

## THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GUELPH

By-Law Number (1977)-9650  
[Office Consolidation]

A By-law for requiring the locking of  
unattended motor vehicles.

WHEREAS Section 363, Clause 8 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O., 1970, provides that by-laws may be passed by the Councils of urban municipalities for prohibiting any person driving or in charge of a motor vehicle, other than a commercial motor vehicle, from allowing such motor vehicle to stand unattended unless it is locked in such a manner as to prevent its operation by any person not authorized by the owner, driver or person in charge.

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GUELPH ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. No person driving or in charge of a motor vehicle other than a commercial motor vehicle, shall permit such motor vehicle to stand unattended unless it is locked in such a manner as to prevent its operation by any person not authorized by the owner, driver or person in charge.
2. For the purposes of this by-law, “motor vehicle” and “commercial motor vehicle” mean “motor vehicle” and “commercial motor vehicle” as defined in The Highway Traffic Act.
3. (a) Every person who contravenes any provision of this by-law is guilty of an offence and shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty as set out in Section 61 of the Provincial Offences Act, R.S.O., 1990, Chapter P.33, as amended from time to time, or any successor thereof.  
punishable upon summary conviction. **[amended by By-law (2006)-18014]**

PASSED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 1977.

Original signed by:

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MAYOR – K.M. QUARRIE

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