



## TOWN OF WASAGA BEACH

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### **RE: Municipal Accommodation Tax (MAT)**

Section 400.1 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, provides that the council of a local municipality may pass by-laws imposing a tax in respect of the purchase of transient accommodation within the municipality. On November 27, 2025, Council for the Corporation of the Town of Wasaga Beach passed By-law 2025-63, establishing a Municipal Accommodation Tax (MAT) at a rate of 4% within the municipality. The Municipal Accommodation Tax will come into effect on **April 1, 2026**.

All eligible accommodation providers operating within the Town of Wasaga Beach as defined in By-law 2025-63 (Sections 1 and 4), will be required to:

- Collect the 4% Municipal Accommodation Tax from guests; and
- Remit the tax to the Town in accordance with the MAT By-law.

A copy of By-law 2025-63 is enclosed.

If you have questions or require further clarification, please contact:

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Sincerely,

Town of Wasaga Beach

Encl. By-law 2025-63 A By-law to Implement a Municipal Accommodation Tax