

# By-law No. GG-003: RESPECTING THE REMUNERATION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GRAND BAY-WESTFIELD

The Council of the Municipality of Grand Bay-Westfield under authority vested in it by *Local Governance Act, SNB 2017, c18* and amendments thereto enacts as follows:

## SHORT TITLE

1. This By-law may be cited as the Remuneration By-law.

### **COMPOSITION**

2. The Council of the Municipality of Grand Bay-Westfield consists of a mayor and six councillors elected at large.

### **REMUNERATION**

- 3. The Mayor of the Town of Grand Bay-Westfield is entitled to remuneration in the amount of \$33,408.00 per year payable in equal monthly payments.
- 4. The Deputy Mayor of the Town of Grand Bay-Westfield is entitled to remuneration in the amount of \$16,495.00 per year payable in equal monthly payments.
- 5. Each Councillor of the Town of Grand Bay-Westfield is entitled to remuneration in the amount of \$14,328.00 per year payable in equal monthly payments.
- 6. Council may pass a resolution requiring any member of Council to forfeit all or part of his/her remuneration if such member has missed a minimum of three consecutive public meetings without an excuse that Council deems valid.

#### **ALLOWANCES**

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- 7.1 Each member of the Town of Grand Bay-Westfield Council is entitled to reimbursement for expenses incurred incidental to the discharge of duties as a member of Council provided such expense is not disallowed by motion of Council.
- 7.2 Reimbursement pursuant to subsection 7(1) shall be limited to reasonable expenses and made upon submission of receipts, plus a per kilometre rate, as established by resolution of Council, for use of a personal vehicle.
- 7.3 The Mayor of the Municipality shall be paid a per diem rate of \$115.00 per day for each day the Mayor attends meetings, seminars, conferences, training sessions and other like events as a representative of the Municipality outside the boundaries of the Municipality. The Deputy Mayor of the Municipality shall be paid a per diem rate of \$100.00 per day for each day the Deputy Mayor attends meetings, seminars, conferences, training sessions, and other like events as a representative of the Municipality outside the boundaries of the Municipality, except when acting for the Mayor she/he shall be paid \$115.00 per day.
- 7.4 Each Councillor of the Municipality shall be paid a per diem rate of \$100.00 per day for each day the Councillor attends meetings, seminars, conferences, training sessions, and other like events as a representative of the Municipality outside the boundaries of the Municipality.
- 7.5 On the first day of January in each and every year the remuneration set out in Sections 3, 4, and 5 shall be adjusted by an amount equal to the average increase in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for New Brunswick recorded for the immediately preceding fiscal year ending September 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### <u>REPEAL</u>

8. By-law No. 104, being Town of Grand Bay-Westfield By-law Respecting the Remuneration of the Mayor and Council of The Town of Grand Bay-Westfield, enacted on 5 May 2004, and all amendments thereto, is hereby repealed.

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**READ A FIRST TIME** by summary this <u>9<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>January</u>, 2023.

**READ A SECOND TIME** by title this <u>9<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>January</u>, 2023.

**READ A THIRD TIME** by title and ENACTED on this  $21^{st}$  day of February, 2023.

This By-law comes into force on the date of final passing thereof.

SIGNED AND APPROVED this \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

John Enns-Wind CAO / Clerk Brittany Merrifield Mayor

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