

# A BYLAW OF THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF SILVER BEACH TO ESTABLISH ALTERNATE METHODS FOR ADVERTISING STATUTORY NOTICES

**WHEREAS**, the *Municipal Government Act* requires that a Municipality advertise bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings and other things in accordance with Section 606 of the Act;

**AND WHEREAS** pursuant to section 606.1(1) of the *Municipal Government Act*, a council may, by bylaw, provide for one or more methods, which may include Electronic Means, for advertising proposed bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings and other things to be advertised under section 606;

**AND WHEREAS** Council is satisfied that the advertising methods set out in this Bylaw are likely to bring matters advertised by that method to the attention of substantially all residents in the area to which the bylaw, resolution or other thing relates or in which the meeting or hearing is to be held;

**NOW THEREFORE,** the Council of the Summer Village of Silver Beach, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

#### 1) SHORT TITLE

a) This Bylaw shall be known as the "Advertising Bylaw."

#### 2) **DEFINITIONS**

- a) In this Bylaw, words have the meanings set out in the Act, except that:
  - "Act" means the Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000, c. M-26, and associated regulations, as amended;
  - ii) "Convenience Copy" means a Statutory Notice that is provided for public consumption in another format than outlined in section 3.01 of this Bylaw.
  - iii) "Electronic Means" means any method of conveying information digitally.
  - iv) "Email" means a method of conveying information digitally to a specific recipient or multiple specific recipients
  - v) "Municipality" means the Summer Village of Silver Beach.
  - vi) "**Statutory Notices**" means those notices and/or advertisements including those proposed bylaws, resolutions, meetings, public hearings and other items as required to be advertised by the "Act".



vii) "Summer Village Website" means any web page under the silverbeach.ca domain

## 3) NOTIFICATION METHODS

- a) A Statutory Notice shall be advertised by Electronic Means by publishing it on the Municipality's website for fourteen (14) days.
- b) Where the Municipality advertised a Statutory Notice in accordance with section 3(a) of this Bylaw, a Convenience Copy may also be sent by Email to residents who have provided their Email address to the Municipality and by mail to those residents for whom the Municipality does not have an Email address.
- c) The chief administrative officer of the Municipality may also provide a Convenience Copy in addition to the advertisement conducted in section 3(b), in a different or altered format, by:
  - (i) posting on a notice board located in the Municipality; or
  - (ii) any other means determined appropriated by the chief administrative office.

### 4) SEVERABILITY

a) Each provision of this Bylaw is independent of, and severable from, all other provisions and if any provision is declared invalid or unenforceable for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, all other provisions of this Bylaw remain valid and enforceable.

## 5) COMING INTO FORCE

<b>READ</b> a first time this 29 <sup>th</sup> day of September, 2025.
<b>READ</b> a second time this day of, 2025.
<b>READ</b> a third time, and finally passed, this day of, 2025.

a) This Bylaw shall come into full force and effect upon final passing.