## RULES FOR TEMPORARY OVERNIGHT SHELTERS

1 Shelter and property must be small and tidy

Shelters may only cover an area of less than 10 m<sup>2</sup>, must be free of garbage and excessive clutter, and can only be erected:

9:00 pm-7:00 am from March to November 5:00 pm-8:00 am from December to February

2 No fires or smoking

Open flame (e.g. lighter, camp fire, and candle) and smoking are not permitted.

3 Shelter must be detached from other structures

Shelters may not adjoin, abut, or be connected to any other temporary overnight shelter.

4 A shelter is permitted within the areas shown on the inside map

A temporary shelter is NOT permitted on or near any playgrounds, pools, gardens, public lawns, sports facilities and fields, stages, bleachers, washrooms, picnic shelters, gazebos, cemeteries, pathways, driveways, roadways, lanes, bridges, docks, or boulevards or any offices, community and recreational facilities, parking lots, or parkades that are owned or controlled by the City of Kamloops.

5 Overnight shelter must be temporary Temporary shelters include a tent or other shelter constructed from a tarp, plastic, or cardboard.

constructed from a tarp, plastic, or cardboard. Failure to follow the rules may result in shelters being dismantled: Valuable items may be impounded, and garbage may be disposed of.



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## KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE FOR EVERYONE

People value the time they spend in city parks, whether it's going for a walk or run, taking the kids to a playground, participating in a sport, or enjoying nature.

The City of Kamloops balances the uses in parks to ensure park activities are safe for everyone and to protect the environment and amenities from damage.

Kamloops parks are not designed for recreational camping, and camping is not permitted. Those who are experiencing homelessness may seek temporary overnight shelter on city property.

#### **Day Locker Storage**

This service is no-cost storage of belongings and is limited to one bin per person.

Clients must check in weekly.

48 Victoria Street West (across from City Hall) Monday-Sunday, 11:00 am-5:00 pm

### **COMMUNITY SERVICES**



To inquire about impounded items, please call the City of Kamloops Community Services office at **250-828-3409**.

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