

**Town of Swan River  
By-Law No. 7/2024**

Being a by-law of the Town of Swan River to establish a rate for Police Protection as a special service for the Town of Swan River for the years 2024 and 2025 both inclusive.

**WHEREAS** Section 312 of *The Municipal Act* (hereinafter known as the "Act") of Manitoba, provides in part as follows:

312 If approved by by-law, a municipality may provide, as a special service to all or part of the municipality, the following:

- (i) fire and police protection services;

**AND WHEREAS** subsection 320(1) of the Act provides as follows:

320(1) Subject to subsections (2) to (6) and subsection 321(4), a council may by By-law

- (a) approve the local improvement or special service as set out in the plan or proposal; and
- (b) authorize the municipality to impose taxes as set out in the plan or proposal.

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Town of Swan River has prepared Special Service Plan No. 1-2020 to establish a rate for the following service

- 1) Police Protection

as a Special Service pursuant to Part 10 of the Act;

**AND WHEREAS** the requirements as prescribed in Sections 318, 319 and 320 of the Act have been complied with;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Town of Swan River enacts as follows:

1. That pursuant to subsection 320(1) of the Act, the Town of Swan River approves Special Service Plan No. 1-2024 attached hereto as Schedule "A".
2. That the Town of Swan River levy an annual special service tax upon all taxable, grant-in-lieu and otherwise exempt properties within the Town.

**DONE AND PASSED** in open council assembled at the Town Office at Swan River in the Province of Manitoba this 4th day of June, 2024.

Read a first time this 26th day of March, 2024.

Read a second time this 4th day of June, 2024.

Read a third time and passed this 4th day of June, 2024.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Administrative Officer

**Town of Swan River**  
**Schedule 'A' to By-Law No. 7/2024**  
**Special Service Plan No. 1-2024**  
Pursuant to Section 315 of *The Municipal Act*

The Swan River Town Council has deemed it necessary to apply a special service levy upon all rateable property including otherwise exempt property within the municipality for such special services described in Section 'A' below.

- A. Proposed Special Service:  
The Town of Swan River provides the following services;  
- Police Protection

**Police protection was offered as special service under By-law No. 5/2022 which expired at the end of 2023. This by-law is proposing to continue offering police protection as a special service.**

- B. Area of Municipality for Special Service:  
The Special Service Tax shall be levied on all taxable, grant-in-lieu and otherwise exempt properties within the boundaries of the Town of Swan River

- C. Estimated Cost of the Services:

**2024 and 2025 Costs:**

2024 Police Protection:	\$860,000.00
2025 Police Protection:	\$860,000.00

2024 and 2025 Costs of Service are to be recovered by a special service levy in each year.

- D. Method and Rate of Calculating the Proposed Special Services Tax

The method to calculate the Special Services Tax will be based on the portioned values of all assessable property within the Town of Swan River

Based on the 2024 assessment (\$860,000 / \$240,028,850) a mill rate of 3.583 mills will be required in 2024 and in 2025.

Calculated on a residential property valued at \$200,000 (portioned \$90,000) a \$322.47 special service tax will be levied for 2024 and 2025.



\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Administrative Officer