

THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF PRINCE EDWARD**BY LAW NO. 551 -2000**

**BEING A BY-LAW TO REGULATE AND RESTRICT THE
UNNECESSARY USE OF MUNICIPALLY SUPPLIED WATER WITHIN
THE COUNTY OF PRINCE EDWARD.**

WHEREAS Section 8 of the Public Utilities Act, RSO 1990, Chapter P52 as amended, authorizes the Corporation to regulate the distribution and the use of water in all places where and for all purposes for which it may be required:

AND WHEREAS Section 12 of the Public Utilities Act, RSO 1990 Chapter P52 as amended, authorizes the Corporation to pass by-laws for regulating the time, manner, extent and nature of the supply of water:

AND WHEREAS Section 13 of the Public Utilities Act, RSO 1990, Chapter P52 as amended authorizes the Corporation to set prohibitions and penalties:

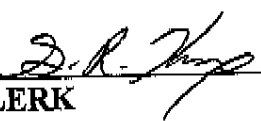
AND WHEREAS Section 20 (2) of the Minister's Order dated March 27, 1997 deems all bylaws of the Town of Picton Public Utilities Commission that relate to the production, treatment, distribution and supply of water to be by-laws of the new Corporation of the County of Prince Edward:

**NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE
COUNTY OF PRINCE EDWARD ENACTS THE FOLLOWING:**


1. The provisions of this by-law shall apply to all properties located within the County of Prince Edward that are serviced with water from a municipally owned and operated water filtration plant and distribution system.
2. For the purposes of this bylaw "Use of water for outside purposes" includes, but is not limited to; lawn and garden watering, motor vehicle washing, filling or topping off of swimming pools and any other use of water that results in water being used outdoors.
3. The municipality may at any time, from time to time, through Public Notice, restrict those properties described in Paragraph 1 of this by-law to only use water for outside purposes between certain times periods of any day, of any month, of any year.
4. Swimming pools shall not be filled or topped up with water from the Municipal water system if so restricted in accordance with Paragraph 3 of this by-law. Receipts from water suppliers shall be produced if requested by the by-law enforcement officer.
5. Use of water for the purpose of mixing building materials only shall be exempted from this by-law provided that such use is reasonable for the intended purpose.
6. The provisions of this by-law shall be enforced by the By law Enforcement Officer.

7. Every person or persons who contravenes any provision of this by-law is guilty of an offence and is liable to a fine of not more than \$1,000.00. This bylaw shall be enforced pursuant to the provisions of the Provincial Offences Act, RSO 1990, Chap. P33 as amended and the penalties imposed by or under the authority of this by-law are recoverable under the Provincial Offences Act.
8. That By-law No. 68 of the Corporation of the County of Prince Edward is hereby repealed.
9. This by-law shall come into force and effect upon third and final reading thereof.

Read a First, Second and Third time and finally passed this 6th day of November, 2000.



CLERK
Glen R. Knox



MAYOR
James Taylor, Q.C.

