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## Municipal Affairs and Housing

March 22, 2023

Sheralee MacEwan  
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Municipality of East Hants  
VIA E-Mail: [smacewan@easthants.ca](mailto:smacewan@easthants.ca)

Dear Sheralee:

**Re: Municipality of East Hants - By-Law F-400-8, an Amendment to By-Law F-400, A By-Law Respecting Exemption from Taxation By-Law**

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of your correspondence dated February 28, 2023, including two certified copies of the above noted by-law.

We understand that this by-law has been submitted for filing with the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing in accordance with subsection 169(3) of the *Municipal Government Act* (subsection 184(3) of the *Halifax Regional Municipality Charter*). Accordingly, please be advised that the by-law has been accepted for filing and will be kept in our records.

Please note that our review of by-laws submitted for filing is limited to determining whether the procedural requirements for the adoption and publication of by-laws appear to have been met. These requirements are set out in sections 168 and 169 of the *Municipal Government Act* (sections 183 and 184 of the *Halifax Regional Municipality Charter*). **We do not review or approve the content of the by-law and we do not evaluate the by-law for drafting irregularities or legal enforceability.**

**It is strongly recommended that all by-laws be reviewed by the Municipality's solicitor prior to consideration by Council.**

Yours truly,

Nicolas Barr  
Director of Governance & Advisory Services