

BY-LAW 32 OF 2017

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF ST. MARYS

Being a By-law to authorize the use of optical scanning vote tabulators and vote recorders for the purpose of counting votes at the 2018 municipal election.

- WHEREAS:** Section 42 of the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996, S.O. 1996. c.32 provides that the Council of a municipality may, by by-law, authorize the use of voting and vote-counting equipment such as voting machines, voting recorders or optical scanning vote tabulators for the purpose of counting votes at Municipal Elections;
- AND WHEREAS:** The Council of the Town of St. Marys deems it appropriate and in the public interest to pass such a by-law;
- NOW THEREFORE:** The Council of The Corporation of the Town of St. Marys hereby enacts as follows;
- 1.** The use of optical scanning vote tabulators and vote recorders for the purpose of counting votes at a municipal election
 - 2.** That the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to secure an agreement with an appropriate service provider for the provision of optical scanning vote tabulators and vote recorder equipment.
 - 3.** This By-Law comes into force and takes effect on the final passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this 11th day of April, 2017.

Read a third and final time and passed this 11th day of April, 2017.

Mayor Al Strathee

Brent Kittmer, CAO/Clerk