E-mail

January 20th, 2025

Hon. Paul Calandra Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing 777 Bay Street, 17th Floor Toronto, Ontario M7A 2J3

SUBJECT: Municipal Accountability Act, 2024 - Municipal Code of Conduct

Hon. Paul Calandra:

Members of the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Hawkesbury received your correspondence at its Regular meeting held on January 13, 2025.

After discussion, we concluded that we do not agree with a unanimous vote by members of Council but rather a majority vote in a situation to remove and disqualify members of council and certain local boards for a period of four years for the most serious code of conduct violations, following a recommendation from the local integrity and a concurring report from the Integrity Commissioner of Ontario.

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Robert Lefebvre

Mayor

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