

# CREATING BETTER ANIMAL BYLAWS



Since 1895, the BC SPCA has been working for better laws to protect animals in British Columbia and across Canada.

***We've learned the most meaningful change begins at the local level!***

By adopting more humane animal bylaws, local governments can:

- ✓ Address a wide range of animal welfare and public safety issues
- ✓ Make our communities safer, more caring places for people and animals

## HOW CAN YOU TELL IF AN ANIMAL BYLAW IS HUMANE?

The new BC SPCA bylaw search tool provides examples of progressive, animal-related bylaws from municipalities, regional districts and First Nations across B.C.

Go to [spca.bc.ca/animalbylaws](https://spca.bc.ca/animalbylaws)



to search by species



or bylaw purpose



and find out why the  
BC SPCA recommends  
the bylaw

***Help us keep the search tool up-to-date!***

New bylaws are always being adopted.  
If you think a bylaw should be on our list,  
please send it to [animalbylaws@spca.bc.ca](mailto:animalbylaws@spca.bc.ca)

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