## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE BY-LAW NO. 4586A-18

A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW 4586-12 BEING A BY-LAW TO REGULATE THE SIZE, USE, LOCATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SIGNS WITHIN THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE

WHEREAS, section 11 of the Municipal Act authorizes a municipality to pass by-laws respecting structures including signs

## NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED AS A BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE as follows:

That By-law 4586-12, being a by-law to regulate the size, use, location and maintenance of signs within The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, be amended by removing Section 4.01.(2)(i), and replacing it with the following:

## (2)(i) Election Signs- Municipal

Nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent the posting of any election proclamation in regard to any municipal election, or any voter's list under the statute in that behalf, nor the display of election Signs by candidates or registered third party advertisers during any municipal election, provided that such election Signs are erected in accordance with the following provisions:

- (a) Election Signs shall not be erected on private property without the Owner's consent;
- (b) All election Signs shall be set back a minimum of 1.0 metres(3.28 feet) from the Property Line;
- (c) Election Signs shall not be erected on public property;
- (d) All municipal election Signs shall have a maximum Sign Display Area of 1 square metre (10.76 square feet);
- (e) No candidate shall erect or display, or cause to be erected or displayed, any municipal election Signs more than sixty (60) days before the date fixed for the election; and
- (f) All election Signs must be removed within seven (7) days of the date of the election, by the Owner, Occupant, candidate, registered third party advertiser, or an authorized representative.
- 2. That By-law 4586-12, being a by-law to regulate the size, use, location and maintenance of signs within The Corporation of the Town of

Niagara-on-the-Lake, be amended by removing Section 4.01.(2)(ii), and replacing it with the following:

## (2)(ii) Election Signs- Provincial and Federal

Nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent the posting of any election proclamation or notice under any Elections Act or any Voter's List under the Statute in that behalf, nor the display of election Signs on private property during any provincial, or federal election. Such election Signs shall be erected in accordance with the following provisions:

- (a) Election Signs shall not be erected on private property without the Owner's consent;
- (b) All election Signs shall be set back a minimum of 1.0 metres(3.28feet) from the Property Line;
- (c) Election Signs shall not be erected on public property
- (d) Election Signs shall have a maximum size of 3.0 square metres (32.29 square feet) in area;
- (e) No candidate shall erect or display, or cause to be erected or displayed, any election Signs more than sixty (60) days before the date fixed for the election; and
- (f) All election Signs must be removed within seven (7) days after the date of the election, by the Owner, Occupant, candidate, or the candidate's representative.
- That By-law 4586-12, being a by-law to regulate the size, use, location and maintenance of signs within The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, be amended by removing Schedule 'C'; and
- That the Lord Mayor and Clerk be authorized to affix their hands and the Corporate Seal; and
- That this by-law shall come into force and take effect immediately upon the passing thereof.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND PASSED THIS 16<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2018.

LORD MAYOR PAT DARTE

TOWN CLERK PETER TODD