

# **The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes**

## **By-Law 2025-\_\_\_\_**

### **A By-law to Appoint a Municipal Law Enforcement Officer for the City of Kawartha Lakes**

#### **Recitals**

1. Section 15 of the Police Services Act R.S.O. 1990, c.P.15 authorizes municipal councils to appoint municipal law enforcement officers, who are peace officers for the purpose of enforcing their by-laws.
2. Council considers it advisable to appoint an individual to serve as a municipal law enforcement officer with duties specific to the role as a licensing enforcement officer, with responsiveness to the short term rental program.

**Accordingly, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes enacts this By-law 2025-\_\_\_\_.**

#### **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 Licensing”** 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 Law Enforcement Officer:** Kate Taylor is appointed as a Municipal Law Enforcement Officer for the City of Kawartha Lakes in accordance with section 15 of the Police Services Act R.S.O. 1990, c.P.15.
- 2.02 **Reporting Relationship:** Kate Taylor shall report to and be under the direction of the Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement and Licensing.

## **Section 3.00: Administration and Effective Date**

- 3.01 **Administration of the By-law:** The Manager of Municipal Law Enforcement and Licensing is responsible for the administration of this by-law.
- 3.02 **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 24th day of June, 2025.

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Doug Elmslie, Mayor

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Cathie Ritchie, City Clerk