

**THE CORPORATION OF THE  
TOWNSHIP OF LANARK HIGHLANDS**

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**BY-LAW NO. 2018-1514**

**A BY-LAW TO DELEGATE CERTAIN DUTIES DURING THE RESTRICTED ACTS AFTER  
NOMINATION DAY PERIOD**

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**WHEREAS** Section 23.1 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25. authorizes Council to delegate its powers and duties;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25. restricts council from taking certain acts after nomination day or the election of a new council, depending on the results of the nominations or election;

**AND WHEREAS** it is deemed expedient to delegate certain duties during the period that Council may be restricted in its actions under Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25;

Now Therefore the Council of The Township of Lanark Highlands enacts as follows:

1. For all elections following passage of this By-law, in the event that the new council will include less than three-quarters of the members of the outgoing council: (a) based on the nominations made after the close of nominations, or (b) based on the results of the election, the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)/Clerk/Deputy Treasurer or Clerk Administrator/Deputy Treasurer is hereby delegated the authority to:
  - a. approve any expenditures and incur any liabilities on behalf of the Township in excess of \$50,000.00;
  - b. execute any contracts on behalf of the Township;
  - c. dispose or acquire real or personal property with a value in excess of \$50,000.00;
  - d. appoint or remove from office any officer of the Township; and
  - e. hire or dismiss any employee of the Township;

during any period that Council is restricted from taking those acts under Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25. The Chief Administrative

Officer (CAO)/Clerk/Deputy Treasurer or Clerk Administrator/Deputy Treasurer is required to report to Council in the first quarter of the following year regarding any exercise of this delegated authority.

2. In the event of a conflict between any Township of Lanark Highlands by-law, this by-law is operative.
3. The delegations in this bylaw are subject to any restrictions on such delegation under the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 or any other Act.

**2. BY-LAW REPEALED**

- 2.1 All by-laws or parts thereof and resolutions passed prior to this by-law which are in contravention of any terms of this by-law are hereby rescinded.

**4. EFFECTIVE DATE**

**ENACTED AND PASSED** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018.

  
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Brian Stewart, Mayor

  
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Amanda Noël, Deputy Clerk

