

# **The Corporation of the City of Kenora**

## **By-law Number 146 - 2026**

### **A By-Law to Appoint the City's Integrity Commissioner and Authorize Contract Between the Corporation of the City of Kenora and Aird & Berlis LLP for Integrity Commissioner Services**

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Whereas Section 223.3 of the Municipal Act, 2001, 5.0. 2001, c.25, as amended, 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 legislation and by Council pursuant to that legislation; and

Whereas Council of the Corporation of the City of Kenora received two proposals for consideration and as a result of direct request for proposals; and

Whereas effective October 1, 2026, the Municipality is desirous of appointing Aird & Berlis LLP as its integrity commissioner to perform the duties and responsibilities of the office pursuant to the terms of the legislation and as agreed upon;

Now Therefore the Council of The Corporation of the City of Kenora ("the Corporation") enacts as follows:

1. That Aird & Berlis LLP are hereby appointed as the City of Kenora's Integrity Commissioners for a period of five years, with the option to renew for three additional years effective October 1, 2026.
2. That the terms and conditions of the appointment shall be as contained in the Agreement and be attached hereto and form part of this bylaw.
3. That the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the agreement between the parties.
4. This By-law shall come into force and take effect on the final passage hereof.

**By-law read a First and Second time this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2026**

**By-law read a Third and Final Time this 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2026**

**The Corporation of the City of Kenora:-**

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**Andrew Poirier, Mayor**

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**Heather Pihulak, City Clerk**

By signing this bylaw on September 15, 2026, Mayor Andrew Poirier will not exercise the power to veto this bylaw.