

Clerks Note:

Bill 218, Schedule 2, *Supporting Ontario's Recovery and Municipal Elections Act, 2020* had first reading at the House of Commons on October 20, 2020 and is expected to be fast tracked for third reading by November 16th, 2020.

Proposed Amendments include moving the nomination period for the 2020 Municipal Election from July to September and eliminating opportunity for Municipalities to proceed with a Ranked Ballot voting method, if so desired.

Alana Del Greco, Manager of Policy and Government Relations, AMCTO, has sent a collective response from its members to the Honourable Steven Clark, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing and the Honourable Doug Downey, Ministry of the Attorney General outlining concerns which is attached for Council information.