Bill No. 146



BY-LAW NUMBER 2012-

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Barrie to require a by-election to fill the vacancy in the office of a member of Council representing Ward Eight.

WHEREAS, Section 259 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended (the "Municipal Act, 2001"), establishes that the office of a member of council of a municipality becomes vacant if the member resigns from his or her office and the resignation is effective under section 260 of the Municipal Act, 2001;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 260 of the Municipal Act 2001, Councillor J. Robinson provided notice to the City Clerk on August 1, 2012 of her resignation from her office as Councillor for Ward 8 on Barrie City Council, effective immediately;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 262 of the Municipal Act 2001, Barrie City Council declared the office to be vacant on August 13, 2012;

AND WHEREAS, Section 263 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended (the "Municipal Act, 2001"), establishes that where a vacancy occurs in the office of a member of Council of a municipality, the Council may by by-law require an election to be held to fill the vacancy;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with motion 12-G-210, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie deems it expedient to require that a by-election be held to fill the vacancy in the office of Councillor – Ward Eight;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie enacts as follows:

- 1. **THAT** a by-election be held to fill the vacancy for the office of a member of Council representing Ward Eight in the City of Barrie, to be conducted in accordance with Section 65 of the *Municipal Elections Act*, R.S.O. 1996.
- 2. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and have effect immediately upon the final passing thereof.

READ a first and second time this 27th day of August, 2012.

READ a third time and finally passed this 27th day of August, 2012.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE
MAYOR – J. R. LEHMAN
CITY CLERK – DAWN A. McALPINE