



**BYLAW 2020-844  
ELECTION BYLAW  
VILLAGE OF CARBON  
IN THE  
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA**

**A BYLAW OF VILLAGE OF CARBON, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO PROVIDE FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN VILLAGE OF CARBON.**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Local Authorities Election Act, Section 29, an elected authority may require that every nomination be accompanied by a deposit in the amount specified by bylaw;

**AND WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Local Authorities Election Act, Section 33(1), an elected authority may provide for events in circumstances of a death of a candidate.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of Village of Carbon, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

**PART ONE TITLE**

1. This Bylaw shall be known as the "Election Bylaw" .

**PART TWO NOMINATION DEPOSIT**

2. Village of Carbon Council hereby enacts that every nomination for the office of Councillor for Village of Carbon must be accompanied by a cash deposit as provided in Village of Carbon's Master Rates Bylaw.

**PART THREE DEATH OF A CANDIDATE**

3. If a candidate for any position dies after being nominated but before 9:00 a.m. on Election Day, the election for that position will be discontinued, and the appropriate elected authority will arrange a new election for the position as soon as practicable.
4. The appropriate Elected Authority will arrange a new election for the position as soon as practicable.

**PART FOUR TRANSITION**

5. **SEVERABILITY**

If a portion of this bylaw is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the invalid portion will be voided, and the rest of the bylaw remains valid and effective.

**6. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This bylaw comes into effect upon third reading of this bylaw.

**7. BYLAW REPEAL**

Any previous Municipal Election Bylaws are hereby repealed.

**READ** a first time on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2020.

**READ** a second time on this \_7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2020.

**UNANMIOUS** permission for third and final reading given in Council on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2020.

**READ** a third and final time and passed on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2020.

  
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Mayor Bryan Peever

  
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CAO Vanessa Van der Meer