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Town of Petawawa 1111 Victoria Street Petawawa, ON K8H 2E6

Oct 2nd, 2024

Attention: Dawn Recoskie, Public Works and Fire Service Coordinator

Dear Mrs. Recoskie,

Thank you so much for your continued support to RCATV.

I am writing to you regarding the next phase (phase 3) of the current By-Law to Regulate and Govern the Operation of All-Terrain, Multi-Purpose and Recreational Off-Road Vehicles (ORVs) on Highways Under the Jurisdiction of the Corporation of the Town of Petawawa.

I am hoping to see our increased ridership (approximately 350) benefit from the final phase of the successful by-law 1597/23 and of course continue with the good partnership between RCATV, Town of Petawawa and the County of Renfrew.

With the upcoming opening of the OVRT north of Petawawa, through Garrison Petawawa, in the spring of 2025, more and more of your residents will benefit from the expansion of this by-law.

The goal of Phase 3 is to allow all residents from your beautiful town to access the Algonquin Trail directly from their residence without having to trailer their machines, to the current trailhead located at the end of Norman Street. This location only provides space for seven vehicles, as well as the future planned location of another trailhead at the intersection of Petawawa Blvd and Black Bay Road. Being able to drive to the Algonquin trail from their home has benefitted many of our residents since the implementation of Phases 1 and 2 of this by-law has been greatly appreciated.

Please note that Steve Hyska, the new Director of the Petawawa area for RCATV, has my authority to represent the club at all meetings where this by-law is being discussed. If required, I am also available to you and your staff at any time.

I thank you very much for your continued support of our club and the resident riders of Petawawa.

Regards,

Greg Tatton

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CC: Chris Mantha, Director of Public Works James Carmody, Councillor