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**A BYLAW OF THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF ISLAND LAKE, IN THE  
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO BE KNOWN AS THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF ISLAND LAKE  
VOTER IDENTIFICATION BYLAW**

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**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Municipal Government Act, being Chapter M-26, Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and amendments thereto, that a Municipal Council may pass bylaws; and

in accordance with Section 53 of the Local Authorities Election Act, Chapter L-21, Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and amendments thereto, requires an elected authority to specify the production of identification as an eligibility requirement to vote in a local authority election.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved that the Council of the Summer Village of Island Lake, pursuant to the authority conferred upon it by the laws of the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

**TITLE**

This Bylaw shall be called the “Voter Identification Bylaw”.

**PURPOSE AND PROCEDURES**

The purpose of this Bylaw is to ensure that a person who attends at a voting station to vote in an election held pursuant to the Local Authorities Election Act, for which the Summer Village of Island Lake is responsible to conduct, either as the elected authority or pursuant to an agreement with another elected authority, must produce for inspection by a Deputy Returning Officer of the voting station:

- 1) One piece of government issued identification containing the elector’s photograph, current address and name; or
- 2) Two pieces of identification from the following list:
  - a) Canadian Military Identification;
  - b) Birth Certificate;
  - c) Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan Card;
  - d) Alberta Identification Card;
  - e) Social Insurance Number Card;
  - f) Certificate of Canadian Citizenship;
  - g) Royal Canadian Mounted Police Identification Card;
  - h) Veterans Affairs Canada Identification Card;
  - i) Old Age Security (OAS) Card;
  - j) Student Identification Card;
  - k) Credit/Debit Card;

- l) Hospital/Medical Card;
- m) Fishing, Trapping or Hunting License;
- n) Marriage Certificate;
- o) Firearms License Possession-Acquisition;
- p) Firearms – Possession Only License; and
- q) Any other piece of identification acceptable to the Deputy Returning Officer.

If a Deputy Returning Officer is not satisfied the identification verifies the identity and age of the person seeking to vote, the Presiding Deputy Returning Officer of the voting station will make the final decision as to whether or not the person is allowed to vote.

A person who does not meet the requirements of s. 53(1) of the Local Authorities Election Act and s. 2 of this Bylaw is not eligible to vote.

### **EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon receiving third and final reading and being duly signed.

Read a first time on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

Read a second time on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.

Read a third and final time on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

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Mayor,  
Chad Newton

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Chief Administrative Officer,  
Phyllis Forsyth