

Authority: Economic and Community Development  
Committee Item EC10.3, adopted as amended, by City of  
Toronto Council on March 20 and 21, 2024  
City Council voted in favour of this by-law on March 21,  
2024  
Written approval of this by-law was given by Mayoral  
Decision 9-2024 dated March 22, 2024

## **CITY OF TORONTO**

### **BY-LAW 288-2024**

**To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, to update noise regulations with respect to stationary motor vehicles.**

Whereas the City has the authority to pass by-laws respecting the health, safety and well-being of persons under section 8 of the City of Toronto Act, 2006; and

Whereas City Council wishes to update the regulations for noise with respect to stationary motor vehicles in the City of Toronto;

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, is amended by:
  - a. Amending § 591-2.5C so it reads as follows:
    - C. No person shall emit or cause or permit the emission of any sound from a stationary motor vehicle exceeding the following when measured at least 50 cm from the exhaust outlet using a sound level meter:
      - (1) 92 dB(A) at idle; or
      - (2) 96 dB(A) at any engine speed greater than idle.
2. This by-law shall come into force on June 1, 2024

Enacted and passed on March 22, 2024.

Frances Nunziata,  
Speaker

John D. Elvidge,  
City Clerk

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