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RE: Bylaw to Amend Town of Amherst Tax Exemption Bylaw

At its May 28, 2009 special meeting, Amherst Town Council approved first reading of a Bylaw to amend the Town's Tax Exemption Bylaw. The intent of the proposed amendment is to add a vacant piece of land on Cornwall Avenue to Schedule C of the Bylaw. This land was recently purchased by the Amherst Lions Club to insure access to the adjacent Lion Cecil Small Bantam Baseball Field. Schedule C allows a tax exemption from the Commercial rate to the Residential rate. Some housekeeping amendments also form part of the proposed amendments. The process will include advertising and second reading at a later scheduled meeting of Council.

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