



**PLANNING ACT  
NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF  
THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYHAM OFFICIAL PLAN  
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYHAM OFFICIAL PLAN REVIEW**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Bayham passed By-Law No. 2026-019 adopting the Municipality of Bayham Official Plan (2026) on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 2026 under Section 17(23) of the *Planning Act*.

**THE PURPOSE** of the Official Plan Review is to update the Municipality of Bayham Official Plan to ensure that it:

- a) Is consistent with the Provincial Planning Statement (PPS 2024);
- b) Has regard to the matters of provincial interest,
- c) Confirms with the County of Elgin Official Plan, and
- d) Makes additional amendments to the goals and objectives, land use designation policies and mapping as appropriate.

This Official Plan Review is a municipal-wide initiative affecting all lands within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Bayham and replaces the current Municipality of Bayham Official Plan and all amendments thereto.

**THE EFFECT** of the Official Plan is to update the framework for managing growth and land use until 2051 in a manner that is consistent with the PPS 2024, has regard to the matters of provincial interest, and conforms with the County of Elgin Official Plan, replacing the current Municipality of Bayham Official Plan and all amendments thereto.

**THE COMPLETE** By-law 2026-019 and Official Plan is available for inspection on the Bayham Municipal website: [www.bayham.on.ca](http://www.bayham.on.ca) or by contacting the Municipal Office (contact information below).

**WRITTEN AND ORAL SUBMISSIONS**

Public consultation on the review was undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the Planning Act. The municipality received written and oral submissions on the Official Plan review. All submissions were given full consideration.

**ANY PERSON** or public body is entitled to receive notice of the decision of the approval authority if a written request to be notified of the decision is made to the approval authority, namely the **County of Elgin, County Administration Building, 450 Sunset Drive, St. Thomas, Ontario, Attention: Manager of Planning.**

The Official Plan is not exempt from approval under Subsection 17(9) or (10) of the Act.

**DATED** at the Municipality of Bayham this **9<sup>th</sup>** day of **April 2026.**

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