CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF RENFREW
BY-LAW NO. 53-2018

Being a by-law to delegate executive authority for
decisions in the event Council finds itself subject to
Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001 regarding
“Restricted Acts after Nomination Day”.

WHEREAS Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001, restricts acts that Council can take after
the first day during the election for a new council on which it can be determined that where
the new council will have the same number of members as the outgoing council, the new
council will include less than three-quarters of the members of the outgoing council; and

WHEREAS Section 275 (6) of the Municipal Act, 2001, states that nothing in this section
prevents any person or body exercising any authority of a municipality that is delegated to the
person or body prior to nomination day for the election of the new council; and

WHEREAS Section 23 (1) of the Municipal Act, 2001, authorizes a municipality to delegate
its powers and duties under the Act or any other Act to a person or body, subject to certain
restrictions; and

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Renfrew deems it expedient and
necessary to delegate certain authorities for the restricted acts period of the 2018 Municipal
Election.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Renfrew enacts as
follows:

1. THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Renfrew delegates executive
authority to each Senior Manager for any hiring or dismissal decisions affecting
employees within their respective departments in the event Council finds itself subject to
Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001 regarding “Restricted Acts after Nomination
Day”.

2. THAT notwithstanding the specific delegations provided for in Clause 1, the Council of
the Corporation of the Town of Renfrew delegates executive authority to the Town Clerk
and Town Treasurer in all other matters in the event Council finds itself subject to Section
275 of the Municipal Act, 2001 regarding “Restricted Acts after Nomination Day”.

3. THAT should delegated authority be exercised, the sitting Council shall be informed by
way of an information report at the next regularly scheduled or special meeting.

4. THAT this by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the date of the final passing
thereof.

Read a first and second time this 17th day of July, 2018.

Read a third and final time this 17th day of July, 2018.

Don Emery, Mayor

Kim R. Bulmer, Clerk