## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LINCOLN

## BY-LAW NO. 2022-42

## A BY-LAW TO ADOPT, CONFIRM AND RATIFY MATTERS DEALT WITH BY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

## WHEREAS:

- 1. Section 5.(1) of the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that the powers of a municipality shall be exercised by its Council.
- 2. Section 11.(2) of the said Act provides that a lower tier municipality may pass by-laws respecting matters within the spheres of jurisdiction as set out in the said Act.
- 3. Section 8 of the said Municipal Act provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act.
- 4. Section 5.(3) of the said Act provides that a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under Section 8, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise.
- 5. In many cases action which is taken or authorized to be taken by Council does not lend itself to the passage of an individual by-law.

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LINCOLN ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the actions of the Council at its special meeting of May 30, 2022 in respect of which recommendations contained in the reports of the committees considered at each meeting and in respect of each motion, resolution and other action taken by the Council at its meeting are, except where the prior approval of the Ontario Land Tribunal or other authority is required by law, hereby adopted, ratified and confirmed as if all such proceedings were expressly embodied in this By-law.
- 2. That where no individual by-law has been or is passed with respect to the taking of any action authorized in or by the above-mentioned minutes or with respect to the exercise of any powers by the Council in the above mentioned minutes, then this By-law shall be deemed for all purposes to be the By-law required for approving and authorizing and taking of any action authorized therein and thereby or required for the exercise of any powers therein by the Council.
- 3. That the Mayor and the proper officers of the Corporation of the Town of Lincoln are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to the said action of the Council or to obtain approvals where required and except otherwise provided, the Mayor, the Clerk and the Treasurer are hereby directed to execute all documents necessary on behalf of the Corporation of the Town of Lincoln and affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the Corporation of the Town of Lincoln.
- 4. That this By-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of its final passing.

PASSED AND ENACTED on the 30th day of May, 2022.

MAYOR: SANDRA EASTON

CLERK: JULIE KIRKELOS