THE CORPORATION OF HALDIMAND COUNTY

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WHEREAS subsection 42(1) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, S.O. 1996, Chapter 32, as amended, (the Act) provides that the council of a municipality may, by by-law, authorize the use of an alternative voting method that does not require electors to attend at a voting place in order to vote;

WHEREAS subsection 42(5) of the Act provides that when a by-law authorizing the use of an alternative voting method is in effect, Section 43 (advance vote) shall only apply if the by-law so specifies;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of Haldimand County deems it expedient to use internet voting during the advance voting period of the 2026 municipal election,

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of The Corporation of Haldimand County enacts as follows:

- 1. **THAT** the use of internet voting is hereby authorized for use during the advance voting period for the 2026 municipal election.
- 2. **THAT** the Clerk shall determine the dates and times during which the advance vote is held.
- 3. **AND THAT** this by-law shall come into force and effect on the date of passing.

ENACTED this 26th day of May, 2025.

MAYOR

CLERK