

April 1, 2025

Hi Martina:

Can you please add a discussion on bylaw 2023-57, noise bylaw. I have had more than one discussion with a rural ratepayer about complaints about his dogs barking. The bylaw speaks to exemptions for farm animals but nothing for domestic ones. It reminds me of the bylaw Lakefield passed years ago that made it unlawful for birds to sing before 5:00 AM.

I believe there should be some differential between rural and urban noise complaints for domestic animals.

If you need more or an edit, please let me know.

Thank you, Tom