THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF JOLY

BYLAW NUMBER 2025-017

BEING A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH TAX COLLECTIONS POLICY

Legal Authority

Scope of Powers
Section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act*¸ 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, ("*Municipal Act*") as amended, provides that the powers of a municipality shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on municipalities to enable them to govern their affairs as they consider appropriate, and to enhance their ability to respond to municipal issues.

Powers of a Natural Person
Section 9 of the *Municipal Act* provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act.

Powers Exercised by Council
Section 5(1) of the *Municipal Act* provides that the powers of a municipality shall be exercised by its Council

Powers Exercised by By-law
Section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act* provides that a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under section 9, shall be exercised by bylaw unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise.

Establishment of Tax Collection Policy
Section 306 to 389 of the *Municipal Act* provides legislation with respect to municipal property taxes municipality.

Preamble
Council for the Corporation of The Township of Joly is interested and committed to to establish a policy for the prompt and effective and efficient billing and collection of property taxes.

Decision
Council of the Corporation of the Township of Joly decides it in the best interest of the Corporation to establish a Tax Collection Policy identified as Schedule "A", attached hereto and forming part of this bylaw.

Direction

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Joly directs as follows:

1. That this by-law shall come into force and effect force on the date of its final passing.
2. That all previous by-law and or motions, or parts thereof, in conflict with or contrary hereto or inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby replaced.

Bylaw 2025-017 Be read and adopted this 11th Day of March 2025.

Original copy signed

Mayor

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Clerk