



EXPLANATION

Parks Control By-law Amendment Regarding Liquor Consumption in Parks

Enactment of the attached By-law will implement the Vancouver Park Board's resolution of July 6, 2020, to temporarily designate places where liquor may be consumed in parks.

Director of Legal Services
July 6, 2020



A By-law to Amend the Parks Control By-law Regarding Liquor Consumption in Parks

THE PARK BOARD OF THE CITY OF VANCOUVER, in public meeting, enacts as follows:

1. This By-law amends the indicated provisions of the Parks Control By-law.
2. In section 1, the Board:
 - (a) inserts the following definition in the correct alphabetical order:

“LIQUOR” means, subject to the Liquor Control and Licensing Regulation, B.C. Reg. 241/2016, beer, wine, spirits or other product that is intended for human consumption and that contains more than 1% alcohol by volume.”; and
 - (b) renumbers the existing subsections accordingly.

3. The Board adds the following new sections in the correct numerical order:

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CONSUMPTION OF LIQUOR

- 23A. The parks or parts thereof listed in Schedule 2 of this by-law, the boundaries of which will be identified by signs posted in accordance with this by-law, are hereby designated as places where liquor may be consumed.
- 23B. Liquor may be consumed in a park:
 - (a) in those areas designated as places where liquor may be consumed under section 23A of this by-law;
 - (b) between July 6, 2020 and October 12, 2020; and
 - (c) between the hours of 11:00am and 9:00pm.
- 23C. The General Manager or their delegate must post signs setting out:
 - (a) the boundaries of the places where liquor may be consumed; and
 - (b) the hours that liquor may be consumed.
- 23D. The signs referred to in section 23C must:
 - (a) number no fewer than what is required to reasonably indicate the boundaries of the designated place;
 - (b) be a minimum of 12 inches by 24 inches; and
 - (c) be posted on posts or affixed to other items along the boundaries of the places where liquor may be consumed.”.



4. The Board adds a new Schedule 2 – Parks and Areas of Parks Where Liquor May be Consumed, as attached to this By-law as Appendix A.
5. A decision by a court that any part of this By-law is illegal, void, or unenforceable severs that part from this By-law, and is not to affect the balance of this By-law.
6. This By-law is to come into force and take effect on the date of its enactment.

ENACTED by the Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation this 6th day of July, 2020.

Camil Dumont, Chair
Board of Parks and Recreation

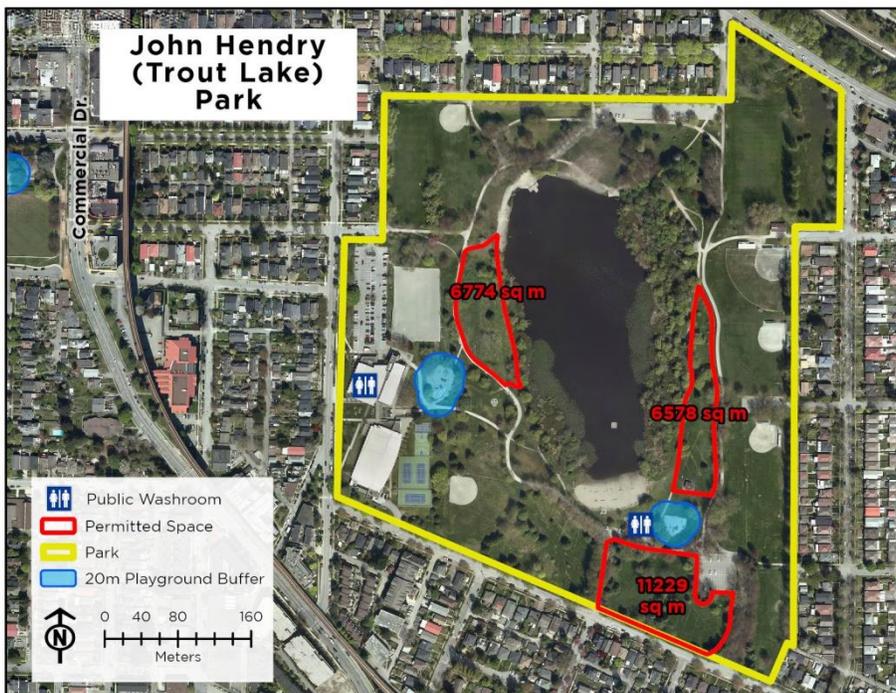
Shauna Wilton, Acting General Manager
Board of Parks and Recreation

SCHEDULE 2

PARKS AND AREAS OF PARKS
WHERE LIQUOR MAY BE CONSUMED



1. Fraser River Park - Designated Area



2: John Hendry (Trout Lake) Park - Designated Areas (x3)

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3: Harbour Green Park - Designated Area



4: Locarno Beach Park - Designated Area

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5: Memorial South Park - Designated Area



6: New Brighton Park - Designated Areas (x3)

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7: Queen Elizabeth Park - Designated Areas (x2)



8: Quilchena Park - Designated Area

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9: Stanley Park - Designated Areas (x2)



10: Vanier Park - Designated Area