

**THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS**

**BY-LAW NO. 2023-50**

**BEING A BY-LAW TO REAPPOINT DAVID C. KING, MUNICIPAL ADVISORY SERVICES (MAS), AS THE INTEGRITY COMMISSIONER FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS.**

**WHEREAS** section 223.3 through 223.8 of the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, (the Act) authorizes a municipal council to appoint an Integrity Commissioner who is responsible for performing in an independent manner functions related to the Code of Conduct and sections 5, 5.1 and 5.2 of the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act of members of council and local boards; and

**WHEREAS** such services shall be undertaken by an Integrity Commissioner appointed by the Council pursuant to Sections 9, 10, 11 and 223.3 of the Act; and sections 5, 5.1 and 5.2 of the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act; and

**WHEREAS** the Council deems it advisable to appoint MAS (David C. King, principal) as Integrity Commissioner to perform the services as referred to above; and

**WHEREAS** MAS has expressed interest in providing services to the Municipality of East Ferris acting as Integrity Commissioner on the terms and conditions as agreed from time to time and under written agreement in the form and of the content attached as Schedule "A" hereto;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris hereby enacts as follows:

1. THAT, subject to execution of the agreement attached as Schedule "A" hereto, MAS is hereby appointed as Integrity Commissioner for the Municipality of East Ferris to perform those functions set forth in Section 223.3 through 223.8 of the Municipal Act, 2001 (Ontario) and sections 5, 5.1 and 5.2 of the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act including but unlimited to:

(a) Assisting in the development and application of a Code of Conduct and any related procedures, rules, and policies governing the ethical behavior of members of council and local boards;

(b) The provision of educational information to Members of Council, Members of Local Boards, the Municipality and the public about the Municipality's Code of Conduct for members of Council and Members of Local Boards and about the Conflict of Interest Act. 2017;

(c) Conducting inquiries in respect of any requests alleging contravention of the Code of Conduct and/or any other procedures, rule or policy governing the ethical behavior of Members of Council and Local Boards; and

(d) Reporting to Council for the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris as to the activities as Integrity Commissioner, including but not limited to reports as to the results of any inquiry into alleged contravention and/or an annual report of activities as Integrity Commissioner.

2. THAT this by-law shall come into force and take effect on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

3. THAT By-law No. 2018-22 be repealed effective January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

**READ A FIRST AND SECOND** time this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023;

**READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY** passed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

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Mayor  
Pauline Rochefort

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Clerk  
Kari Hanselman