

**SUMMER VILLAGE OF JARVIS BAY  
CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF COUNCIL AND COMMITTEES  
BY-LAW 156-18**

*A By-law of the Summer Village of Jarvis Bay to establish a code of conduct for members of Council and Council Committees.*

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 146.1(1) of the *Municipal Government Act*, a Council must, by bylaw, establish a code of conduct governing the conduct of Councillors;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to section 146.1(3) of the *Municipal Government Act*, a Council may, by bylaw, establish a code of conduct governing the conduct of members of Council Committees and other bodies established by the Council who are not Councillors;

NOW WHEREAS, pursuant to section 153 of the *Municipal Government Act*, Councillors have a duty to adhere to the code of conduct established by the Council;

AND WHEREAS, the public is entitled to expect the highest standard of conduct from the members that it elects to Council and the members that are appointed to committees of Council for the Summer Village of Jarvis Bay;

AND WHEREAS, the establishment of a code of conduct for members of Council and Council Committees is consistent with the principles of transparent and accountable government;

AND WHEREAS, a code of conduct ensures that members of Council and Council Committees share a common understanding of acceptable conduct extending beyond the legislative provisions governing the conduct of Councillors and Council Committee Members;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Summer Village of Jarvis Bay, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

**PART 1 – INTERPRETATION**

**Short Title**

1. This Bylaw may be referred to as the “Council and Committee Code of Conduct Bylaw”.

**Definitions**

2. In this Bylaw, words have the meanings set out in the Act, except that:
  - (a) “Act” means the *Municipal Government Act*, R.S.A. 2000. C. M-26, and associated regulations, as amended;
  - (b) “Administration” means the administrative and operational arm of the Municipality, comprised of the various departments and business units and including all employees who operate under the leadership and supervision of the Chief Administrative Officer;
  - (c) “Chief Administrative Officer” means the Chief Administrative Officer of the Municipality, or their delegate;
  - (d) “Council” means the municipal Council of the Summer Village of Jarvis Bay elected pursuant to the provisions of the Act;
  - (e) “Member” means a member of Council or a member of a committee of Council and includes a Councillor, the Mayor and an unelected public appointee to a committee of Council; and
  - (f) “Municipality” means the municipal corporation of the Summer Village of Jarvis Bay.













