# By-Law 2021\_\_\_\_

## A By-Law to Appoint an Area Weed Inspector for the City of Kawartha Lakes

#### Recitals

- Weed inspectors are required to enforce the Weed Control Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. W.5.
- 2. Paragraph 6(1) of the Weed Control Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. W.5 states that the council of every upper-tier and single tier municipality shall By-Law appoint one or more persons as area weed inspectors to enforce the Weed Control Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. W. 5 in the area within the council's jurisdiction and fix their remuneration or other compensation.
- 3. Council deems it appropriate to appoint Municipal Law Enforcement Officers as Weed Inspectors.

Accordingly, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes enacts this By-Law 2021-\_\_\_\_

### Section 1.00: Definitions and Interpretation

1.01 **Definitions**: In this By-Law,

"City", "City of Kawartha Lakes" or "Kawartha Lakes" means The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes and includes its entire geographic area;

"Council" or "City Council" means the municipal council for the City;

**"Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement and Licennsing"** means the person who holds that position and his or her delegate(s) or, in the event of organizational changes, another person designated by Council.

#### 1.02 Interpretation Rules:

- (a) The words "include" and "including" are not to be read as limiting the meaning of a word or term to the phrases or descriptions that follow.
- 1.03 **Statutes:** References to laws in this By-Law are meant to refer to the statutes, as amended from time to time, that are applicable within the Province of Ontario.
- 1.04 **Severability:** If a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction declares any portion of this By-Law to be illegal or unenforceable, that portion of this By-Law shall be considered to be severed from the balance of the By-Law, which shall continue to operate in full force and effect.

### Section 2.00: Appointments

2.01 **Municipal Weed Inspector:** Domenic Lofranco is appointed as an Area Weed Inspector for The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes.

## Section 3.00: Duties and Responsibilities

- 3.01 The duties and responsibilities of the Area Weed Inspector are set out in the Statutes and Regulations of the Province of Ontario and in the By-Laws and Policies of The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes, which exist or may be passed in future.
- 3.02 The Area Weed Inspector shall report to and be under the direction of the Manager Municipal Law Enforcement and Licensing of The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes.

## Section 4.00: Remuneration

4.01 The Area Weed Inspector shall receive remuneration in accordance with the City's Collective Agreement with the Canadian Union of Public Employees.

## Section 5.00: Notice

5.01 Written notice of this By-Law shall be given to the chief inspector appointed under Section 2 of the Weed Control Act R.S.O. 1990, c.W.5 by the Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement and Licensing.

#### Section 6.00: Administration and Effective Date

- 6.01 Administration of the By-Law: The Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement and Licensing is responsible for the administration of this By-Law.
- 6.02 **Effective Date:** This By-Law shall come into force on the date it is finally passed.

By-Law read a first, second and third time, and finally passed, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.

Andy Letham, Mayor

Cathie Ritchie, City Clerk