

**PROVINCE OF QUEBEC  
REGIONAL COUNTY MUNICIPALITY  
OF ARGENTEUIL  
MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARRINGTON**

**BY-LAW NUMBER 279-1-2017**

**ESTABLISHING THE CONDITIONS OF USE OF THE LOST RIVER  
COMMUNITY CENTER INTERNET CAFE (2811, ROUTE 327, HARRINGTON)  
FOR THE CITIZENS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF  
HARRINGTON**

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**WHEREAS** the Municipal Council considers it in the interest of the Municipality to adopt a By-Law setting out the conditions of use for the Internet cafe for the citizens of the Municipality of the Township of Harrington;

**WHEREAS** a notice of motion was given by Councilor Richard Francoeur at the regular council meeting held on July 28, 2017;

**THEREFORE** it is proposed by Councilor Gabrielle Parr, seconded by Councilor Sarah Dwyer and resolved by majority that By-Law number 279-1-2017 be and is hereby adopted and that the following be decreed and enacted as follows :

## **ARTICLE 1: PREAMBLE**

The preamble forms an integral part of this By-Law.

## **ARTICLE 2: DEFINITIONS**

Where a word hereinafter defined is to be found in this By-Law, it has the following meanings:

**INTERNET CAFE:** Place where people are offered access to the Internet.

**ACCESS CARD:** Magnetic card or magnetic chip used as a key and giving access to a locked place.

**EARPHONES:** The earphones are a device containing a transducer that is placed in the ear, or that is attached to it for listening to sounds. They are also called auricles. They are sometimes also called "headphones" by function analogy with audio headphones.

## **ARTICLE 3: APPLICATION**

This By-Law applies in whole and in part to the territory of the Municipality of the Township of Harrington.

## **ARTICLE 4: SCHEDULE AND OPERATION OF THE INTERNET CAFÉ**

1. The internet cafe is opened from Monday to Sunday from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. The alarm system will be activated from 22:00 without further notice. The schedule can be modified by simple resolution of the municipal council.
2. An access card is required and compulsory for all users, citizens of the Municipality of the Township of Harrington.
3. Users must register at the Municipal office at 2940, Route 327 in Harrington during office hours and a \$ 5 deposit is required to obtain an access card to the internet cafe.
4. The municipality reserves the right to prohibit access to the internet cafe and / or to delete the access card of any person who does not comply with these rules.

5. Notwithstanding the deposit made to obtain the access card, once the card is obtained from the municipality, it is forbidden to transfer or lend the card to anyone.
6. The use of the earphone port is mandatory for listening to audio, messages and music files.
7. Access to children under the age of 16 years, not accompanied by an adult, is prohibited.

#### **ARTICLE 5: HEALTH AND SAFETY**

1. Access to animals is strictly prohibited.
2. It is strictly forbidden to smoke in the internet cafe.
3. It is strictly forbidden to consume drugs in any way inside or outside the internet cafe.
4. It is strictly forbidden to consume alcoholic beverages inside or outside of the internet cafe.
5. The data of the security camera system and the magnetic card access system shall be the exclusive property of the municipality. The recorded data is retained for security and / or investigation purposes. The data is destroyed after a certain time.
6. It is forbidden to access the internet cafe bare feet and / or shirtless or simply wearing a swimsuit.
7. It is asked to keep the place clean and to use the garbage.

#### **ARTICLE 6: BEHAVIOR**

1. Users are committed to socially responsible behavior, respectful of other users, places and the environment.
2. The use of earphones is mandatory for listening to audio files.
3. You are invited to report to the management at any time any behavior deemed inappropriate or contrary to this By-Law.

**ARTICLE 7: ADMINISTRATION AND PENALTY**

1. The Council generally authorizes any peace officer, the municipal inspector, the municipal officer or any other person appointed to see the application of this By-Law and to expel the offender and / or to confiscate the offender's identity card of any person who contravenes any provision of this By-Law.
2. Management shall have the right at all times to confiscate and deactivate an access card if it deems it necessary to protect the premises and / or users.
3. The Municipality invites you to point out to the administration any breakdowns and irregularities of the system.
4. The Municipality shall make every effort to maintain a good quality wireless Internet signal without, however, guaranteeing such a signal.

**ARTICLE 8: COMING INTO FORCE**

This By-Law comes into force in accordance with the Act.