks, municipal sidewalks, beach boardwalk, recreation
 centre property, restaurants, facilities, retail stores, malls, private clubs and
 facilities that are exempt from municipal taxation unless area is posted as Skate
 Boarding Permitted.
- THAT no person shall Skate Board in the area commonly known as Rotary Park
 or Harbour Park and the boardwalk adjacent to the beach between Centre Street
 and Goldfield Drive and Centre Street east of First Avenue or upon the federal
 pier and dock areas.
- THAT any person violating the provisions of this by-law may be arrested without warrant by any peace officer having jurisdiction within the Rural Municipality of Gimli.
- 4. THAT the person who contravenes the provisions set out in this by-law shall, for each offence, be liable upon summary conviction to a fine of not less than \$100.00 and not greater than \$300.00 plus costs. Each contravention of this by-law shall be deemed to be a separate offence.
- 5. THAT By-law 99-10 and By-Law 03-0014 be repealed.

DONE AND PASSED by the Council of the Rural Municipality of Gimli, duly assembled this 11th day of June, 2005.



Mayor

Chief Administrative Officer

Read a first time this 26th day of May, A. D. 2005

Read a second time this 11th day of July A.D. 2005

Read a third time this 11th day of July A.D. 2005