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Courtenay Council
City of Courtenay
830 Cliffe Avenue
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Re: Bylaw No. 1664, Item 10; erection of a sign within the limits of a park

Dear Courtenay Council,

I am writing in regards to Bylaw No. 1664 (a bylaw to establish regulations and control of parks and park property), Item 10 which reads:

- 10. No person shall place or erect any structure, sign, bulletin board, post, pole or advertising device whatever or distribute, post, paint or affix any advertisements, bills or other article of any advertising nature within the limits of a park, unless written permission is granted from Council.**

I would like to erect six "Lost Cat" signs (see attached sign) within a short portion of 1st Street Trail that is located within Condensory Park. Annie the cat was at my home at [REDACTED] for 1 day before escaping under the fence leading to the park. She is not likely to know where her new home is located, and I doubt she will be able to find her way back. I therefore rely on the eyes and ears of park visitors to inform me if they see or hear this cat along this portion of the trail.

The signs will be posted on the park trailhead sign at Anderton Ave., the park boundary sign on the northeast side of the park, and four trees behind the condo building at the said address (where I live). Please see attached map.

The signs are 8.5x11 inches, paper, and attached by paper staples. I would like the signs to remain in place until end of November 2023. At that time I will remove the signs and the paper staples.

Once it starts raining the signs will be printed on waterproof paper. The signs will be checked regularly and replaced if damaged. Condensory Park experiences habitation and vandalism by the homeless population.

Thank you for considering my request to post these "Lost Cat" signs. If you have any further questions please feel free to contact me at my email address at [REDACTED] or my cell number at [REDACTED]

Sincerely,

Debi Lister