

Town of Nanton

BYLAW NO. 1382/24

A BYLAW OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWN OF NANTON IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO ESTABLISH THE TOWN OF NANTON LIBRARY BOARD.

1. ENACTMENT

- 1.1 WHEREAS Section 3(1) of the Libraries Act, being Chapter L-11 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and amendments thereto, authorizes the council of a municipality to, by bylaw, establish a municipal library board; and
- 1.2 WHEREAS the public library supported in part by municipal taxation and managed, regulated and controlled by successive library boards with Members appointed by the Council of the Town of Nanton from time to time, as per the provisions of the Libraries Act and Town of Nanton Bylaw #1240/12, has been established;
- 1.3 NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Municipality of the Town of Nanton in the Province of Alberta duly assembled enacts as follows:

2. TITLE:

- 2.1 This bylaw will be cited as the "Nanton Library Board Bylaw".

3. PURPOSE:

- 3.1 The purpose of this Bylaw is to establish, and re-confirm the previous establishment of, the Nanton Library Board under the Libraries Act and only reiterate those Sections of the Act which clarify Member appointments and the Board's financial responsibilities under the Act, its Regulations, or any amendments, rather than inserting reiterations of all Sections of the Act within the Bylaw.

4. INTERPRETATION:

- 4.1 "Act" shall refer to the Libraries Act, being Chapter L-11 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, and shall include any Regulations respecting the Act, and any amendments to both thereto.
- 4.2 "Board" shall mean the Nanton Library Board.
- 4.3 "Council" is the Council of the Town of Nanton in the Province of Alberta.
- 4.4 "Library" shall mean the library service point, including the Nanton Thelma Fanning Library, that provides public library services under the control and management of the Nanton Library Board.

- 4.5 "Member" is person appointed to the Nanton Library Board by the Council of the Town of Nanton, in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

5. STATUS QUO:

- 5.1 The Nanton Library Board Members heretofore appointed by Councils of the Town of Nanton from time to time are hereby confirmed to be and to have been Members of the Board and shall continue as the Nanton Library Board as per the provisions of the Libraries Act as of the final date of the passing of this Bylaw.

6. PROVISIONS:

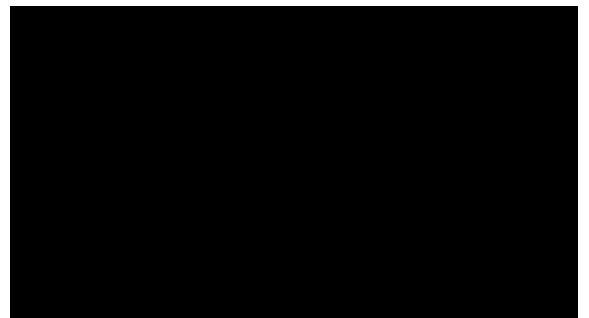
In accordance with the provisions of the Libraries Act and any amendments hereafter:

- 6.1 The Nanton Library Board shall consist of not fewer than 5 and not more than 10 Members appointed by Council;
- 6.2 Not more than 2 members of Council may be Members of the Board;
- 6.3 A Member of the Nanton Library Board is eligible to be reappointed for only 2 additional consecutive terms of office, unless at least 2/3 of the whole Council passes a resolution stating that the Member may be reappointed as a Member for more than 3 consecutive terms;
- 6.4 The appointments of the Members of the Board shall be made on the date fixed by Council;
- 6.5 The Board shall before December 1 in each year prepare a budget and an estimate of the money required during the ensuing fiscal year to operate and manage the Library;
- 6.6 The budget and the estimate of money shall be forthwith submitted to Council.

7. EFFECTIVE DATE AND READINGS

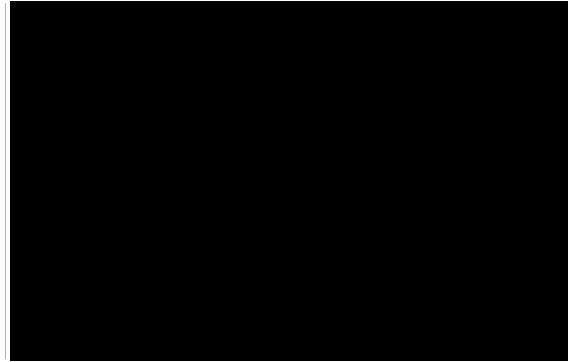
- 7.1 Bylaw #1240/12 is hereby repealed.
- 7.2 This Bylaw #1382/24 comes into effect upon the date of final reading and signing thereof.
- 7.3 Read a first time this 22nd day of January 2024.

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7.4 Read a second time this 22nd day of January, 2024.

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7.5 Read a third time this 22nd day of January, 2024.

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