

**Town of Three Rivers**  
**Bylaw to Decrease the Number of Councillors**  
**Bylaw # 2019-14**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Council of the Town of Three Rivers as follows:

**1. Title**

- 1.1. This bylaw shall be known and cited as the “Council Size Bylaw.”

**2. Authority**

- 2.1. Executive Council Order in Council EC2018-586, September 25, 2018, requires the Council of Three Rivers to select either six or eight councillors plus a mayor for the size of future Councils; Subsection 78(4) of the *Municipal Government Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. M-12.1., enables a municipality to set, by bylaw, the number of councillors who may serve on the council in accordance with clause 78(1)(b).

**3. Application**

- 3.1. This bylaw applies to all council members who may serve on the council in accordance with the Act.

**4. Definitions**

- 4.1. “Act” means the Municipal Government Act.
- 4.2. “Chief Administrative Officer” or “CAO” means the administrative head of a municipality as appointed by council under subsection 86(2)(c) of the *Municipal Government Act*.
- 4.3. “Council” means the mayor and other members of the council of the municipality.
- 4.4. “Councillor” means a member of council other than the mayor.

**5. General**

- 5.1. The number of councillors for the Town of Three Rivers is hereby decreased from twelve (12) to eight (8).

## 6. Effective Date

- 6.1. This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, shall come into force immediately and take effect with the next general election.

### First Reading:

This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, was read a first time at the Council meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, was approved by a majority of Council members present at the Council meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

### Second Reading:

This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, was read a second time at the Council meeting held on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2019.

This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, was approved by a majority of Council members present at the Council meeting held on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2019.

### Approval and Adoption by Council:

This Council Size Bylaw, Bylaw# 2019-14, was adopted by a majority of Council members present at the Council meeting held on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2019.

## 7. Signatures

*Edward MacAulavy*

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Mayor (signature sealed)

*Jill Walsh*

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Chief Administrative Officer (signature sealed)

This Council Size Bylaw adopted by the Council of Town of Three Rivers on October 15, 2019, is certified to be a true copy.

*Jill Walsh*

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Chief Administrative Officer Signature

October 16, 2019

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Date