



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF KEARNEY

By-law No. 2023 - 05

Being a Bylaw to Appoint an Integrity Commissioner

WHEREAS Section 223.3 of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25*, as amended, authorizes municipalities to appoint an Integrity Commissioner who reports to Council and who is responsible for performing in an independent manner the functions assigned by the Municipality with respect to any or all of the following:

1. The application of the code of conduct for members of council and the code of conduct for members of local boards.
2. The application of any procedures, rules and policies of the municipality and local boards governing the ethical behaviour of members of council and of local boards.
3. The application of sections 5, 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3 of the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* to members of council and of local boards.
4. Requests from members of council and of local boards for advice respecting their obligations under the code of conduct applicable to the member.
5. Requests from members of council and of local boards for advice respecting their obligations under a procedure, rule or policy of the municipality or of the local board, as the case may be, governing the ethical behaviour of members.
6. Requests from members of council and of local boards for advice respecting their obligations under the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*.
7. The provision of educational information to members of council, members of local boards, the municipality and the public about the municipality's codes of conduct for members of council and members of local boards and about the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*. 2017, c. 10, Sched. 1, s. 19 (1); 2022, c. 24, Sched. 3, s. 3.

AND WHEREAS a Request for Proposal was issued on behalf of the Almaguin Municipalities jointly seeking services of an Integrity Commissioner;


AND WHEREAS the Clerks of the participating municipalities appointed an Evaluation Committee to evaluate the proposals, with the proposal from ADR Chamber Inc. receiving the highest combined score based on the evaluation criteria as detailed in the Request for Proposals document;


NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED AS A BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF KEARNEY AS FOLLOWS:

1. **THAT** the Request for Proposal for an Integrity Commissioner be awarded to ADR Chamber Inc.;
2. **THAT** Michael Maynard of ADR Chambers Inc. is hereby appointed Integrity Commissioner for the Town of Kearney;
3. **THAT** Schedule 'A' attached hereto shall form the Agreement between the Town of Kearney and ADR Chambers Inc.;
4. That By-law No. 2018-55 is hereby repealed.
5. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and effect on the date of its passing.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME, passed, signed and the Corporate Seal attached hereto, this 11th day of January, 2023.

**THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWN OF KEARNEY**


Cheryl Philip, Mayor


Brenda J. Fraser, Clerk