

**VILLAGE OF RYLEY**  
**ELECTRONIC MEETINGS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS BYLAW NO.**  
**2025-998**

**OF THE VILLAGE OF RYLEY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA**

The purpose of this Bylaw is to provide Council the opportunity to attend Council Meetings and hold public hearings by electronic means.

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 199(2) of the *Municipal Government Act, R.S.A. 2000, Chapter M26* (hereinafter called the "Act") as amended, a council may by bylaw provide for council meetings or council committee meetings to be conducted by electronic means.

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 199(2.1) of the Act, every council must by bylaw provide for public hearings under part 17 to be conducted by electronic means.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of the Village of Ryley duly assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

1. This bylaw shall be cited as the "Electronic Meeting and Public Hearings Bylaw No. 2025-998".
2. Electronic Meetings and Electronic Public Hearings may be conducted by videoconference or teleconference means. An Electronic Meeting or Public Hearing includes an in-person meeting with one or more attending persons joining by videoconference or telephone.
3. Electronic Meetings and Public Hearings shall confirm councillors' identity by prearranged meeting details and familiarity by council of voice recognition.
4. Electronic Meetings and Public Hearings shall be live-streamed on a public domain such as YouTube so that the public may access a meeting or public hearing. Submissions will have been made by the public prior to a meeting or public hearing via mail, email, or in-person through the Village administration.
5. Electronic Meeting and Public Hearing details shall be posted on a meeting Agenda, which is used to notify the public of such meeting or public hearing and shall be posted on the Village website, and prominently displayed at the Village office. The same method shall make any legislatively required information publicly available before and during the meeting or public hearing.
6. In the case of a delegation, a delegate may join via videoconference or teleconference means.
7. If any provision of the bylaw is deemed invalid, then such provision shall be severed, and the remaining bylaw shall be maintained.



8. Electronic Meeting Bylaw 2023-973 is hereby repealed.
9. This bylaw comes into force and effect upon the date of third reading and being signed.

Read a first time this 18 day of November, A.D. 2025.

Read a second time this 18 day of November, A.D. 2025.

Read a third time this 18 day of November, A.D. 2025.

  
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Mayor  
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Chief Administrative Officer  
Glen Hamilton-Brown  
Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)