



## The Corporation of Norfolk County

### By-Law 2020-71

#### Being a By-Law to Amend By-Law 2018-70 and Delegate Authority to Issue Licences to Hunt Pheasants and Rabbits within Norfolk County.

**WHEREAS** Section 79 of the *Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act*, S.O. 1997, c. 41 as amended, provides that the Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry may, in writing, authorize any Municipality to pass by-laws for:

- i) The purpose of issuing licences to hunt ring-necked pheasants, cottontails, varying hares and European hares in the municipality during the open season;
- ii) Fixing the minimum and maximum number of licences that may be issued under a by-law; and,
- iii) Charging such licence fees as the Minister may authorize.

**WHEREAS** Section 23.1 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25 provides that a municipality may delegate certain powers and duties;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S. O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides in part that the powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues;

**AND WHEREAS** Council deems the delegation of Pheasants and Rabbits Hunting Licensing is of a minor nature under Section 23.2(4) of the *Municipal Act 2001, R.S.O 2001*;

**AND WHEREAS** Council deems it appropriate to delegate authority under Sections 23.2 (1) (b)(ii) and (iii) to allow for individual or individual(s) to act as agents on behalf of the Corporation for the purposes of licensing Pheasants and Rabbits Hunting Licensing;

**AND WHEREAS** Council deems it appropriate to delegate authority to allow for individual or individual(s) to act as agents on behalf of the Corporation for the purposes of licensing for the Pheasant Release Program.

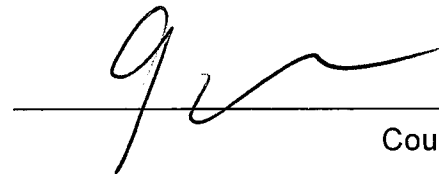
**NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF NORFOLK COUNTY  
HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. THAT By-Law 2018-70 section 2.1.1 is hereby amended through the addition of "or agents delegated authority by Council" following the words "Clerk-designate"
2. AND THAT the following individuals be delegated authority to act as agents on behalf of the municipality for the administration, review, and issuance of Pheasant Release Program hunting licenses under By-Law 2018-70:
  - i. Jim Greenwood, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - ii. Paul Kilishtof, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - iii. Dave Leckie, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - iv. Bob Hawke, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - v. Jeff Helsdon, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - vi. Randy Lambert, Long Point Area Fish and Game Club
  - vii. Dan Nagy, Eli's Guns & Archery
  - viii. Howard Stillwell, H. Stilwell's Guns and Ammo
  - ix. Paul Andratis, Caffery Hardware & Electric Limited
3. THAT By-Law 2020-71 comes into effect upon the date of passage.

**ENACTED AND PASSED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2020.**

  
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Mayor

  
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County Clerk

Authority: Resolution 9, CIC  
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