CORPORATION OF THE

TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL

BY-LAW NO. 2025-16

"BEING A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH AN ACCESSIBILITY PLAN FOR THE PORT OF JOHNSTOWN."

WHEREAS the Port of Johnstown is governed by the Accessible Canada Act (ACA), which is a federal law enacted by the Canadian government to promote and ensure equal access and inclusion for persons with disabilities;

AND WHEREAS the ACA applies to all federally regulated industries including private companies, organizations and government agencies;

AND WHEREAS the law requires entities with more than nine employees to:

- Prepare and publish an initial Accessibility Plan;
- Establish accessibility feedback process;
- Report annually on the progress towards the plan and address any feedback received, and
- Undertake a review of the Accessibility Plan every three years in its entirety and re-publish;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal deems it expedient to establish an accessibility plan for the Port of Johnstown; and

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. That the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal adopts the "Port of Johnstown Accessibility Plan 2025-2028" attached hereto as Schedule "A" and forming part of this by-law.
- 2. This By-law shall come into force and take effect upon passing.
- 3. This By-law shall be known as the "Port of Johnstown Accessibility Plan Bylaw".

Read a first and second time in open Council this 31st day of March, 2025.

Read a third and final time, passed, signed and sealed in open Council this 31st day of March, 2025.

Mayor

Interim Clerk