

**The Corporation of the Township of Wollaston  
By-Law 25-18**

**Being a By-Law to authorize delegated authority for matters subject to section 275 of the *Municipal Act* regarding: "Restricted Acts after Nomination Day."**

**WHEREAS** Section 275 of the *Municipal Act* 2001, as amended, sets out Restricted Acts after Nomination Day;

**WHEREAS** under the provisions outlined in section 275 of the *Municipal Act* 2001, as amended, restrictions apply if, after the first day during the election for a new Council, the new Council will include less than three-quarters of the members of the outgoing Council;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 275 (3) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended, restricts Council from taking action on the following:

- a) The appointment or removal from office of any officer of the municipality;
- b) The hiring or dismissal of any employee of the municipality;
- c) The disposition of any real or personal property of the municipality, which has a value exceeding \$50,000 at the time of disposal not included in the most recent budget; and
- d) Making any expenditures or incurring any other liability which exceeds \$50,000 not included in the most recent budget;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 23.1 (1) of the *Municipal Act* 2001, as amended, provides that a municipality may delegate its powers and authority to a person or body;


**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Wollaston deems it desirable to delegate certain authority and powers during the 2018 Municipal Election, should the restrictions of Section 275 become applicable, to the Clerk, and in her absence to the Treasurer;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Wollaston hereby enacts as follows:

1. THAT the Clerk, and in her absence to the Treasurer, be delegated the authority to:
  - a) be the authority to appoint or remove from office any officer of the municipality;
  - b) be the authority to hire or dismiss any employee of the municipality;
  - c) be the financial signing authority for expenditures, outside the current budget, exceeding \$50,000.00;
  - d) dispose of any real or personal property of the Municipality which has a value exceeding \$50,000.00 when it was acquired by the Municipality;
2. THAT prior to any actions taken under the restrictions listed in Section 275 (3) of the *Municipal Act* 2001, as amended, between Nomination Day and the commencement of the Council Term, the Clerk or Treasurer will provide a report to Council;
3. THAT By -Law 25-18 will only take effect and be limited to the period subject to the "Restricted Acts after Nomination Day" and shall expire on Monday, December 3, 2018.

Passed this 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018.

  
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Graham Blair, Reeve

  
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Jennifer Cohen, Clerk