

A bylaw to provide for alternative means of publishing notice

WHEREAS the *Community Charter* and the *Local Government Act* require local governments to provide public notice on certain matters;

AND WHEREAS the Mayor and Council of the Village of Harrison Hot Springs has considered the principles for effective public notice as outlined in *Public Notice Regulation, B.C. Reg 52/2022*;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to section 94.2 of the *Community Charter*, the Mayor and Council of the Village of Harrison Hot Springs may, by bylaw, provide for alternative means of publishing notice;

NOW THEREFORE in open meeting assembled, the Mayor and Council of the Village of Harrison Hot Springs enacts as follows:

1. CITATION

This bylaw may be cited as the Village of Harrison Hot Springs “Public Notice Bylaw No.1200, 2024”.

2. DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this bylaw:

“Village” means the Village of Harrison Hot Springs

“Village Facebook Page” means the Village’s computer and internet-based technology information resource on the Facebook social media platform

“Village Website” means the electronic information resource at www.harrisonhotsprings.ca

3. ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF PUBLISHING NOTICE

1. Any notice required to be published in accordance with section 94 of the *Community Charter* must be published by:

- (a) Posting electronically on the Village website; and
- (b) Distributing advertisements via direct mail to all registered post office boxes in the Village of Harrison Hot Springs.

2. In the event that direct mail is not possible due to a mail service delivery disruption resulting from a post office closure, Canada Post worker strike or otherwise, public notice will be published by:

- (a) Posting electronically on the Village website; and
- (b) Posting electronically on the Village Facebook Page.

4. SEVERABILITY

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this bylaw is, for any reason, held to be invalid by the decision of any Court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid portion shall be severed and the decision that it is invalid shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this bylaw.

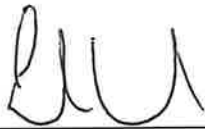
READINGS AND ADOPTION

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 20th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2024

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ADOPTED THIS 3rd DAY OF APRIL, 2024



Mayor



Corporate Officer

