# Town of Riverview COUNCIL REPORT FORM

Presented to: Mayor & Council

**Department: Corporate Services** 

Date: October 8, 2019

Subject: By-law 100-21 Division into Wards



## **BACKGROUND**

With the creation of new streets in Fairways Development, the dividing line between Wards 1 and 2 currently has the residents in this development residing in Ward 1. As there is a wide gap, created by Gunningsville Boulevard, between Wards 1 and 2, it was felt it would make more sense to have the Fairways Development located in Ward 2.

A new by-law was created to incorporate these changes and to update the wording to comply with the new Local Governance Act.

The new by-law and map are attached in this agenda.

#### **CONSIDERATIONS**

### Legal:

Staff contacted the Elections NB office to ensure we were permitted to make the change. Permission was given with a deadline date of November 12<sup>th</sup> to have the amended by-law forwarded to them.

Staff also contacted our solicitors to ensure the correct wording was used in the by-law to delineate between the two wards.

### Stakeholders:

The ward councillors and the residents living in this area will be affected. Once the by-law has been passed, each of the residents will be notified of the change.

### **RECOMMENDATION FROM STAFF**

Staff recommend Council give first reading to the Division into Wards by-law.