



## **The Corporation of Norfolk County**

### **By-Law 2021-**

#### **Being a By-Law to Authorize the Use of Optical Scanning Vote Tabulators for Norfolk County Municipal Elections.**

**WHEREAS** Section 42 of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 provides that the council of a municipality may, by by-law, authorize the use of optical scanning vote tabulators for the purpose of counting votes at their municipal elections;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 42 of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 provides that the council of a municipality may, by by-law, authorize the use of alternative voting methods.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of The Corporation of Norfolk County hereby enacts as follows:

1. THAT vote tabulating equipment may be used for Norfolk County municipal elections at all voting locations on voting day and advance voting dates, in accordance with such procedures and forms as may be established by the County Clerk in conformance with the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996, as amended*;
2. AND THAT accessible voting machines may be used for Norfolk County municipal elections at designated voting locations on voting day and advance voting dates, in accordance with such procedures and forms as may be established by the County Clerk in conformance with the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996, as amended*;
3. AND FURTHER THAT the effective date of this By-Law shall be the date of passage thereof.

**ENACTED AND PASSED** this 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 2021.

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Mayor

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County Clerk