



**Corporation of the Town of Ingersoll
By-Law 25-5366**

A by-law to appoint an Integrity Commissioner and Closed Meeting Investigator.

Whereas the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as amended permits municipal Councils to enter into certain agreements;

And Whereas Section 239.2 (1) of the *Municipal Act* authorizes municipalities to appoint a Closed Meeting Investigator;

And Whereas Section 223.3 (1) of the *Municipal Act* authorizes municipalities to appoint an Integrity Commissioner who reports to Council and who is responsible for performing in an independent manner the functions assigned by the municipality with respect to the application of the Code of Conduct for members of Council and members of local boards or of either of them;

AND WHEREAS Council of the Town of Ingersoll has a Code of Conduct being By-law 21-5147;

AND WHEREAS at its meeting held on December 9, 2024, Council of the Corporation of the Town of Ingersoll passed a Resolution to appoint an Integrity Commissioner and Closed Meeting Investigator, for a term ending May 31, 2027;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Ingersoll enacts as follows:

1. That the Council does hereby appoint the firm of Aird & Berlis LLP as Integrity Commissioner and Closed Meeting Investigator for the Town of Ingersoll for a term ending May 31, 2027.
2. That Aird and Berlis LLP shall be assigned all of the functions of an Integrity Commissioner as set out in subsection 223.3(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as amended.
3. That Aird and Berlis LLP shall be assigned all the powers and duties of a Closed Meeting Investigator as set out in subsection 239.2(2) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as amended.
4. That this By-law shall come into force and be effective on the date of the third and final reading thereof.

READ a first and second time in Open Council this 13th day of January, 2025.

READ a third time in Open Council and passed this 13th day of January, 2025.



Brian Petrie, Mayor



Danielle Richard, Clerk