Bill No. 117



BY-LAW NUMBER 2015-

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Barrie to require a by-election to fill the vacancy in the office of a member of Council representing Ward Seven.

WHEREAS, Section 258 (1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25* as amended (the "*Municipal Act, 2001*"), establishes that a member of the Assembly as provided in the *Legislative Assembly Act* or of the Senate or House of Commons of Canada is ineligible to hold office as a member of council;

AND WHEREAS, Councillor J. Brassard was elected as a member of the House of Commons on October 19, 2015;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 262 of the *Municipal Act 2001*, Barrie City Council declared the office to be vacant on October 26, 2015;

AND WHEREAS, Section 263 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended (the "Municipal Act, 2001"), establishes that where a vacancy occurs in the office of a member of Council of a municipality, the Council may by by-law require a by-election to be held to fill the vacancy;

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with motion 15-G-218, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie deems it expedient to require that a by-election be held to fill the vacancy in the office of Councillor – Ward Seven;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie enacts as follows:

- 1. **THAT** a by-election be held to fill the vacancy for the office of a member of Council representing Ward Seven in the City of Barrie, to be conducted in accordance with Section 65 of the *Municipal Elections Act*, R.S.O. 1996.
- 2. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and have effect immediately upon the final passing thereof.

READ a first and second time this 9th day of November, 2015.

READ a third time and finally passed this 9th day of November, 2015.

MAYOR – J. R. LEHMAN	
DEPUTY CITY CLERK – WENDY COOKE	

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE