

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF KILLARNEY

BY-LAW NO. 2025-37

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE ELECTORS TO USE AN ALTERNATIVE VOTING METHOD, NAMELY VOTING BY INTERNET AND BY TELEPHONE, FOR THE 2026 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KILLARNEY

WHEREAS, Section 42 (1) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 S.O. 1996, Chapter 32 as amended states the Council of a local municipality may pass by-laws,

- a) authorizing the use of voting and vote-counting equipment such as voting machines, voting recorders or optical scanning vote tabulators;
- b) authorizing electors to use an alternative voting method, such as voting by mail or by telephone, that does not require electors to attend at a voting place in order to vote;

AND WHEREAS Section 42 (2) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 S.O. 1996, Chapter 32 as amended states a by-law passed under subsection (1) or under a predecessor of it,

- a) applies to a regular election if the by-law is passed on or before May 1 the year of the election; and
- b) applies to a by-election if the by-law is passed more than 60 days before voting day;

AND WHEREAS Council deems it appropriate and in the public interest to conduct the municipal elections using alternative methods of internet and telephone voting.

**NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF KILLARNEY HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

- 1) **THAT** the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Killarney does hereby authorize the alternative voting methods of internet and telephone voting for the 2026 municipal elections in the Municipality of Killarney.
- 2) **THAT** the Mayor and the Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute all documents necessary to give effect to this by-law.

**READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED IN
OPEN COUNCIL THIS 12th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2025.**

ORIGINAL DOCUMENT SIGNED

Michael Reider, Mayor

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Candy Beauvais, Clerk-Treasurer