

THE CITY OF VAUGHAN

BY-LAW

BY-LAW NUMBER 197-2023

By-law of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan to amend the Administrative Monetary Penalties By-law 063-2019, as amended, to transfer the authority to appoint Hearing Officers to the City Clerk.

WHEREAS section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that the powers of a municipality shall be interpreted broadly as to confer broad authority on a municipality to enable it to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate, and enhance its ability to respond to municipal issues;

AND WHEREAS section 102.1 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipality may require a person to pay an Administrative Monetary Penalty if the municipality is satisfied that the person has failed to comply with any by-laws respecting the parking, standing or stopping of vehicles;

AND WHEREAS section 434.1 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipality may require a person to pay an Administrative Monetary Penalty if the municipality is satisfied that the person has failed to comply with a by-law of the municipality passed under the *Municipal Act*;

AND WHEREAS the City of Vaughan considers it appropriate that the City Clerk be delegated the authority to appoint Hearing Officers under the Administrative Monetary Penalties system;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That By-law 063-2019, as amended, be amended by adding the definition of City Clerk, to Section 3.0 'Definitions and Interpretation', in alphabetical order, as follows:

"City Clerk" means the person appointed by Council as Clerk pursuant to Section 228 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, or their designate."

2. That By-law 063-2019, as amended, be further amended by replacing the word “*Director*” with “*City Clerk*” in subsection 7.0(3).
3. That By-law 063-2019, as amended, be further amended by deleting subsection 10.0(2) and replacing as follows:

“For the purposes of subsection 23.3(2) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, it is the opinion of *Council* that the powers delegated to the *Screening Officer* and the *Hearing Officer, the Director* and the *City Clerk* pursuant to this By-law are of a minor nature.”

Voted in favour by City of Vaughan Council this 12th day of December 2023.

Steven Del Duca, Mayor

Todd Coles, City Clerk