## The Corporation of the City of Burlington

City of Burlington By-law XX-2024

A by-law to amend Building Permit By-law 66-2019 File: 565-05 (BB-01-24)

Whereas pursuant to the *Building Code Act*, S.O. 1992 c. 23 as amended, the Lieutenant Governor in Council has established a Building Code which is in force throughout Ontario; and

Whereas section 7 of the *Building Code Act*, S.O. 1992 c. 23 as amended, empowers Council to pass by-laws respecting construction, demolition, change of use, transfer of permits, inspections, and the setting and refunding of fees; and

Whereas section 6 of the Building Permit By-law 66-2019, requires building permit fees to be indexed to the overall percentage increase for the total Human Resource expenditures as approved in the annual budget in relation to the Building Department and are to be adjusted annually; and

Whereas Council adopted the 2024 annual budget on November 28, 2023, and adopted an overall increase of 24.9 percent to the total Human Resource expenditure costs in relation to the Building Department;

Whereas the 24.9 percent permit fee indexation increase will be phased over a period of two (2) years with a 16.6 percent increase to be adopted by the Building Department in 2024 and the remaining 8.3 percent to be implemented as part of the 2025 budget;

Now therefore the Council of the Corporation of the City of Burlington hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. THAT subsection 6.11.2 of By-law 66-2019 is amended by deleting "March 6" and replacing with "March 4".
- 2. THAT Schedule "A" of By-law 66-2019 is deleted and replaced with Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of this By-law.
- 3. THAT in all other respects By-law 66-2019, as amended, be and is hereby confirmed.
- 4. THIS By-law comes into force on the day of its passing.

Enacted and passed this 13th day of February 2024.	
Mayor Marianne Meed Ward	
Acting City Clerk Samantha Yew	