



MUNICIPALITY OF FRELIGHSBURG

REVISION OF THE MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND TOWN-PLANNING BYLAWS - MARCH 2021

As previously announced, the Municipality of Frelighsburg is currently carrying out a public consultation for the purpose of revising its development plan and town-planning bylaws.

A referendum approval process is included in this consultation. This procedure gives the citizens of Frelighsburg decision-making authority over zoning and subdivision bylaw projects.

Steps

Throughout the consultation and during the public meeting, your comments and suggestions will be gathered and forwarded to the Council.

After the consultation, Council members will take the time needed to review submitted proposals, revise bylaws if necessary, and adopt them.

These adopted regulations will then be submitted to the MRC for review and approval that will be required within a 120-day delay.

Referendum Approval Process

If a certain number of citizens do not agree with the new zoning or subdivision bylaws adopted by the Council, they may request a referendum on these bylaws.

In this case, and if the conditions for making such a referendum possible are met, the new bylaws will then be submitted to all qualified voters throughout the territory of the Municipality for approval.

When a municipality carries out the five-year review of its urban plan and its zoning and subdivision bylaws, the voted acceptance of the bylaws is not restricted to citizens living in the impacted areas and adjacent areas, but rather extended to the entire population of the municipal territory.

The terms and details of the opening of the voters register and the possible referendum vote will be communicated to you at the appropriate time.

For more information about the referendum approval process, please visit:
mamh.gouv.qc.ca/amenagement-du-territoire/guide-la-prise-de-decision-en-urbanisme/acteurs-et-processus/processus-dapprobation-referendaire