

By-Laws of the Municipality of the Township of
North-Willimbury for the year 1856.

No. 37

A By-Law

to appoint one Assessor for this Township for
the present year.

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipality of
the Township of North-Willimbury and it is
hereby enacted, that there be but one Assessor in
this Township in the present year and that William
B. Terry be the Assessor and that he shall
Assess this Township in Alphabetical order of
the surnames.

And be it enacted, that the Assessor shall foot
up each column on the Assessment Roll separately
and distinctively before returning it to the Township
Clerk, and such Assessment Roll shall be delivered
by the Assessor to the Township Clerk on or before
the first day of April in the present year.

And be it further enacted, that the above Assessor
shall receive for his services the sum of three
pounds Ten Shillings.

(Signed)

David Sprague

Passed January 21st 1856

Township Clerk

No 38
 Atty Law

To appoint one collector for this Township
 for the present year 1856.

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipality of
 the Township of North-Williamburg and it is
 hereby enacted, that there be but one collector
 in this Township in the present year and that
 Lawson Barber be the collector, and that he
 shall enter into Bonds, separately and collectively
 in the sum of Three Hundred pound and two
 sureties of one Hundred and fifty pounds
 each before entering on the duties of his office
 such Bond to be lodged with the Township Clerk
 after been approved of by the Council.

And be it further enacted, that the above
 collector shall receive for his services the sum
 of Two pounds in accordance to his tender
 presented to the Council on the 21st day of Jan 1856,
 And be it further enacted, that the above
 mentioned collector, shall return all the
 percentage, that he may be authorized by
 the provincial act to receive, to the Township
 Treasurer for Township purposes,

(Signed) David Sprague
 passed Jan: 21st 1856 Township Clerk

No. 39

A By-Law

For regulating and governing Auctioneers and other persons selling or putting up for sale goods, wares, Merchandise, or effects, by public auction or outcry,

Therefore be it enacted by the of Municipality of the Township of North-Williamburg and it is hereby enacted, that it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to sell by public auction or outcry to the highest or best bidder any goods, Wares, Merchandise or effects, without first obtaining A license from the Treasurer of the Township,

And be it enacted, that each person shall pay for every such license, the sum of one pound before he can obtain such license, said license to be in force one year from the date of such license,

And be it further enacted, that any person selling contrary to the directions of this By-Law, shall be fined in the sum of not less than one pound nor more than two pounds to be collected before the Sheriff or any other justice of the peace,

(Signed)

David Sprague,

Township Clerk

passed Janry 21st 1856

No. 49

Atty-Law
To appoint Township officers

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North-wilkesburg, that the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed Overseers of Highways Fence Viewers, and Pound Keepers for the present year

Divisions

Overseers of Highways

- No. 1 John Arksey
- 2 Nelson Mitchell
- 3 Martin Warriner junr.
- 4 Luther Draper senr.
- 5 Francis Morton
- 6 Henry Draper
- 7 Thomas Sheppard
- 8 David T. Willson
- 9 William E. T. Corbett
- 10 Howard Huxley
- 11 William Adell
- 12 Luther Draper junr.
- 13 Andrew Willoughby
- 14 Cornelious Salsbourg
- 15 Thomas Bennett
- 16 Joel Draper junr.
- 17 Andrew Sweet
- 18 John Swain
- 19 David Cannonman
- 20 United with 12
- 21 William Syndal
- 22 John Barker
- 23 Hyam Moore
- 24 George Hammitton
- 25 William Belzay
- 26 Nathan Jager
- 27 William Bache
- 28 Joseph Arksey
- 29 Thomas Ford
- 30 Jacob Draper

Fence Viewers

- No. 1 Joel Draper junr.
- 2 William Syndal
- 3 Luther Draper junr.
- 4 David T. Willson
- 5 Andrew Willoughby
- 6 John Swain
- 7 John Barker

Pound Keepers

- No. 1 John Arksey
- 2 Alfred M. Barty
- 3 Richard Mann
- 4 Howard Huxley
- 5 Luther Draper senr.
- 6 Elijah Prosser
- 7 Daniel Stephenson

(Signed) David Sprague
Township Clerk

passed Feb. 16th 1856

No. 111
By-Law

To regulate the writing and advertising the receipts and expenditure of this Township for the year 1855

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North-guillimbury and it is hereby enacted that the Township Clerk be authorized to write three copies of the receipts and expenditure of this Township for the year 1855, and that he post them or cause them to be posted as follows, one at Hyman Moore's, one at Dughill, and one at John Morton's School House.

(Signed) David Sprague

passed Feb. 16th 1856

Township Clerk

No. 112
By-Law

To Abolish Wards in the Township of North-guillimbury

Whereas it is deemed expedient to abolish the Wards in the Township of North-guillimbury, be it enacted and it is hereby enacted, that from and after the passing of this By-Law by the Municipality of the Township of North-guillimbury, the division into Wards heretofore existing be abolished and the same are hereby abolished by the authority of the said Municipality, from and after the passing of this By-Law.

(Signed) David Sprague

passed Feb. 16th 1856

Township Clerk

No 43
 An Act
 For the better regulation of Taverns

Whereas for the better regulation of Taverns the
 the Inspectors of Taverns shall and they are hereby
 required, to visit the Houses of applicants for License
 and enter into and examine such House and
 accommodations, and in no case to grant to such
 applicants, their certificates, until after such inspection
 as herein after required.

1st That every such House, shall have at least three
 bed rooms for the accommodation of Travellers independ-
 of the necessary apartments for the use of the family.

2^d Such House so to be licensed, shall have within
 a convenient distance of such House, A comfortable
 stable attached to said House, suitable for the
 accommodation of at least six Horses beside those
 usually kept therein,

And be it enacted, That each and every Inspector
 granting certificates to any person, or persons, without
 first examining such House, and accommodations
 as herein required, shall forfeit and pay the sum of
 Five pounds Currency to be recovered as all other fines
 as by My-Laws directs.

And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the
 Inspectors of Houses of Public Entertainment when
 required by persons wishing to obtain a License to
 visit and examine each House in their respective
 Wards, in order to ascertain if they have the accom-
 modations required by this My-Law, and that they
 enquire into the Life character and behaviour of
 the person so applying and if it shall appear to a
 Majority of them that the party so applying is a person
 of good Moral Character and a good loyal subject of
 our Sovereign Lady the Queen, and has the accommodations
 and property Qualifications required, then the Majority

of the Inspectors may grant to him or her a certificate under their Hands.

And be it further enacted, That the following sum is required to be paid for a license, to keep a House of public Entertainment, the sum of four pounds,

And be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, to sell or vend any Wine, Brandy, or other Spirituous Liquors, ale or beer, by retail, within this Township, without first taking out a License from the Treasurer of the Township.

And be it enacted, That every Tavern keeper shall keep an orderly house at all times, and not allow any fighting, or other disorderly conduct, nor suffer nor allow any abusive language to any person, or persons, entering peaceably his House, and to see such person, or persons, leave without Let or hinderance,

And be it further enacted, That every person keeping such Taverns, shall not allow the assembling of any number of persons on the Sabbath day, but shall keep the Bar closed,

And be it enacted, That the Inspectors are hereby required, to visit and inspect such Taverns, when called upon and that a Majority of the Inspectors shall form a Quorum,

And be it enacted, That the said Inspectors shall receive for their services the sum of five shillings each, those that serves for the year 1856.

And be it further enacted, That this By-Law Repeals all that part of My Law No. 17, passed February the 25th 1855 that regulates the Licensing of Houses of Public Entertainment,

Signed David Sprague

passed Feb. 16th 1856

Township Clerk

No. 44

A By-Law

To regulate the performance of Statute Labour or the commutation in money for the same

Be it enacted, by the Municipality of the Township of North-gwillimbury, that all persons liable to perform Statute Labour, shall when called upon as the Law directs, perform the same by himself or some able bodied man in his behalf or in default thereof shall pay unto the pathmaster of his Beat for each day he is rated on the Assessment (all the sum of five shillings together with the cost of collecting the same) And be it enacted, by the authority aforesaid that all pathmasters who receives money in lieu of Statute Labour shall be authorised and compelled to lay it out in his Beat to the best of his ability, the same as the rest of the Labour performed by his directions,

(Signed)

David Sprague

Passed March 29th 1856

Township Clerk

No 45

A By-Law

To fix the allowance to be paid to the Township Councillors and the Township Reeve,

Be it enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North-Williambury and it is hereby enacted, That the Treasurer of the Township for the time being is hereby authorized and required out of the Township fund in his possession to pay to each Township Councillor and the Township Reeve the sum of five shillings for each and every day he shall have been in attendance on his official duties in Council assembled for and unto the full end and term of two whole years from the 31st day of December Next to be paid by the certificate of the Township Reeve.

