

**VILLAGE OF BULYEA BYLAW NO. #01-24
BEING A BYLAW TO PROVIDE FOR THOSE MATTERS PERTAINING TO A MUNICIPAL
ELECTION IN THE VILLAGE OF BULYEA**

The Council of the Village of Bulyea in the Province of Saskatchewan enacts as follows:

This Bylaw may be cited as "*The General Election Bylaw*".

GOVERNING LEGISLATION

- a) *The Local Government Election Act, 2015 (the Act)*

DEFINITIONS

- a) "Administrator" shall mean the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) of the Village Of Bulyea
- b) "Council" shall mean the duly elected Council of the Village Of Bulyea;
- c) "Regulations" shall mean *The Local Government Election Regulations, 2015*;
- d) "Returning Officer" shall mean:
 - i. that person responsible for all matters relating to the election pursuant to *the Act*;
 - ii. the Administrator unless Council appoints another person as returning officer at least ninety (90) days before election day;
 - iii. that person appointed by the Minister pursuant to section (62) of *The Municipalities Act*;
 - iv. that person appointed by Council to act in the capacity of the returning officer and who shall then exercise all the powers, shall perform all the duties, and is subject to the same liabilities as the returning officer in whose place the person is acting, if the returning officer is for any reason unable to act or perform his or her duties.
- e) "Village Of Bulyea" shall mean the municipality of the Village of Bulyea in the province of Saskatchewan and the boundaries thereof;
- f) "Village Office" shall mean the administrative office of the Village Of Bulyea;
- g) "Village-Owned Property" shall mean any property, green space, park, building, or facility that is owned, operated, managed, or maintained by the municipality; including but not limited to residential, commercial, and industrial areas;

APPLICATION

- a) All of the provisions and enactments set forth in this Bylaw shall relate to and be in full force and effect within the limits of the Village of Bulyea.
- b) The headings throughout this Bylaw are for convenience only and are not intended to be used to construe the intent of this Bylaw or any part hereof, or to modify, amplify, or aid in the interpretation or meaning of the provisions of this Bylaw.
- c) All schedules, forms, or other items and any appendices or supplements to them, as referred to in this Bylaw from time to time, shall be identified as a "Schedule", and shall be

attached in alphabetical order to and form part of this Bylaw, and may be amended from time to time by an amending bylaw.

PURPOSE

- a) The purpose of this Bylaw and any attachment hereto is:
 - i. the methods for providing public notice;
 - ii. the form of the nomination/acceptance paper;

PROCEDURE

- a) Except as modified by this Bylaw, all elections in the Village of Bulyea shall be conducted pursuant to the provisions of *the Act*.

PUBLIC NOTICE

- a) Notices regarding municipal elections for members of Council in the Village of Bulyea, which are required by *the Act*, shall be posted, and published using each of the following methods:
 - i. posted in a location in the Village Office which is conspicuous to the public;
 - ii. posted in one or more conspicuous public locations within the Village of Bulyea, which may include but are not limited to retailers, services, businesses, or Village-owned property;
 - iii. published in at least one issue of one or more newspapers having general circulation within the Village of Bulyea.
- b) A notice need not be published in a newspaper if:
 - i. in the opinion of Council, it is not an available option, is not feasible or practicable to do so; and
 - ii. all or part of the contents of the notice are:
 - (1) published on a website or publicly distributed by other electronic means; and
 - (2) providing notice is given within the same time frame and frequency required by *the Act*.
- c) In addition, the returning officer may publish the notice in the form of an announcement on a public advertising website or by other electronic means.

FORM OF NOMINATION PAPER

- a) Every Candidate Nomination and Acceptance Paper (front and back); pursuant to Schedule "A", for election of a member of Council, either Mayor or Councillor shall:
 - i. be in the prescribed format pursuant to *the Act* and *the Regulations*; and
 - ii. include the occupation of the candidate.

COMING INTO FORCE

- a) This Bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon the date of the final passing thereof.

Introduced and read a first time this 22 nd day of April 2024

Read a second time this 22nd of May 2024

Read a third time, and thereby approved, this 27th day of June 2024

_____Cynthia Lovequist_____
Mayor

(SEAL)

_____Darci Lowe_____
Administrator

SCHEDULE "A" TO BYLAW 01-24

CANDIDATE NOMINATION AND ACCEPTANCE PAPER - FRONT (FORM I)

[Clauses 67(3)(a),(b),(c),(d),(g) & (h) and subsections 67(3), (4) & (5) of the Act]

[Subsection 37(1) of the Regulations]

We the undersigned, being voters of the: Village Of Bulyea

nominate _____ ,
(Candidate Name)

of _____ , to be a candidate at the election
(Street or Civic Address)

to be held on the _____ day of _____ , 20_____

for the office of:

(Check one of the following options)

Mayor: Village Of Bulyea

Councillor: Village Of Bulyea

(The Nomination Paper must be signed below by five (5) Voters of the Village Of Bulyea)

Signature

Name (printed)

Street or Civic Address

	Signature	Name (printed)	Street or Civic Address
1 of 5			
2 of 5			
3 of 5			
4 of 5			
5 of 5			

CANDIDATE NOMINATION AND ACCEPTANCE PAPER - BACK (FORM I)

[Clauses 67(3)(a)(b)(c)(d)(g) & (h) of the Act]

[Subsection 37(1) of the Regulations]

I, _____ ,
(Name as it will appear on the ballot)

a(n) _____ ,
(Occupation)

a candidate nominated for the office of:

(Check one of the following options)

Mayor: Village Of Bulyea

Councillor: Village Of Bulyea

declare that:

1. I am the full age of 18 years or will attain the full age of 18 years on or before election day;
2. I am a Canadian citizen;
3. If elected, I will accept the office for which I was nominated; and
4. I am not disqualified by *The Local Government Election Act, 2015* or any other Act from holding the office for which I am a candidate;
5. I have resided in Saskatchewan for at least six consecutive months immediately preceding the date on which this nomination paper is submitted; and
6. I have resided in the Village Of Bulyea, or on land now in the municipality, for at least three consecutive months immediately preceding the date on which this nomination paper is submitted.

Dated at _____ , SK.

This _____ day of _____ , 20_____ .

(Signature of Candidate)

(Witness)

(Witness)