

THE CORPORATION OF THE  
T O W N O F P E L H A M  
BY-LAW #4401 (2021)

**Being a by-law to authorize the use of Optical Scanning Vote Tabulators, Touch Screen Vote Tabulators, and to allow for an alternative voting method, being a hybrid-voting approach for the Municipal Elections, specifically using a combination of in-person voting and special on demand mail in ballots and to Repeal and Replace By-law #3875(2017).**

WHEREAS Section 42 of the Municipal Elections Act, S.O. 1996, c.32, as amended, provides that a municipal Council may, by by-law, authorize the use of vote counting equipment and alternative voting methods at municipal elections;

AND WHEREAS Council for the Town of Pelham deems it desirable to pass such a by-law;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Pelham hereby authorizes the use of optical scanning vote tabulators and touch screen vote tabulators for the purpose of counting votes at municipal elections;
- (2) AND THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Pelham hereby authorizes the use of alternative voting methods and authorizes a hybrid-voting approach at municipal elections, specifically allowing in-person voting and special on demand mail in ballots;
- (3) AND THAT this By-law shall come into force and effect upon the date it is passed;
- (4) AND THAT By-law #3875(2017) be and is hereby repealed.

ENACTED, SIGNED & SEALED THIS  
15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 2021

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M. JUNKIN, MAYOR

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HOLLY WILLFORD, TOWN CLERK