

**TOWN OF PEACE RIVER
BYLAW NO. 2010**

**BEING A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF PEACE RIVER IN THE PROVINCE
OF ALBERTA TO PROVIDE FOR THE PRINTING OF BALLOTS IN LOTS
FOR THE 2017 MUNICIPAL ELECTION**

WHEREAS Section 43 (3) of the *Local Authorities Election Act* R.S.A. 2000 Chapter L-21 and amendments empowers an elected authority to prescribe for the printing of ballots in lots and allow for the rotation of names on the ballots;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Peace River deems it desirable to authorize the printing of ballots in lots;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Peace River, in the Province of Alberta, hereby enacts as follows:

TITLE

1. This bylaw may be cited as the "Ballot Bylaw".

PROVIDING FOR THE PRINTING OF BALLOTS IN LOTS

2. Ballots shall be printed in as many lots as there are candidates for the office.
3. In the first lot, the names of the candidates shall appear in alphabetical order.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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 (2) 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.

SEVERABILITY

7. If any portion of this bylaw is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the invalid portion shall be severed.

EFFECTIVE DATE


8. This bylaw shall come into force and have effect on the date of third and final reading.

READ a first time this 14 day of August, 2017.

READ a second time this 14 day of August, 2017.

READ a third and final time this 14 day of August, 2017.

SIGNED by the Mayor and Chief Administrative Officer this 14 day of August, 2017.



Thomas Tarpey
Mayor



Christopher J. Parker
Chief Administrative Officer