

**CITY OF LANGFORD
BYLAW NO. 2175**

**A BYLAW TO AMEND BYLAW NO. 1971,
“Council Procedure Bylaw”**

The Council of the City of Langford, in open meeting assembled, hereby enacts as follows:

A. Council Procedure Bylaw No. 1971, 2021 is amended as follows:

1. By amending Section 33 to read as follows: Members of the public are not permitted to bring signs mounted on handles of any kind into Council Chambers. Signs permitted within Council Chambers must not obstruct the view of members of the public. Signs that are not permitted within Council Chambers may be left outside of council Chambers for retrieval at the end of the meeting.
2. By adding a new Section 34 to read as follows and renumber the bylaw accordingly: Signs permitted within Council Chambers must not contain statements or illustrations that may be deemed to be derogatory or defamatory or which may be contrary to the City’s Respectful Workplace Policy.
3. By amending Section 35 to read as follows: Council may permit members of the public to address Council during the public participation portion of the meeting with respect to items appearing on the Agenda other than items which have been subject of a Public Hearing or is a Zoning Bylaw or Official Community Plan (OCP) Amendment for adoption. Each member of the public may speak for a maximum of three (3) minutes unless such time is extended by unanimous agreement of Council. The public participation period shall be limited to thirty (30) minutes unless such time is extended by two-thirds agreement of Council. Council will make best efforts to ensure that all members of the public have at least one opportunity to speak.
4. By amending Section 43 by deleting “street name” and replacing it with “municipality of residence”.

B. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as “Council Procedure Bylaw No. 1971, Amendment No. 3, Bylaw No. 2175, 2024”.

READ A FIRST TIME this day of , 2024.

PUBLIC HEARING held this day of , 2024.

READ A SECOND TIME this day of , 2024.

READ A THIRD TIME this day of , 2024.

ADOPTED this day of , 2024.

PRESIDING COUNCIL MEMBER

CORPORATE OFFICER