Bylaw No. 1198

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Read a 3rd time passed Oct 12 1876

Hugh Campbell
City Solicitor
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Whereas, it is deemed expedient and desirable, for the safety of foot passengers and others, to regulate the speed of bicycles within the city limits and to provide for the carrying of lanterns at night by persons riding bicycles upon the streets of the said city;

Now, Therefore, the Mayor and Council of the City of Winnipeg in Council assembled enact as follows:

1. No person shall ride a bicycle within the limits of the City of Winnipeg or upon any of the streets, squares or lanes thereof at a greater rate of speed than eight miles per hour.

2. All persons riding bicycles upon any of the streets, squares or lanes of the City of Winnipeg or within...
the limits of the City of Winnipeg between half an hour after sunup and daylight, shall carry lighted lanterns attached or fixed to the head or handle-bar of such bicycles so as to be easily seen and distinguished by foot passengers and other persons upon the said streets.

(3) Any person or persons guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall, upon conviction before the Mayor, or any Justice or Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction in the City of Winnipeg, on the oath or affirmation of any creditable witness, forfeit and pay at the discretion of the said Mayor, Justice or Justices for each offence convicting, a penalty not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars and costs for each offence, and in default of payment thereof it shall be lawful for the Mayor, Police Magistrate, Justice or Justices of the Peace convicting as aforesaid to issue a warrant under his hand and seal, or in case the said Mayor, Justice or Justices of the
Peace, or any two or more of them acting together therein, then under the hand and seal of one of them, to levy the said penalty and costs or penalty and costs only, by distress and sale of the offender's or offenders' goods and chattels, and in case of no sufficient distress to satisfy the said penalty and costs or penalty or costs, it shall and may be lawful for the Mayor, Justice or Justices convicting as aforesaid, or of any one of them, to commit the offender or offenders to the common jail or any lock-up house in the city of Winnipeg for any period not exceeding twenty-one days, unless the said penalty and costs or penalty or costs be sooner paid.

Done and passed in council assembled at the city of Winnipeg this twelfth day of October 1st, 1896.

[Signature]
Mayor

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City Clerk
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2. That on and after the first day of January next All persons riding bicycles upon any of the streets, squares or lanes of the City of Winnipeg or within the limits of the City of Winnipeg between half an hour after sunset and daylight, shall carry lighted lanterns attached or fixed to the head or handle-bar of such bicycles so as to be easily seen and distinguished by foot passengers and other persons upon the said streets.

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Done and Passed in Council assembled at the City of Winnipeg this Twelfth day of October A.D. 1896.

RW Jameson
Mayor

CJ Brown
City Clerk

Certified correct
Hough & Campbell
City Solicitors