

## Animal Services Pigeon Loft Request Form

Approval is required **PRIOR** to building, renovating or relocation of a loft.

### *Program Overview*

- Step One:** Review Loft Requirements
- Step Two:** Review the Zoning Bylaw No.
- Step Three:** Complete a Detailed Design of the Loft
- Step Four:** Submit the Pigeon Loft Application form
- Step Five:** Receive Approval from the City of Saskatoon
- Step Six:** Receive Zoning Compliance Certificate from Development Review
- Step Seven:** Begin Construction for the Loft.

### *Loft Requirements*

- A loft must be in compliance with Development Reviews requirements set out in the **Zoning Bylaw** respecting accessory buildings and structures is demonstrated.
- A loft must be located a minimum of twenty (20) feet from a school, church, dwelling or other premises used for human habitation or occupancy, excluding the premises occupied by the owner of a loft or flight pen.
- A loft shall be constructed so as to be dry, airy and bright inside and shall have adequate ventilation having regard to the number of pigeons kept therein and kept in a reasonable state of repair.
- The loft shall be disinfected at least twice a year, or at any other time as directed by an Animal Protection Officer (APO).
- All lofts shall be cleaned regularly of all excrement and refuse and shall be kept in a sanitary condition satisfactory APO.
- APO's are permitted at any time, to inspect the loft and owners shall obey all lawful directives regarding same.
- Owners shall not permit the pigeon(s) to perch or linger on the property of any person, except that of the owner.
- No person shall permit pigeons to be outside the loft or flight pen except for:
  - (a) Supervised exercise, provided exercise does not exceed three hours per day; or
  - (b) Returning to the loft or flight pen from a supervised race or training flight.

## APPLICATION FORM

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Intended Loft (# and Street): \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

### DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

- **Pigeon Loft Plans:** The applicant is to provide a detailed plan of the intended loft.
- **Intended Location:** The applicant is to provide an aerial plan identifying the location of the loft on the property.
- **Residency Requirement:** The applicant must be a resident of Saskatoon.
  - To verify, we require a copy of ONE of the documents listed below:
    - Telephone or cable bill
    - SaskPower or SaskEnergy bill
    - City of Saskatoon Utility bill

### PIGEON INFORMATION

- **Pigeon Breed:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Intended Number of Pigeons (housed in the loft):** \_\_\_\_\_

If you have questions or concerns relating to this request, please call (306) 975-7652.

I certify that all the information provided is correct.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL APPLICATION OR DROP OFF AT:** City Hall, 222 3rd Avenue North, Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

### OFFICE USE ONLY (DO NOT WRITE IN SHADED AREAS)

Documentation Provided: Pigeon Loft Plans: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Proof of Residency: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Status: Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Denied: \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorization Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_