(Signed) David Sprague,

passed May 3rd 1856

Township Reeve

No. 46

A By-Law

To regulate the expending of money granted to be laid out on the Highways.

Be it enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North Guillemburg and it is hereby enacted that all persons receiving money to be laid out on the Highway before they receive the same shall be obliged to make their returns under oath before the Township Clerk that the same is well and fearly expended the best of his knowledge and ability and that it is expended where the Council has ordered it stating the number of days performed by Man or Man and Team and the amount paid for each per day and what work they have performed.

(Signed)

David Sprague

passed May 3rd 1856

Township Reeve

No. 47

By-Law

To appoint one collector for this Township for the present year 1856.

Therefore be it enacted and it is hereby enacted, By the Municipality of the Township of North-Gwillimburg and it is hereby enacted, That there be but one collector in this Township for the present year and that Elijah Prosser be the collector and that he shall enter into Bonds separately and collectively in the sum of Three Hundred pounds, and two sureties of one Hundred and fifty pounds each, before entering on the duties of his office, such Bonds to be lodged with the Township Clerk after being approved of by the Council.

And be it further enacted, That the above collector, shall receive for his services the sum of three pounds ten shillings C.7. in accordance to his Tender presented to the Council on the second day of May Last.

And be it further enacted, That the above named collector, shall return all the percentage that he may be authorized by the Provincial Act to receive to the Township Treasurer for Township purposes.

(Signed)

David Sprague

Township Clerk

Passed August 9th 1856

No. 48
 By Law

To Establish certain roads in the Township of Northwillimbury, To Chapman's Mills and West to meet the present old road now running through Lot 13.

Be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Township of North-Willimbury, and the same is hereby enacted, that a competent person be appointed to lay out said roads, commencing at Lot 14 in the seventh Concession of North-Willimbury and running through the centers of Lots 15. 14 to the south side of thirteen, then East through the center lengthways across the river, then southeasterly along the bank of the river to Chapman's Mill in the Township of North-Willimbury, Georgia

Be it enacted by the authority aforesaid that the road running through Lot 13 known as the Gum Swamp road be laid out on the south side of 14 then East to the center road now established and not less than 60 feet wide and the whole width of road to come off Lot 14

Be it further enacted that the said road running through the center of Lot 15. 14 to the south side of 13 be not less than 60 and be laid out on the East side of said lots.

(Signed)

David Sprague

passed August 9th 1856

Township Clerk

No. 49

A By-Law

To Assess the inhabitants of this Township for general County purposes, for payment of School Teachers, for superintendants wages, for Debentures and Interest on Court House, and and for General Township purposes,

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North-Williamburg and it is hereby enacted, That there be raised Levied and collected on the whole rateable property of the residents in this Township in the present year one penny in the pound for the above purposes and that the Clerk be authorised to enter the same on the Collectors Roll in one Column
And be it further enacted, That there shall be raised, Levied, and collected, on the lands of Non-Residents the sum of one farthing in the pound, for County purposes, and for fifth instalment on Court House, also one farthing in the pound for payment of school Teachers and for superintendants wages; and also that there be raised Levied and collected on the lands of Non-Residents the sum of one half penny in the pound for general Township purposes; and that the Clerk be authorised to enter the same in three different Columns on the Collectors Roll.

(Signed)

David Sprague

Township Reeve

passed Aug⁹th 1856

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No. 50

A By-Law

To fix the place for holding the next Annual Municipal Election for the Township of North-Willimbury for the year 1857

And be it further enacted by the Municipality of the Township of North-Willimbury and it is hereby enacted, That the next Annual Municipal Election for the Township of North-Willimbury shall be held at Miriam Moores Court Room on Monday the 5th day of January next

(Signed) David Sprague
passed Dec. 20th 1856
Township Clerk