

City of Melfort Policy Manual

<i>POLICY TITLE:</i> Indoor Facility Air Horn Policy	<i>POLICY NUMBER:</i> 7.1.23	<i>EFFECTIVE DATE:</i> June 13, 2016
<i>ORIGIN:</i> Community Services Committee	<i>ADOPTED BY COUNCIL ON:</i> June 13, 2016	<i>DATE AMENDED:</i>

1. PURPOSE

To establish guidelines for the use of air horns in City of Melfort recreational facilities.

2. SCOPE

The scope of this policy shall extend to all City of Melfort indoor recreational facilities including, but not limited to, the Northern Lights Palace and the Kerry Vickar Centre.

3. DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this policy:

- a) "Mechanical air horn" means those which are installed in the facility and are mechanically powered.
- b) "Electric air horn" means those which can be plugged into a power outlet and are electrically powered.
- c) "Compressed gas air horn" means those which are self-contained and powered by compressed gas. This includes boat/emergency horns.

4. POLICY

- a) Mechanical air horns, installed and operated by the facility, are allowed to be used.
- b) Portable handheld personal compressed gas air horns are permitted to be used by members of the public.
- c) Personal electric air horns are not permitted to be used by members of the public.
- d) Special event staff and facility staff may only use compressed gas air horns with permission from the Facility Manager.
- e) Failure to comply with this policy will result in the confiscation of the air horn by event security or facility staff. Further infractions will result in loss of facility privileges.

5. RESPONSIBILITY

The Director of Community Services is responsible for the ongoing review and updating of this policy.