



City of Chestermere
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Bylaw #022-25

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Election Amendment Bylaw

BEING A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF CHESTERMERE, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO AMEND BYLAW #028-24, BEING THE ELECTION BYLAW.

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 191 (2) of the *Municipal Government Act R.S.A.2000, Chapter M-26*, a Council may, by Bylaw, amend Bylaws from time to time;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the City of Chestermere in the Province of Alberta deems it desirable to amend Bylaw #028-24, being the Election Bylaw;

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHESTERMERE, DULY ASSEMBLED, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 2: Definitions

2.5 - “Elector Assistance Terminal or EATs” means a ballot-marking machine that allows an elector to mark a ballot by an accessible means, including by use of Braille-coded keypad, touch screen, pressure-sensitive paddle or breath-enabled marking.

Section 12: Elector Assistance Terminals (EATs)

12.1 The City shall provide Elector Assistance Terminals (EATs) at designated voting stations to assist electors in casting their votes.

12.2 EATs shall be equipped with accessibility features to accommodate electors with disabilities.

12.3 The Returning Officer shall ensure that EATs are tested and operational prior to Election Day.

12.4 Election staff shall be trained in the use of EATs to assist electors as needed.

1. SEVERABILITY

If any section or parts of this Bylaw are found in any court of law to be illegal or beyond the power of Council to enact, such sections or parts shall be deemed to be severable and all other Sections or parts of this Bylaw shall be deemed to be separate and independent there from and to be enacted as such.

2. GENERAL

This Bylaw shall take effect on the day that Third and Final reading has been passed.

READ A FIRST TIME May 27, 2025

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READ A THIRD TIME May 27, 2025

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Mayor, Shannon Dean



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Kent Edney