

**BYLAW 1391/17**

**BYLAW PRINTING OF BALLOTS IN LOTS  
STURGEON COUNTY, MORINVILLE, ALBERTA**

BYLAW 1391/17 BEING A BYLAW OF STURGEON COUNTY, MORINVILLE, ALBERTA TO PROVIDE FOR THE PRINTING BALLOTS IN LOTS.

**WHEREAS**, the *Local Authorities Election Act* R.S.A. 2000 and amendments authorizes an elected authority to pass a bylaw to allow for the printing of ballots in lots for municipal elections.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Council of Sturgeon County, duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

**1. Printing of Ballots in Lots**

- a. Ballots shall be printed in as many lots as there are candidates for the office,
- b. In the first lot the names of the candidates shall appear in alphabetical order,
- c. In the second lot the names shall appear in the same order, except that the first name in the first lot shall be placed last,
- d. In each succeeding lot, the order shall be the same as that of the preceding lot, except that the first name in the preceding lot shall be placed last, and
- e. Tablets of ballots to be used at each voting station shall be made up by combining ballots from the different lots in regular rotation so that no two consecutive electors may receive ballot papers from the same lot and so that each candidate's name shall appear first and in each other position substantially the same number of times on the ballots used.

**2. Effective Date**

2.1 That this Bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon the date of third reading.

Read a first time this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

Read a second time this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

Read a third time this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

  
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MAYOR

  
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER (CAO)

If any portion of this bylaw is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the invalid portion must be severed and the remainder of the bylaw is deemed valid.