



**COUNCIL AGENDA – 09 – 2019 MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
to be held on
TUESDAY, MAY 7th, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.
HURON EAST COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

1. **CALL TO ORDER & MAYOR'S REMARKS**
2. **CONFIRMATION OF THE AGENDA**
3. **DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**
4. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**
 - 4.09.1 Regular Meeting – April 16th, 2019 (encl.) (Pages 4-8)
5. **PUBLIC MEETINGS/HEARINGS AND DELEGATIONS**
 - 5.09.1 7:00 p.m. – Public Hearing – Minor Variance Application (see Agenda enclosed) (Pages 9-18)
 - 5.09.1.1 Matthew McCall, A02/2019 (623 Sports Drive, Brussels)
6. **ACCOUNTS PAYABLE**
7. **REPORTS & RECOMMENDATIONS OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS**
 - 7.09.1 Fire Chief – Fire Dispatch Services Agreement Renewal (encl.) (Page 19)
 - 7.09.2 Public Works Coordinator – Replacement of Bridge Structure M10 – Tender Results (encl.) (Pages 20-21)
8. **CORRESPONDENCE**
 - 8.09.1. Municipality of Grey Highlands – requesting endorsement and support of a resolution petitioning the Provincial government to complete the Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF) review in an expeditious manner. (encl.) (Pages 22-23)
 - 8.09.2. Peterborough County – resolution concerning the ongoing opioid crisis. (encl.) (Pages 24-25)
 - 8.09.3. Township of Tudor and Cashel – resolution concerning Hydro One cost for service delivery and copy of response from Premier Doug Ford. (encl.) (Pages 26-27)
 - 8.09.4. Ethel Ball Committee – advising of a 12 Team Co-Ed Ball Tournament to be held at the Ethel Ball Park on July 5th, 6th and 7th, 2019 with proceeds going towards the Ethel Minor ball program and park maintenance and requesting the municipality declare this a municipal significant event in order to obtain a liquor licence for the event. (encl.) (Page 28)
 - 8.09.5. 2967 Brussels Army Cadets – concerning previous request for temporary road closure of a portion of Flora Street to facilitate their 40th Annual Ceremonial Review, advising the date of the event has been changed from May 28th to June 4th, 2019 due to logistical issues. (encl.) (Page 29)

9. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**
 - 9.09.1 Strategic Planning
 - 9.09.2 Main Street Seaforth – Pedestrian Crossing
10. **MUNICIPAL DRAINS**
11. **PLANNING**
 - 11.09.1 Huron County Planning and Development Department – copy of consent application C26/19 on Lot 28, 29 and 30, Concession 2, McKillop Ward, K & E De Corte Farms Ltd. (encl.) (Pages 30-36)
12. **COUNCIL REPORTS**
 - 12.09.1 Council Member Reports
 - County Council Report
 - Other Boards/Committees or Meetings/Seminars
 - 12.09.2 Requests by Members
 - 12.09.3 Notice of Motions
 - 12.09.4 Announcements
13. **INFORMATION ITEMS**
 - 13.09.1 Brussels Fire Area Protection Committee – copy of meeting minutes – April 4th, 2019. (encl.) (Pages 37-43)
 - 13.09.2 Cheryl Gallant, M.P. Renfrew-Nipissing-Pembroke – providing comments on federal legislation currently before the Senate, Bill C-68, reverses changes to the Fisheries Act. (encl.) (Pages 44-45)
 - 13.09.3 Huron County Food Bank Distribution Centre – invitation to the 6th annual “Better Together” Gala being held on August 1st, 2019 at the Libro Community Hall in Clinton. (encl.) (Page 46)
 - 13.09.4 Association of Municipalities of Ontario – copy of submission including recommendations to the provincial government in designing and implementing the plan – ‘Child Care and Early Years in Ontario: Planning for Successful Outcomes’. (encl.) (Pages 47-50)
 - 13.09.5 City of Brantford – resolution concerning the regulating or prohibiting of the sale and distribution of single-use plastic straws in the municipality. (encl.) (Pages 51-52)
 - 13.09.6 County of Huron – advising of a public information session concerning Site Plan Development/Technical Servicing Guide being held on May 13th, 2019 at the Libro Community Hall in Clinton. (encl.) (Page 53)
 - 13.09.7 2967 Brussels Army Cadet Corps – extending an invitation to their 40th Annual Review being held on June 4th, 2019 at the Royal Canadian Legion in Brussels. (encl.) (Pages 54-55)
 - 13.09.8 Bluewater Recycling Association – copy of Board of Directors Meeting Highlights – April 18th, 2019 (encl.) (Pages 56-67)
 - 13.09.9 Association of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers – advising Elections Ontario has tabled its report on the municipal voters’ list and it includes formal recommendations to the Ontario Legislature to improve the municipal voters’ list and enhance the electoral process in Ontario. (encl.) (Pages 68-72)
 - 13.09.10 Association of Municipalities of Ontario – providing budget update on several provincial in-year funding reductions. (encl.) (Pages 73-76)

- 13.09.11 Association of Municipalities of Ontario – providing analysis of the 2019 Provincial Budget. (encl.) (Pages 77-88)
 - 13.09.12 Huron County Soil and Crop Improvement Association (HCSCIA) – advising of a Demonstration Day – Drainage Innovation being held on Saturday June 15th, 2019 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at 77722 London Road, Clinton (Huronview Farm). (encl.) (Pages 89-90)
 - 13.09.13 Huron County Health Unit – extending an invitation to a Forum on Climate Changes in Huron being held on May 31st from 9:00 am to noon at the Huron County Health Unit at 77722B London Road, Clinton. (encl.) (Page 91)
 - 13.09.14 Conservation Ontario – media release – provincial transfer payments to conservation authorities for flood management reduced by half as a result of the 2019 Ontario Budget. (encl.) (Pages 92-97)
 - 13.09.15 Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing – advising of Ontario’s Housing Supply Action Plan, a broad-based action plan to address the barriers getting in the way of new ownership and rental housing. (encl.) (Pages 98-100)
14. **OTHER BUSINESS**
15. **BY-LAWS**
- 15.09.1 By-Law 28-2019 – Authorize Agreement – City of Stratford – Fire Dispatch Services, repeal By-Law 88-2013 (encl.) (Pages 101-109)
 - 15.09.2 By-Law 30-2019 – Temporary Road Closure – Flora Street, Brussels Ward, Army Cadets Ceremonial Review, repeal By-Law 26-2019 (encl.) (Page 110)
 - 15.09.3 By-Law 31-2019 – Temporarily Suspend Provisions of By-Law 29-1993 of former Township of Tuckersmith – Front Street Two-Way Street (encl.) (Page 111)
 - 15.09.4 By-Law 32-2019 – Zoning Amendment – Part Lot 25, Concession 11, Grey Ward (Miriam Terpstra) (encl.) (Pages 112-115)
16. **CLOSED SESSION AND REPORTING OUT (Section 239 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*)**
17. **CONFIRMATORY BY-LAW**
- 17.09.1 By-Law 33-2019 – Confirm Council Proceedings (encl.) (Page 116)
18. **ADJOURNMENT**

**MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, SEAFORTH, ONTARIO
TUESDAY, APRIL 16th, 2019 – 7:00 P.M.**

Members Present: Mayor Bernie MacLellan, Deputy Mayor Robert Fisher,
Councillors Zoey Onn, Dianne Diehl, Alvin McLellan,
Brenda Dalton, Gloria Wilbee, Joseph Steffler and Raymond Chartrand

Members Absent: Councillors John Lowe and Larry McGrath

Staff Present: CAO/Clerk, Brad Knight
Finance Manager-Treasurer/Deputy Clerk, Paula Michiels
Public Works Coordinator, Barry Mills
Economic Development Officer, Jan Hawley
Executive Assistant, Janice Andrews

Others Present: Shawn Loughlin, Editor, The Citizen

Don Sholdice and Jill Sholdice attended the meeting to hear the discussion on zoning by-law amendment 4-2019 on Part Lot 415, Part Park Lot 1 and Part Park Lot H, Plan 192, Brussels Ward.

Courtney Dewar, Ben Dewar and C. Dewar attended the meeting to hear the discussion on consent application C19/19 on Part Lot 10, Concession 1, McKillop Ward.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bernie MacLellan called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

CONFIRMATION OF THE AGENDA

Moved by Raymond Chartrand and seconded by Joseph Steffler: Adopt Agenda
That the Agenda for the Regular Meeting of Council dated April 16th, 2019
be adopted as circulated. Carried.

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

Councillor Joseph Steffler declared a conflict of interest regarding the Co-ed Knock Off The Rust Tournament (agenda item 8-08-5) as the proceeds of the tournament are donated to the Tanner Steffler Foundation.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Moved by Joseph Steffler and seconded by Raymond Chartrand: Meeting Minutes
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East approve the following Council
Meeting Minutes as printed and circulated:
a) Regular Meeting – April 2nd, 2019 Carried.

PUBLIC MEETINGS/HEARINGS AND DELEGATIONS

7:00 p.m. Engineers' Report – 'C' Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain 2019

Bill Dietrich, P. Eng., of Dietrich Engineering Limited, attended before Council to review the 'C' Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain 2019 Report, serving Part of Lot 12, Concession 4 and Parts of Lots 11 to 13, Concession 5, McKillop Ward. Mr. Dietrich gave a summary of his report and answered questions of Council. The total estimated cost of the 'C' Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain is \$66,400.

Moved by Dianne Diehl and seconded by Gloria Wilbee: Accept
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East accept the engineers' report on the Engineers Report
'C' Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain 2019 and designate it as By-Law 25-2019 Krauskopf Drain
and the Court of Revision be set for Tuesday, May 21st, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. Carried.

7:08 p.m. Engineers' Report – Dolmage Municipal Drain 2019

Bill Dietrich, P. Eng., of Dietrich Engineering Limited, attended before Council to review the Dolmage Municipal Drain 2019 Report, servicing Parts of Lots 27 to 30, Concession 6 and Parts of Lots 28 to 30, Concession 7, McKillop Ward. Mr. Dietrich gave a summary of his report and answered questions of Council. The total estimated cost of the Dolmage Municipal Drain is \$207,000.

Moved by Dianne Diehl and seconded by Raymond Chartrand: Accept
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East accept the engineers' report on the Engineers Report
Dolmage Municipal Drain 2019 and designate it as By-Law 24-2019 and the Court Dolmage Drain
of Revision be set for Tuesday, May 21st, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. Carried.

MAYORS REMARKS

Mayor MacLellan advised he attended a meeting of the AMO Board of Directors today and noted the Province is underway or about to start conducting consultations/reviews on 24 different areas of concern to AMO and municipal government, including the following:

- streamlining by integrating Ontario's 59 emergency health services operators and 22 provincial dispatch communication centres
- creation of 15,000 new long-term care beds over next 5 years, upgrading an additional 15,000 older long-term care beds, 1,157 new long-term care beds allocated to 16 projects across the province
- establish 10 regional public health entities and 10 new regional boards of health with one common governance model
- regionalization of the public health laboratory system and a streamlining of Public Health Ontario

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Moved by Brenda Dalton and seconded by Zoey Onn: Accounts
That the accounts payable in the amount of \$1,232,608.21 be approved for Payable
payment. Carried.

REPORTS & RECOMMENDATIONS OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

Chief Building Official Report

The Chief Building Official Report for March 31st, 2019 was received by Council.

Moved by Zoey Onn and seconded by Alvin McLellan: Receive
Huron East Council receive the following Reports of Municipal Officers as presented: Municipal Reports
1) Chief Building Official
Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Moved by Joseph Steffler and seconded by Dianne Diehl: Note & File
That Council note and file the correspondence from the Huron Hurricanes Hurricanes
requesting financial support for 2019. Carried. Financial
Request

Moved by Raymond Chartrand and seconded by Alvin McLellan: Proclaim
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East proclaim May 19th to 25th, 2019 National Public
as National Public Works Week to recognize the substantial contribution of National Public
public works professionals to protecting our national health, safety and quality Works Week
of life. Carried.

Moved by Brenda Dalton and seconded by Dianne Diehl: Air Cadets
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East have no objection to 532 Maitland Tag Day
Royal Canadian Air Cadet squadron conducting Tag Day Fundraising Activities Fundraiser
in Huron East on May 10th to 12th, 2019. Carried.

Moved by Gloria Wilbee and seconded by Raymond Chartrand: Seaforth Slo-Pitch
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East have no objection to the Co-ed Tourney
Knock Off The Rust Tournament at the Seaforth Lions Park, Seaforth Optimist Club Municipally
and Winthrop Park to be held May 3rd, 4th and 5th, 2019 and declare it a municipally Significant
significant event. Carried. Event

Moved by Zoey Onn and seconded by Joseph Steffler: Proclaim
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East proclaim May 6th to 12th, 2019 as Nursing Week
Nursing Week. Carried.

PUBLIC MEETINGS/HEARINGS AND DELEGATIONS**7:30 p.m. Public Meeting – 2019 Budget**

Finance Manager-Treasurer/Deputy Clerk Paula Michiels provided a powerpoint presentation giving an overview of the 2019 budget process. The 3rd and final draft of the 2019 budget recommended a 7% increase to the municipal levy and she noted that the 2019 budget projects total expenditures of \$16,599,987 including \$7,299,010 in capital expenditures. It was noted the draft County levy increase is 6.72%. The Education levy has been finalized by the Province at a 4.63% increase, resulting in an overall taxation increase in Huron East of 6.09%. She further advised that although there had been a tax levy increase of \$892,598, but due to increases in assessment values, tax rates for all wards would decrease. She further noted that the shifts in assessment values impacted the tax levies in each ward differently ranging from a decrease in the Brussels ward of 2.13% to an increase in the McKillop ward of 11.01%.

Moved by Dianne Diehl and seconded by Joseph Steffler: Adopt
2019 Budget
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East adopt the 2019 Budget as presented with projected operation and capital expenditures in the amount of \$16,599,987 and staff be directed to prepare a by-law to establish the 2019 tax rates, based on a 7% increase in the municipal levy. Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS**MUNICIPAL DRAINS****PLANNING**

Moved by Dianne Diehl and seconded by Alvin McLellan: No Objection
Consent
C15/19
Sheppard
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East acknowledge the report of Huron County Senior Planner Denise Van Amersfoort dated April 10th, 2019 and has no objection to the severance application C15/19 of Robbie and Laura Sheppard on Part Lot 1 and Lots 2, 3, 4, 29 and 30, Plan 305, Grey Ward. Carried.

Moved by Gloria Wilbee and seconded by Brenda Dalton: No Objection
Consent
C19/19
DeKroon Farms
That Council of the Municipality of Huron East acknowledge the report of Huron County Senior Planner Denise Van Amersfoort dated April 10th, 2019 and has no objection to the severance application C19/19 of John Dekroon Farms Ltd. on part Lot 10, Concession 1, McKillop Ward, provided the following condition is met:

- i) that \$500 be paid to the Municipality as cash-in-lieu of parkland
- Carried.

**Zoning By-Law Amendment 4-2019 – Donald and Pamela Sholdice
Part Lot 415, Part Park Lot 1 and Part Park Lot H, Plan 192, Brussels Ward**

Huron County Senior Planner Denise Van Amersfoort reviewed her report to Council dated April 10th, 2019 concerning the zoning by-law amendment application of Donald and Pamela Sholdice on Part Lot 415, Part Park Lot 1 and Part Park Lot H, Plan 192, Brussels Ward. Ms. Van Amersfoort advised the proposed zoning by-law amendment had been considered at a public meeting on January 22nd, 2019 and was deferred until a decision on related severance application C85/18 is made. The County of Huron approved severance application C85/18 on March 6th, 2019 and the appeal period has now expired. Council were advised that at a recent site inspection, the location of the proposed accessory structure was discussed and it was agreed that a reduction from 8 metres to 7 metres to any property line would be sufficient. This is a minor change and does not require re-circulation to the neighbours.

The Huron County Planning and Development Department recommended that, in light of the decision on C85/18, that the zoning by-law amendment application be approved and that a motion under Section 34 (17) of the Planning Act be passed to note that there were minor changes made since the time of the public meeting which do not require recirculation.

COUNCIL REPORTS**County Council – Drainage Show**

Deputy Mayor Robert Fisher advised of a Drainage Innovative Live Demo being held on June 15th at the Huronview farm property to demonstrate installation of an innovative field drainage system.

BMGCC – Proposed Renovation/Expansion

Councillor Alvin McLellan advised Campaign Coaches are in the process of conducting a feasibility study and the first round of interviews have been completed. It was also noted an online recreation survey has been launched for the Brussels area to obtain feedback from the community.

INFORMATION ITEMS

Moved by Raymond Chartrand and seconded by Brenda Dalton: Board/Committee Meeting Minutes
That Huron East Council receive the following Board and Committee meeting minutes as submitted:

- (1) Huron East Health Centre – Management Committee – March 28th, 2019
- (2) Huron East/Seaforth Community Development Trust – March 7th, 2019
- (3) Vanastra Recreation Centre/Day Care Committee – April 10th, 2019

Carried.

OTHER BUSINESSBY-LAWS

Moved by Alvin McLellan and seconded by Zoey Onn: Introduce By-Laws
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that leave be given to introduce By-Law 4, 24, 25, 26 and 27 for 2019

By-Law 4-2019 – Zoning Amendment – Part Lot 415, Part Park Lot 1 and Part Park Lot H, Plan 192, Brussels Ward, Donald and Pamela Sholdice
By-Law 24-2019 – ‘C’ Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain 2019 (1st and 2nd readings)
By-Law 25-2019 – Dolmage Municipal Drain 2019 (1st and 2nd readings)
By-Law 26-2019 – Temporary Road closures – Flora Street, Brussels Ward, Army Cadets Ceremonial Review and Sports Drive, Brussels ward, Minor Ball Day
By-Law 27-2019 – Confirm Council Proceedings

Carried.

Moved by Raymond Chartrand and seconded by Gloria Wilbee: No Further Notice
WHEREAS the Council of the Municipality of Huron East has held a public meeting pursuant to Section 34 (12) of the Planning Act, 1990, with respect to a proposed zoning by-law 4-2019; By-Law 4-2019 Sholdice
AND WHEREAS certain changes have been made to the proposed by-law after holding of the public meeting; Rezoning
NOW THEREFORE the Council OF THE Municipality of Huron East RESOLVES that, pursuant to Section 34 (17) of the Planning Act, 1990, the changes were of such a nature that no further notice is to be given in respect to the proposed by-law.
Carried.

Moved by Joseph Steffler and second by Raymond Chartrand: Rezoning
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that By-Law 4 for 2019, a by-law to amend the zoning on Part Lot 415, Part Park Lot 1 and Part Park Lot H, Plan 192, Brussels Ward, be given first, second, third and final readings and signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and the Seal of the Corporation be affixed thereto. Carried. Donald and Pamela Sholdice

Moved by Gloria Wilbee and seconded by Brenda Dalton: Dolmage Drain
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that By-Law 24 for 2019, a by-law to authorize borrowing on the credit of the Municipality for the completion of the Dolmage Municipal Drain 2019, be given first and second readings. Carried. 1st & 2nd Readings

Moved by Dianne Diehl and seconded by Alvin McLellan: Krauskopf Drain
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that By-Law 25 for 2019, a by-law to authorize borrowing on the credit of the Municipality for the completion of the ‘C’ Drain of the Krauskopf Municipal Drain 2019, be given first and second readings. Carried. 1st & 2nd Readings

Moved by Zoey Onn and seconded by Dianne Diehl: Temporary Road Closures
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that By-Law 26 for 2019, a by-law to temporarily close a portion of Flora Street on May 28th, 2019 to accommodate the Brussels Army Cadets and a portion of Sports Drive on June 1st, 2019 to accommodate the Minor Ball Day, be given first, second, third and final readings and signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and the Seal of the Corporation be affixed thereto. Carried. Brussels Ward

CLOSED SESSION AND REPORTING OUT

CONFIRMATORY BY-LAW

Moved by Alvin McLellan and seconded by Brenda Dalton:
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that By-Law 27 for 2019, a by-law to confirm the proceedings of Council, be given first, second, third and final readings and signed by the Deputy Mayor and Clerk, and the Seal of the Corporation be affixed thereto.
Carried.

Confirm
Proceedings

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Brenda Dalton and seconded by Alvin McLellan:
The time now being 8:43 p.m.
That the meeting do adjourn until May 7th, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.
Carried.

Adjournment

Bernie MacLellan, Mayor



Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk



MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
PUBLIC HEARING
TUESDAY, MAY 7th, 2019 – 7:00 P.M.
HURON EAST COUNCIL CHAMBERS

The purpose of the public hearing of the Committee of Adjustment is to consider a proposed minor variance to the Huron East Zoning By-Law 52-2006.

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order – Adopt Agenda for Public Hearing**
2. **Disclosure of Elected Officials – Pecuniary Interest**
3. **Minor Variance Application**
 - 3 a) Committee of Adjustment application A02-2019 by Matthew McCall which affects Lots 172, 173 and Part Lots 174, 160 and 161, Plan 192, Brussels Ward, known as 623 Sports Drive. (encl.)

The proposed minor variance will provide relief from By-Law 52-2006 (Huron East Zoning By-Law) as follows:

1. Section 3.34.2 – Reduce the top of bank of a natural watercourse setback from 30 metres to 15 metres for a new attached garage. The existing residence is considered legal non-complying and is located approximately 21.5 metres from the Maitland River top of bank. The requested variance would permit the proposed attached garage at a setback of 15 metres to the Maitland River top of bank of a natural watercourse, a reduction of 15 metres.

Comments Received:

- Report from Senior Planner Denise Van Amersfoort dated May 2nd, 2019 (encl.)
- Maitland Valley Conservation Authority dated May 2nd, 2019 (encl.)

4. **Close Public Hearing**



THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PURSUANT TO SECTION 45 OF *THE PLANNING ACT*, R.S.O. 1990

MINOR VARIANCE APPLICATION FILE# A02-2019

LOCATION: 623 Sports Drive
Plan 192, Lots 172, 173 and Part Lots 174, 160 and 161, Brussels
Ward, Municipality of Huron East

OWNER: Matthew McCall

ROLL NUMBER: 4040 440 010 01100

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipality of Huron East Committee of Adjustment will hold a public meeting on: **Tuesday, May 7th, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Huron East Council Chambers at 72 Main Street South in Seaforth, to consider a proposed minor variance under Section 45 of the Planning Act (RSO 1990), as described below and shown on the attached map.

BE ADVISED the Municipality of Huron East considered this application complete on April 18, 2019.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT:

The subject property is zoned Residential Low Density (R1) on Key Map 54 of the Huron East Zoning By-law.

The purpose of this application is to permit a reduced top of bank setback to the Maitland River for a new attached garage.

PROPOSED MINOR VARIANCE:

One minor variance is being requested for this development:

- To reduce the top of bank setback from 30 metres to 15 metres for a new attached garage.

EXISTING ZONING BY-LAW PROVISIONS:

Section 3.34.2 of the Huron East Zoning By-law states that no building or structure shall be built closer than 30 metres from the top of bank of a natural watercourse. Section 3.23 of the Huron East Zoning By-law states that where a structure was established prior to the passing of the Zoning By-law, and is permitted in the zone, but does not meet the zone setbacks, the building may be deemed to comply with the By-law as long as the non-complying setback is not further reduced. The existing house is considered legal non-complying and is located approximately 21.5 metres from the top of bank. A minor variance is required as the proposed attached garage will be located closer than the existing dwelling.

PUBLIC HEARING – you are entitled to attend this public hearing in person to express your views about this application or you may be represented by counsel for that purpose. If you are aware of any person interested in or affected by this application who has not received a copy of this notice, you are requested to inform that person of this hearing. If you wish to make written comments on this application, they may be forwarded to the secretary-treasurer of the committee at the address shown below.

Please note that comments and opinions submitted on these matters, including the originator's name and address, become part of the public record and may be viewed by the general public and may be published in a Planning Report, Council Agenda or Council Minutes.

FAILURE TO ATTEND – If you do not attend at the hearing, it may proceed in your absence and, except as otherwise provided in the Planning Act, you will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceedings.

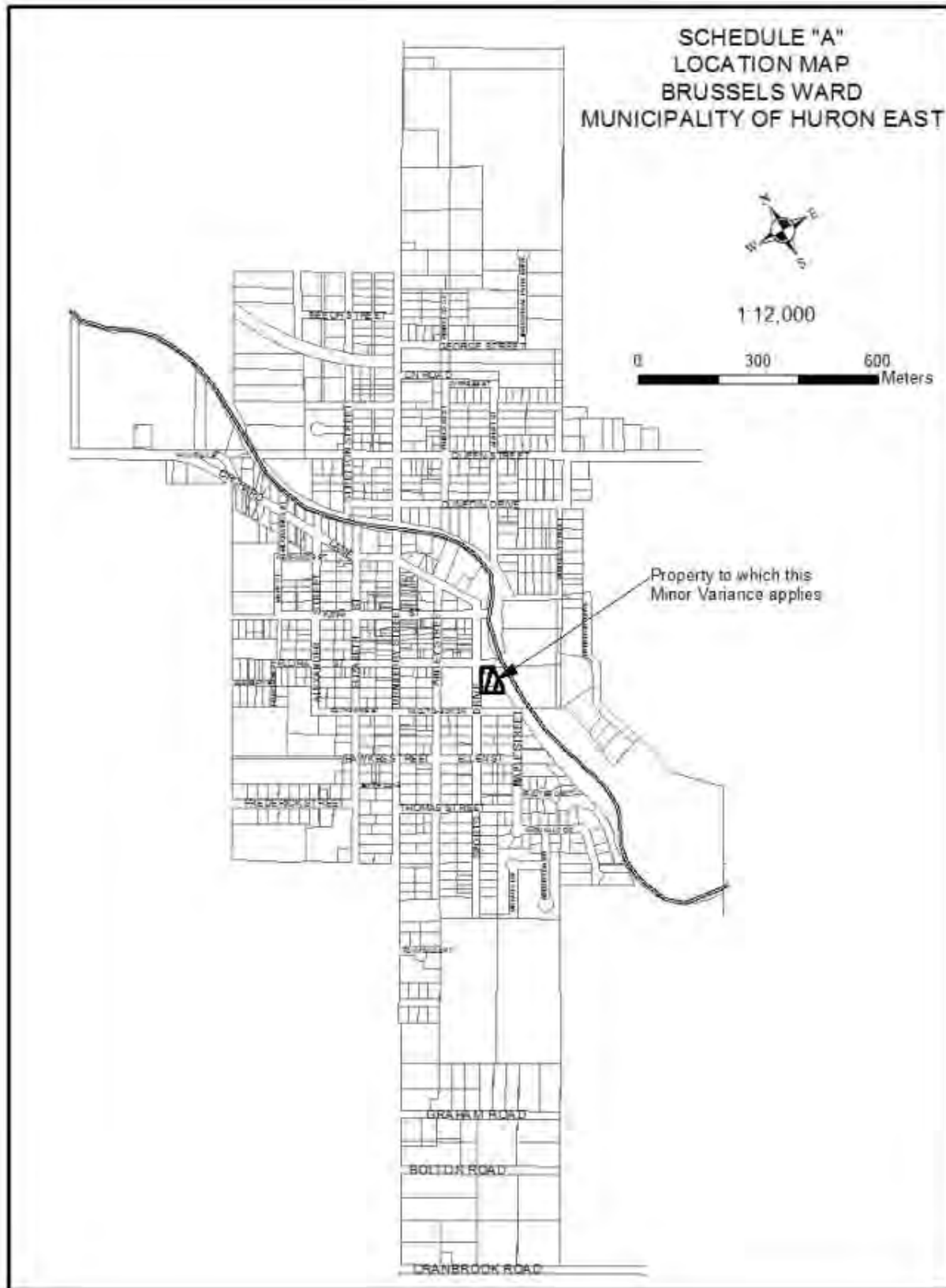
NOTICE OF DECISION – If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Committee of Adjustment in respect of this application, you must submit a written request to the Committee of Adjustment. This will also entitle you to be advised of a possible Local Planning Appeal Tribunal hearing in the event the decision on this application is appealed.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION relating to the proposed minor variance is available for inspection between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the Clerk's office.

DATED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST THIS 25th DAY of APRIL 2019.

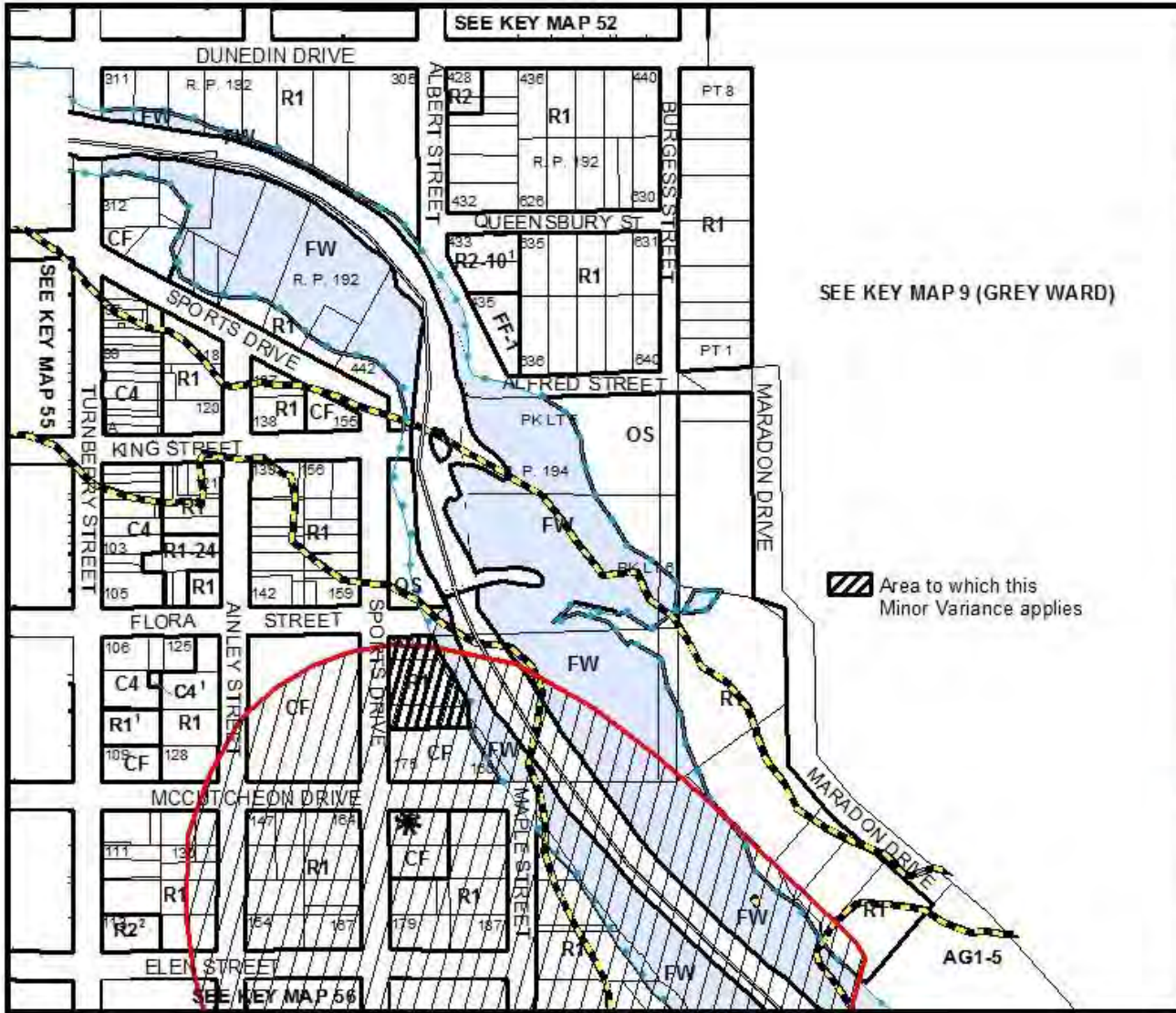
Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk, Municipality of Huron East
72 Main Street South, PO Box 610, Seaforth, Ontario N0K 1W0
Phone: 519-527-0160 or Toll Free 1-888-868-7513

Location of the Minor Variance Application



MINOR VARIANCE FILE MV02-2019
ROLL NUMBER: 4040 440 010 01100

OWNER: Matthew McCall



1:4,000

SCHEDULE 'A' KEY MAP 54 HURON EAST BRUSSELS WARD

MORRIS-TURNBERRY

Grey Ward 9

52, 54, 55, 56

W, E, N, S

	Zone		Rivers
	Roads		Flood Fringe
	Floodway		
	Floodway Zone		
	Municipal Well		
	2 Year Time of Travel (See section 3.50)		

Amendments

1 Amended by By-law 85-2009 (Adding the Identification of Municipal Wells and 2 year time of travel)

2 Amended by By-law 97-2017

REVISION
DATE April 24, 2019



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To: Municipality of Huron East, Mayor and Members of Council
From: Denise Van Amersfoort, Senior Planner & Laura Simpson, Planner
Date: 2 May 2019

Re: **Application for Minor Variance: MV02/2019**
Plan 192, Lots 172, 173, and Part Lots 174, 160 and 161, Brussels Ward, Municipality of Huron East (623 Sports Drive)
Applicant/Owner: Matthew McCall

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that minor variance application MV02/19 be **approved** with the following condition:

1. The variance approval is valid for a period of 18 months from the date of the Committee's decision.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this application is to permit a reduced top of bank setback to the Maitland River for a new attached garage; the reduction is from the required 30 metres to 15 metres. The existing residence has a legal non-complying setback of 21.5 metres from the Maitland River. The requested variance would permit the attached garage at a setback of 15 metres from the Maitland River top of bank, a reduction of 6.5 metres in the current non-complying setback.

REVIEW

The subject property contains a residence and small shed. It abuts the Maitland River and is surrounded by community facility recreational uses. It is zoned R1 (Residential Low Density) and FW (Floodway) in the Huron East Zoning By-law and is designated Residential and Urban Natural Environment in the Huron East Official Plan. The property is 2848 m² (0.7 acres) in size.

Figure 1: Location of Proposed Minor Variance (excerpt from Zone Map 54)



Figure 2: Aerial photography of subject property outlined in red



Figure 3: Submitted site sketch of house and proposed garage with setbacks shown

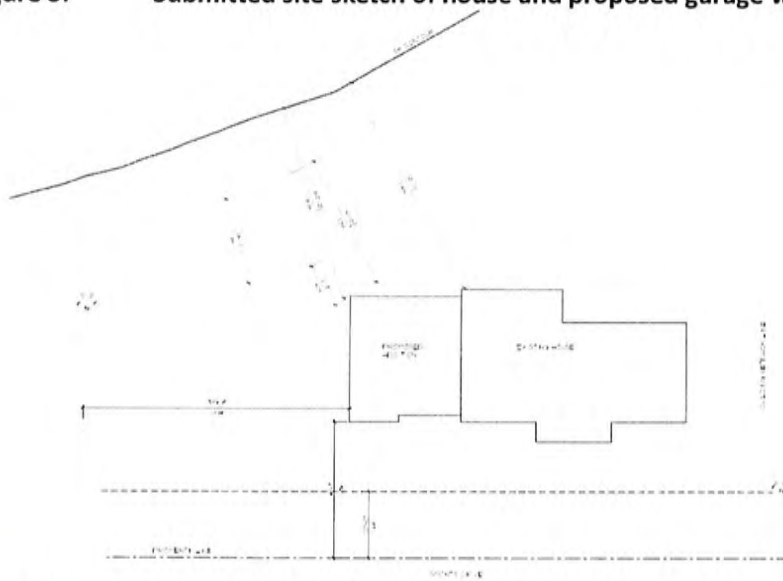


Figure 4: Image of existing house and setback to Maitland River



Minor variances are required to satisfy four tests under the Planning Act before they can be approved. To be approved the requested variance must be:

- 1) minor,
- 2) desirable for the appropriate development or use of the land, building or structure,
- 3) maintain the general intent and purpose of the zoning by-law, and
- 4) maintain the general intent of the official plan.

The existing house has an approximate 21.5 metre setback from the top bank of the Maitland River, and the proposed attached garage is to be constructed at a setback of 15 metres, a reduction in the current non-complying setback of the residence by 6.5 metres. Section 3.34.2 of the Huron East Zoning By-law states that no building or structure shall be built closer than 30 metres from the top of bank of a natural watercourse.

In assessing this application for appropriateness and being minor, the comments of Maitland Valley Conservation Authority are significant in that the purpose of this zoning provision is to protect the hazard, in this case the bank of the Maitland River, and investments made in proximity. Comments received from Maitland Valley Conservation Authority indicate that they consider the bank of the Maitland River at this location to be stable and not subject to an active erosion hazard due to existing factors, including the gentle slope to the riverbank, the riprap along the bank, and the nature of the adjacent watercourse as a mill pond. The new attached garage is proposed to be located in an area that does not create site safety concerns for natural hazards or access.

Section 6.5 of the Huron East Official Plan contains polices that guide development to be cohesive with the scale and character of established neighbourhoods and be compatible with existing uses, while ensuring development is directed outside areas of natural hazards to minimize risks to property and life. The proposed garage is a suitable addition to a single detached dwelling and is an appropriate scale for the residence and property. It is to be located outside of the identified natural hazard area of the floodplain on the subject property and is proposed to be situated in area that maintains the plethora of mature, healthy trees on the majority of the property.

OTHERS CONSULTED

No additional comments other than those received from Maitland Valley Conservation Authority were provided during the circulation of this application. Any additional comments received following the writing of this report will be verbally presented to Council. I will be in attendance on May 7th, 2019 to answer any questions from Council and the public.

SUMMARY

It is my opinion that the variance requested is minor and appropriate and maintains the intent of both the Official Plan and Zoning By-law. It is recommended that the variance be approved with the included condition.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Laura Simpson, Planner, RPP

Original signed by

Denise Van Amersfoort, RPP

Senior Planner

Site inspection: April 8, 2019



MEMORANDUM

TO: Brad Knight, Clerk / CAO, Municipality of Huron East, via email
CC: Denise Van Amersfoort, Planner, County of Huron, via email
Matthew McCall, Applicant, via email
FROM: Patrick Huber-Kidby, Environmental Planner/Regulations Officer, MVCA
DATE: May 02, 2019
SUBJECT: Application for Minor Variance: MV02-2019
Lot 172, 173, Part Lots 174, 160 & 161, Plan 192, Brussels Ward,
Municipality of Huron East, County of Huron; known as 623 Sports Drive

The Maitland Valley Conservation Authority (MVCA) has reviewed the above-noted application with respect to natural hazards in accordance with our Memorandum of Understanding with the County of Huron; and in accordance with our delegated responsibility for representing the "Provincial Interest" for natural hazards; and relative to MVCA policies made under *Ontario Regulation 164/06 (Development, Interference with Wetlands and Alterations to Shorelines and Watercourses Regulation)*. Based on our review, we offer the following comments.

It is our understanding the purpose of this application is for relief from existing zoning by-law setbacks through minor variance, to accommodate an attached garage on the subject property.

Natural Hazards:

The subject property is affected by the floodplain of the Middle Maitland River.

MVCA Regulated Lands:

Lands located within floodplain hazards, plus 15 metres, are MVCA regulated areas, pursuant to *Ontario Regulation 164/06* made under the *Conservation Authorities Act (R.S.O., 1990, chapter C.27)*. Subject to the Regulation, development (construction, reconstruction, filling, grading) interference, and alteration within Authority regulated lands requires permission from MVCA, prior to undertaking the work.

A site plan was submitted to MVCA and details of the proposal were reviewed; the attached garage infringes on the 15 meter flood hazard buffer only, and is not located within the currently mapped floodplain. MVCA staff advised, based on the submitted information, a formal permit application to the Conservation Authority would not be required for the proposed addition.

Based on the conjunction of unique local features in the vicinity of the subject property, and the existing contours of the bank being in a stable configuration, MVCA would consider there to be no erosion hazard currently affecting the location of the proposed garage.

Groundwater Resources:

Please be advised that the subject property is located within Zone 'A' and 'B' of a Wellhead Protection Area. This means that activities on the subject property may be subject to policies contained within the Maitland Valley Source Protection Plan. For more information please contact Donna Clarkson, Risk Management Official/ Source Protection Specialist at 519-335-3557 ext. 224 or email to dclarkson@abca.on.ca.

Report & Recommendations:

Based on the comments above MVCA has no objection to application MV02-2019 and considers the reduction in the setback to be reasonable. The application is in general conformance with Section 3.1, Natural Hazard Policies of the PPS, 2014.

MVCA Fees:

MVCA has not received our \$190.00 fee for review of this application. We will invoice the applicant directly.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment at this time. Feel free to contact this office if you have any questions.

**HURON EAST
FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES**

TO: Mayor and Members of Council
FROM: Marty Bedard, Fire Chief
DATE: April 17, 2019
SUBJECT: Fire Dispatch Services Agreement Renewal

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Council of the Municipality of Huron East renew the Dispatching Services Agreement with the City of Stratford Fire Department for the term of 5 years.

BACKGROUND:

The 3 Huron East Fire Stations use to be dispatched by the Seaforth Hospital. In 2009 we switched to Stratford Fire Department as the Seaforth Hospital did not wish to do anymore. That was the time they closed the emergency room through the night and therefore could not continue to operate the dispatch as we require it 24/7.

In 2008 we paid Seaforth Hospital \$4,440 per station for this service. When we switched to Stratford in June of 2009, Stratford charged us the same amount. In 2012 Stratford increased this amount to \$4940 per station plus CPI increase each year and another increased was added in 2014 to \$5517 per station plus CPI and HST. In 2018 we paid \$5,870.69 per station. The new agreement states we pay the pervious year's rate plus CPI increase plus HST each year for the 5 year term.

We also pay a share of the 2 phone lines and an annual radio license fee required for dispatch. These items are paid by Huron County Mutual Aid Association and all Fire Stations that are dispatched by Stratford share this cost which is \$270.00 per year per station.

COMMENTS:

I am recommending Huron East renew this agreement with Stratford Fire Department as we have been very happy with the service they have provided to us since 2009.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

This expense has been included in the 2019 budget.

SIGNATURES:



Marty Bedard, Fire Chief



Brad Knight, CAO-Clerk

HURON EAST

Public Works Department

TO: Mayor and Members of Council
FROM: Barry Mills, C. Tech, Public Works Manager
Date: May 1st, 2019
Subject: Replacement of Bridge Structure M 10
 Hensall Road between Sawmill Road and Hullett-McKillop Road

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Council of the Municipality of Huron East accept the tender of Theo Vandenberg Construction Inc. in the amount of \$753,333.71 (including taxes) for the replacement of Bridge Structure M 10 Hensall Road between Sawmill Road and Hullett-McKillop Road

BACKGROUND:

Council authorized the tendering for the Replacement of Bridge Structure M10 on Hensall Road between Sawmill Road and Hullett-McKillop Road. The existing structure is a single span ridged frame bridge with a 12.3 m clear span with a distance inside the faces of the railing of 5.5 m making it a single lane bridge. The deck, wing walls, and soffit are in poor condition and are recommended for replacement in the bridge inspection report. The engineered budgeted amount for this work is \$770,000.

Tender prices were received as per the specifications of B.M. Ross and Associates Limited prior to 12:00 p.m. on April 30th, 2019. Three (3) tenders were received and opened in the presence of Huron East Deputy Mayor Bob Fisher, Councillor Joe Steffler, Treasurer Paula Michiels, Ryan Munn (BM Ross) and Public Works Manager Barry Mills. The tenders were as follows:

Results -	<u>HST Included</u>	<u>Rank</u>
• VanDriel Excavating	\$754,281.02	2
• Theo Vandenberg Construction Inc.	\$753,333.71	1
• Premier Concrete Inc.	\$899,181.99	3

COMMENTS:

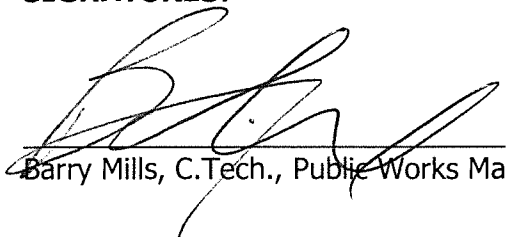
Ryan Munn of BM Ross has reviewed the tenders and is recommending the low tender of Theo Vandenberg Construction Inc. (report attached).

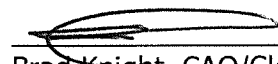
OTHERS CONSULTED:

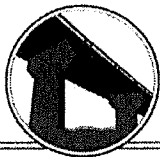
- Treasurer, Finance Manager Paula Michiels
- Ryan Munn of BM Ross has reviewed the tenders

BUDGET IMPACTS: Included in the 2019 Budget

SIGNATURES:


 Barry Mills, C.Tech., Public Works Manager


 Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk-Administrator



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File No. BR1304

April 30, 2019

Barry Mills, Public Works Manager
Municipality of Huron East
72 Main Street South, Box 610
Scaforth, ON N0K 1W0

RE: Replacement of Structure M10 on Hensall Road

Tenders were received on Tuesday, April 30, 2019 for the above noted project, as summarized by the following table:

Tenderer	Tendered Amount Inc. HST	Tendered Amount Excl. HST
Theo Vandenberg Construction Inc.	\$753,333.71	\$666,667.00
VanDriel Excavating Inc.	\$754,281.02	\$667,505.33
Premier Concrete Inc.	\$899,181.99	\$795,736.27

All of the tenders were checked and found to be mathematically correct. All tenders were properly signed and each was submitted with the specified tender deposit and Agreement to Bond.

A definitive start date has not been established.

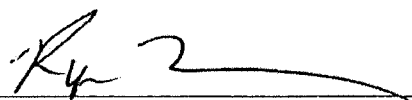
Since the lowest tender is acceptable contractually, and the tenderer is experienced in bridge replacement, further analysis is limited to the lowest bid. We therefore recommend that this contract be awarded to Theo Vandenberg Construction Inc. for the total tender sum of \$753,333.71.

Tender deposits were received in the form of bid bonds, as such there are no cheques to return.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Yours very truly,

B. M. ROSS AND ASSOCIATES LIMITED

Per 
Ryan Munn, P. Eng.

RJM:es

Brad Knight

Subject: FW: Municipality of Grey Highlands Council Resolution - OMPF

From: Jerri-Lynn Levitt [mailto:deputyclerk@greyhighlands.ca]

Sent: Monday, April 08, 2019 3:49 PM

Subject: Municipality of Grey Highlands Council Resolution - OMPF

Good afternoon,

The Council of the Municipality of Grey Highlands passed the following resolution at it's April 3rd Council meeting in regards to the Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF):

Resolution Number: 2019-200

Moved By Deputy Mayor Desai Seconded by: Councillor Nielsen

Whereas the Provincial government announced it was conducting a review of the Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF), which provides annual funding allotments to municipal governments to help offset operating and capital costs; and

Whereas Municipalities were further advised that the overall spending envelope for the program would decrease having a significant impact on future budgets and how funds are raised by Municipalities as funding will be reduced by an unspecified amount; and

Whereas if allocations to municipalities are reduced, Councils will need to compensate with property tax increases or local service reductions; and

Whereas, the 2018 Grey Highlands allocation was \$1,068,000 which is equivalent to 10.08% of the Township's municipal property tax revenue; and

Whereas the Municipality of Grey Highlands prides itself on efficient and value for money practices every day;

Now therefore be it resolved that although an interim payment has been received, Council of the Municipality of Grey Highlands expresses grave concern with the potential reduction and/or loss of the OMPF allotment in future years;

And further, Council petitions the Provincial government to complete the OMPF review in an expeditious manner as future financial consideration ensures municipal sustainability;

And furthermore, that this resolution be circulated to the Premier, Ministers of Finance, Municipal Affairs and Housing, our local MPP and all Ontario municipalities for their endorsement and support.

Your endorsement and support of this resolution would be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jerri-Lynn Levitt
Deputy Clerk



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April 5, 2019

Sent Via Email

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier
doug.ford@pc.ola.org

The Honourable Christine Elliott
Minister of Health and Long Term Care
christine.elliott@ontario.ca

Dear Premier Ford and Minister Elliott:

Re: Ongoing Opioid Crisis in Peterborough

At its Regular Peterborough County Council meeting held on April 3, 2019, County Council passed the following resolution:

"Whereas Peterborough County/City ranks fourth among municipalities in Ontario (based on rate per 100,000) for opioid overdose emergency department visit rates, and

Whereas there were 19 suspected opioid related deaths in Peterborough City in 2017 (OPP did not track stats until October 2018), and

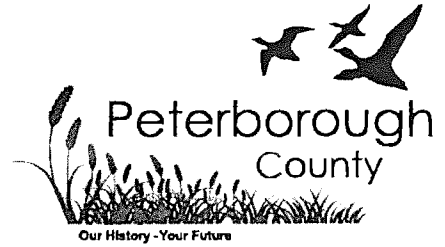
Whereas there were an estimated 4,000 opioid related deaths across Canada in 2017, and

Whereas there have been 13 suspected drug overdose related deaths in Peterborough County/City between January 1, 2019 and March 12, 2019 and 2 drug overdose related deaths January 1, 2018 and March 12, 2018, and based on this information results in a 433% increase in drug overdose related deaths compared to the same time period in 2018, and

Whereas the Peterborough County/City Paramedics use of service in 2018 was 161 opioid related calls and from January to March 2019 has resulted in 41 calls, and

Whereas this does impact every aspect of society, and

Whereas the Canadian drug and substance strategy and the Peterborough Health Unit Opioid Strategy is based on the four pillars of Prevention, Treatment, Harm Reduction, and enforcement and includes emergency management,



Therefore be it resolved:

1. That Peterborough County calls on the Province of Ontario to assign a provincial coordinator within the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care for the provincial response to the opioid overdose crisis;
2. That the Province of Ontario develop a comprehensive provincial strategy to address the opioid overdose crisis, based on a public health approach that addresses the social determinants of health that takes a non-discriminatory approach to drug overdose prevention and harm reduction;
3. That the Province of Ontario resume regular meetings of the Opioid Emergency Task Force with necessary funding;
4. That Peterborough County calls for Federal and Provincial funding to support, enhance, and expand evidence based treatment and rehabilitation services, addiction prevention and education, and harm reduction measures;
5. That the Minister of Education add a youth resiliency program to the school curriculum which includes coping skills to get through obstacles in life e.g. anger management, conflict resolution, healthy relationships and informed decision making, and that this start in kindergarten and through the grade and high schools. Investing in our youth is crucial;
6. That this Resolution be distributed to the leaders of all parties represented in the House of Commons and the Legislature, the Federal Minister of Health, the Provincial Minister of Health and Long Term Care, the Minister of Education, our local MPs and MPPs and AMO for distribution to member municipalities; and
7. That this Resolution be distributed to the City of Peterborough, Ontario Provincial Police, the Peterborough Police Service, Peterborough Public Health, Peterborough Regional Health Centre and Peterborough County/City Paramedics.”

Should you have any questions, please contact Lynn Fawn, Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk at 705-743-0380, Extension 2102.

Yours truly,

Kaitlyn Ittermann
Administrative Services Assistant
Telephone Ext. 2105
Fax: 705-876-1730
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c: Hon. G. Petitpas Taylor, Minister of Health
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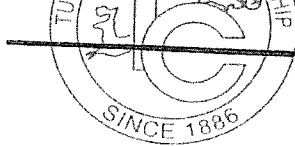
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF TUDOR AND CASHEL

RESOLUTION

TOWNSHIP OF TUDOR AND CASHEL

APRIL 02, 2019

RESOLUTION NO: 2019 - 090

MOVED BY: NOREEN REILLY

SECONDED BY: RONALD CARROLL

WHEREAS hydro is essential for all individuals and the cost to receive hydro should not be so excessive that individuals cannot afford it;

AND WHEREAS the cost for service delivery for hydro should be affordable to all individuals;

AND WHEREAS the Hydro One invoices received over the last few months for the Township of Tudor and Cashel have indicated that 46% to 56% of the total cost has been related to service delivery fee;

AND WHEREAS the Township of Tudor and Cashel believes the cost for service delivery is not affordable to the Township or its residents;

AND WHEREAS the Township of Tudor and Cashel believes that Hydro One and the Ontario Energy Board should review its plans regarding delivery service to ensure that the cost of service delivery is fair to everyone;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT a copy of this motion be circulated to Hydro One, Daryl Kramp, MPP Hastings-Lennox & Addington, the Hon. Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, Ontario Energy Board, all municipalities and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario.

Carried: LIBBY CLARKE, HEAD OF COUNCIL

Brad Knight

Subject: FW: Hydro One Delivery Fees

From: Ford, Doug [mailto:doug.ford@pc.ola.org]
Sent: Friday, April 12, 2019 8:12 AM
To: 'Bernice Crocker';
Subject: RE: Hydro One Delivery Fees

Thank you for your email. Your thoughts, comments and input are greatly valued.

You can be assured that all emails and letters are carefully read, reviewed and taken into consideration.

There may be occasions when, given the issues you have raised and the need to address them effectively, we will forward a copy of your correspondence to the appropriate government official. Accordingly, a response may take several business days.

Thanks again for your email.

Correspondence Team

From: Bernice Crocker [mailto:clerk@tudorandcashel.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2019 12:06 PM
To: Kramp, Daryl; Ford, Doug; ConsumerRelations@oeb.ca; CustomerRelationsCentre@HydroOne.com; amo@amo.on.ca
Cc: 'Kelli Campeau'; abird@algonquinhighlands.ca; abrouwer@oshawa.ca; achittick@nexicom.net; aclarke@gorebay.ca; admin@hiltontownship.ca; admin@jocelyn.ca; admin@nipissingtownship.com; admin@ryersontownship.ca; agilchrist@admastonbromley.com; agray@tay.ca; agreentree@clarington.net; agubbels@warwicktownship.ca; aholtzhauer@greatermadawaska.com; ahumphries@cityofwoodstock.ca; aknight@get.on.ca; alatreille@prescott-russell.on.ca; tanya.calleja@huntsville.ca; andy.grozelle@norfolkcounty.ca; angela.morgan@burlington.ca; angela.sharbot@atikokan.ca; asimonian@augusta.ca; assignackinfo@amtelecom.net; athens@myhighspeed.ca; atoth@strathroy-caradoc.ca; bandreatta@lasalle.ca; bangione@hbmtwp.ca; barb.mcleod@wilmot.ca; bbaileyburpeemills@gmail.com; bbrooks@stonemills.com; bbrunt@southdundas.com; bcoughlin@plympton-wyoming.ca; bdunk@stcatharines.ca; beth.morton@townshipofperry.ca; bettyg@twp.tweed.on.ca; bfooster@emo.ca; bgilmer@porthope.ca; bkane@adjtos.ca; bkittmer@town.stmarys.on.ca; bknight@huroneast.com; bmcroberts@mapleton.ca; bpaulmachar@vianet.ca; brenda.fraser@townofkearney.com; brentstdenis@gmail.com; brethour@parolink.net; brucemines@bellnet.ca; bryanm@eganville.com; btabor@oxfordcounty.ca; btocheri@hanover.ca; bwhite@town.minto.on.ca; c.parent@northkawartha.on.ca; calvin.rodgers@chamberlaintownship.com; cao@duttondunwich.on.ca; cao@laurentianhills.ca; cao@marathon.ca; deputyclerk@merrickville-wolford.ca; cao@schreiber.ca; cao@shawbiz.ca; cao@southwold.ca; cao@terracebay.ca; carey.degorter@caledon.ca; cbeauvais@municipalityofkillarney.ca; ccoulson@dysartetal.ca; centralm@amtelecom.net; cgendron@moonbeam.ca; cgroulx@hawkesbury.ca; chalcrow@dnetownship.ca; Chantal.Guillemette@kapuskasing.ca; chapple@tbaytel.net; cheryl.bandel@durham.ca; christine.goulet@redlake.ca; christine.tarling@kitchener.ca; christopher.raynor@york.ca; cityclerk@portcolborne.ca; cjeffery@seguin.ca; clangley@westlincoln.ca; clerk.administrator@townshipofjoly.com; clerk@acwtownship.ca; clerk@addingtonhighlands.ca; clerk@armourtownship.ca; clerk@arran-elderslie.ca; clerk@burksfalls.ca; clerk@calvintownship.ca; clerk@carlowmayo.ca; clerk@centralhuron.com; cbrooks@cramahetownship.ca; clerk@dufferincounty.ca; clerk@gordonbarrieisland.ca; clerk@howick.ca; clerk@madoc.ca; clerk@magnetawan.com; clerk@mcmurrichtmonteith.com; clerk@neebing.org; clerk@papineaucameron.ca; clerk@siouxlookout.ca; clerk@southalgonquin.ca; clerk@strongtownship.com; clerk@sundridge.ca; clerk@swox.org;

Janice Andrews

From: bngboyer <bngboyer@tnt21.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2019 3:20 PM
To: Janice Andrews
Subject: Ethel minor liquor licence

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Janice Would you be able to add this to the next council agenda
Thanks Brenda

Dear Council

The Ethel Minor Ball would like to host a 12 team co-ed ball Tournament July 5th 6th and 7th .
The proceeds would be for park upkeep and the Ethel Minor Ball Program.
We are asking that you designate it as a significant event as we would like to apply for a liquor licence.

Thank you
Brenda Boyer



National Defence

Défense nationale

National Defence Headquarters
Ottawa, Ontario
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Quartier général de la Défense nationale
Ottawa (Ontario)
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2967 Brussels Army Cadets
620 Turnberry St
Brussels, ON
N0G 1H0
519-523-9422

1085-30 (CO)

April 30, 2019

Council of Huron East

RE: Request for Temporary Road Closure

Ref: CATO 14-02

1. 2967 Brussels Army Cadets will be having hosting their 40th Annual Ceremonial Review on June 4th 2019 from 1800 – 2030 hrs. Date was set for May 28th, but had to change dates due to logistical issues.
2. This event takes place once a year where the cadets show off to their parents and friends what training they have learned this past training year.
3. This year, we will be hosting the event outside of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 218. In order to facilitate this, I am requesting the use of Flora Street, beside the Legion.
4. We request that Flora Street be blocked off from traffic from Turnberry Street to Elizabeth Street from 1730 – 2100 hrs on June 4th 2019.

Thank you,

Paul Dawson
Captain
Commanding Officer
2967 Brussels Army Cadets
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NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR CONSENT FOR SEVERANCE

DATE: April 29, 2019

File # C26-2019

TO:

- Owner/Applicant: K & E De Corte Farms Ltd.
- Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk - Municipality of Huron East
- Cathy Garrick, Planning Coordinator - Municipality of Huron East
- Huron County Health Unit
- Donna Clarkson, Ausable Bayfield Maitland Valley Source Protection Region
- Denise Van Amersfoort, Senior Planner, Huron County Planning Department
- Celina Whaling-Rae, Student Planner, Huron County Planning Department

Enclosed is a copy of an application for Consent for your review and comments to the Huron County Planning & Development Department.

LOCATION OF PROPERTY

Municipality: Huron East

Lot 28, 29 & 30, Concession 2, McKillop Ward

Address: 80290 Roxboro Line

Owner/Applicant: K & E De Corte Farms Ltd.

Solicitor: Dave Murray, Devereaux Murray

PURPOSE AND EFFECT

The purpose and effect of this application is for the creation of a new lot under the surplus farm residence policies. The proposed land to be severed is approximately 2.2 acres (0.89 ha) consisting a house and shed, that is to be removed. The vacant farmland to be retained is approximately 150 acres (60.71 ha).

LAST DAY FOR RECEIVING COMMENTS

We would appreciate your comments by **May 13, 2019** as to whether or not your department or agency has any comments to this severance and whether or not any conditions should be imposed. All comments should be addressed to the Attention of Lisa Finch, Land Division Administrator at the following by e-mail address lfinch@huroncounty.ca or by regular mail to the address above and to the Attention of Lisa Finch, Land Division Administrator. We will assume you have no objections to the application if no comments are received by the time specified. If this does not provide you with sufficient opportunity to consider the application, please advise.

DECISION AND APPEAL

If you wish to be notified of the decision in respect to the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the Huron County Planning & Development Department c/o Ms. Lisa Finch, Land Division Administrator, Huron County Consent Granting Authority at 57 Napier Street, 2nd Floor, Goderich, Ontario, N7A 1W2.

If a person or public body, that files an appeal of a decision in respect of the proposed consent, does not make written submission to the Huron County Planning Department before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, then the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal may dismiss the appeal.

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APPLICATION FOR CONSENT



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1. PRE-SUBMISSION CONSULTATION

Applicants are strongly encouraged to contact the County and speak/meet with the Planner assigned to the Municipality before submitting an application..

Date of Applicant's consultation meeting with County Planner assigned to Municipality: April 16/2019

2. APPLICATION INFORMATION

<p>Name of Applicant <u>K'E DE CORTE FARMS LTD</u></p>	<p>Name of Owner _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check box if same as Applicant</p>
<p>Contact Information Address: <u>42200 HYDRO LINERD</u> Town: <u>SEAFORTH</u> Postal Code: <u>N0K 1W0</u> Home Phone: _____ Cell: <u>519 525 2078</u> Work: _____ Fax: _____ Email: <u>kdecorte@tcc.on.ca</u></p>	<p>Contact Information Address: _____ Town: _____ Postal Code: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____</p>

Solicitor name (if known) DEVEREAUX MURRAY (DAVE)

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

Correspondence to be sent to: all parties, or applicant, and/or owner

3. LOCATION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY—SEVERED & RETAINED (Complete applicable lines)

Municipality: <u>HURON EAST</u>	Concession: <u>2</u>
Ward: <u>MCKILLOP</u>	Lot Number(s) <u>28, 29, 30</u>
Registered Plan: _____	Lot(s) Block(s): _____
Reference Plan: _____	Part Number(s) _____
Municipal Address (911 number and street/road name): <u>802 90 ROXBORO LINE</u>	Roll # (if available): _____

APPLICATION FOR CONSENT

- a) Are there any right-of-way easements or restrictive covenants affecting the severed or retained land?
 Yes No
- b) If Yes, describe the location of the right-of-way or easement or covenant and its effect:

- c) Is any of the severed or retained land in Wellhead Protection Area A, B or C? Yes No Unknown
 If Yes, please obtain a Restricted Land Use Permit from the Risk Management Official.
 If Unknown, please consult with your Municipal Planner and obtain a Restricted Land Use Permit if necessary.
- d) Is the subject property systematically tiled? If Yes, please submit tile maps with your application.
 Yes No

4. PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION

Type of proposed transaction:

Transfer: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Creation of a new lot <input type="checkbox"/> Addition to lot <input type="checkbox"/> An easement <input type="checkbox"/> Other purpose (please specify): _____	Other: <input type="checkbox"/> Charge <input type="checkbox"/> Lease <input type="checkbox"/> Correction of title
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Briefly, describe the proposed transaction:

SEVER SURPLUS HOUSE

Name(s) of person(s), if known, to which land or interest in land is to be transferred, leased or charged:

KEN DE CORTE

If a surplus severance, provide legal description and locations of other farm holdings of owner/purchaser:

80833 NORTH LINE CS 426 MCKILLOP

If creating a lot addition, identify the lands to which parcel will be added.

Municipality: _____	Concession: _____
Ward: _____	Lot Number(s): _____
Registered Plan: _____	Lot(s) Block(s): _____
Reference Plan: _____	Part Number(s): _____
Municipal Address (911 number and street/road name): _____	Roll # (if available): _____

APPLICATION FOR CONSENT

5. DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT LAND

a) Description land intended to be severed:

Frontage: _____

Depth: _____

Area: 2.2 ACRES.

Existing Use(s): DWELLING

Proposed Use(s): _____

Existing Building(s) or Structure(s)

SHEP TO BE REMOVED.

b) Type of access:

(Check appropriate box)

- existing building(s) or structure(s)
- provincial highway
- county road
- municipal road, maintained all year
- municipal road, seasonally maintained
- other

c) Type of water supply proposed:

(check appropriate box)

- publicly owned and operated piped water system
- privately owned and operated individual well
 - dug
 - drilled
- privately owned and operated communal well
- lake or other water body
- other means (please specify)

d) Type of sewage disposal proposed:

(check appropriate box)

- publicly owned & operated sanitary sewage system
- privately owned & operated individual septic tank
- privately owned & operated communal septic system
- privy
- other means (please specify)

a) Description land intended to be retained:

Frontage: _____

Depth: _____

Area: 150 ACRES.

Existing Use(s): FARM LAND

Proposed Use(s): _____

Existing Building(s) or Structure(s)

b) Type of access:

(Check appropriate box)

- existing building(s) or structure(s)
- provincial highway
- county road
- municipal road, maintained all year
- municipal road, seasonally maintained
- other

c) Type of water supply proposed:

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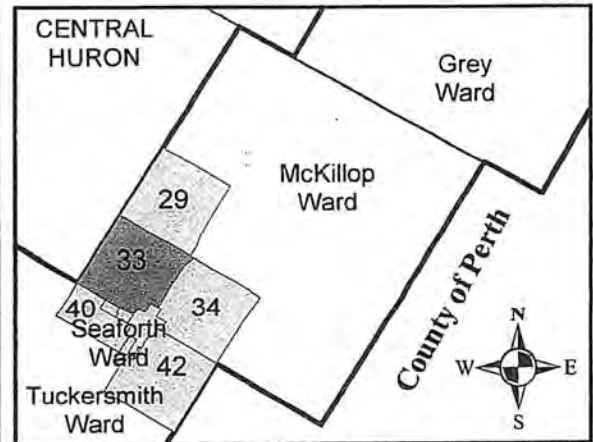
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SCHEDULE 'A'
KEY MAP 33
HURON EAST
 McKillop Ward

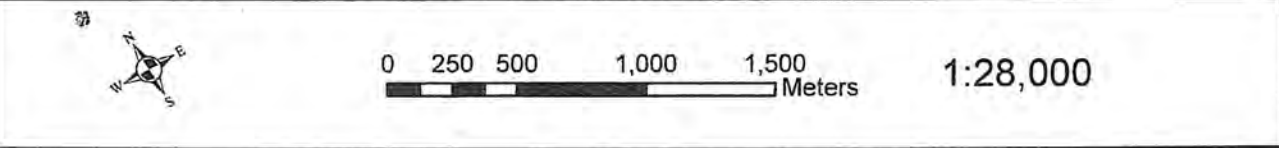
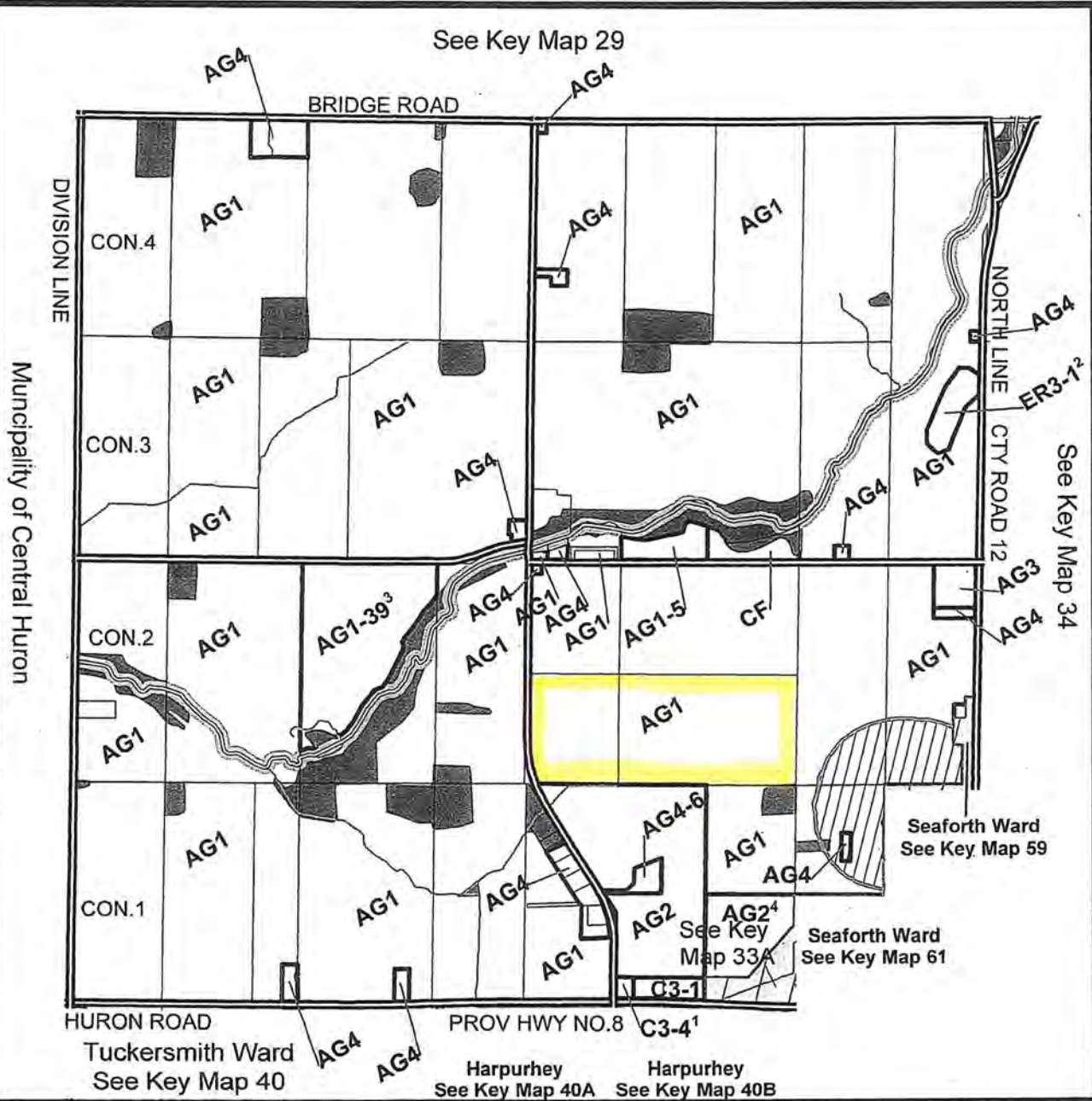


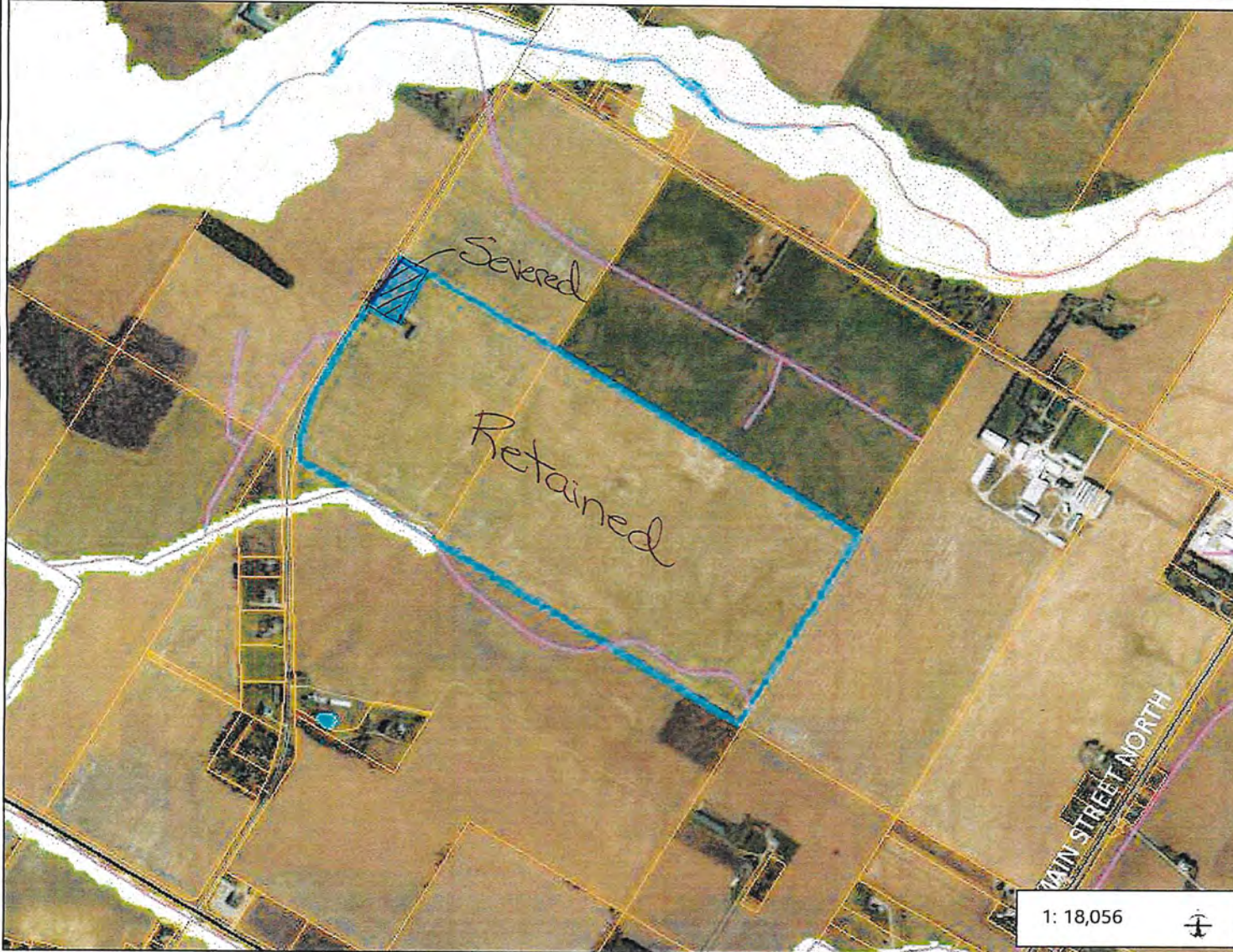
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	NE2		Adjacent Lands and/or Conservation Authority Regulated Lands
	Zone		2 Year Time of Travel (See Section 3.50)
	Rivers		
	Railway		
	Roads		

Amendments

1 Amended by By-law 39-2009
 2 Amended by By-law 85-2009 (Identification of Municipal Wells and 2 year time of travel)
 3 Amended by By-law 43-2014
 4 Amended by By-law 20-2018

REVISION DATE May 10, 2018

























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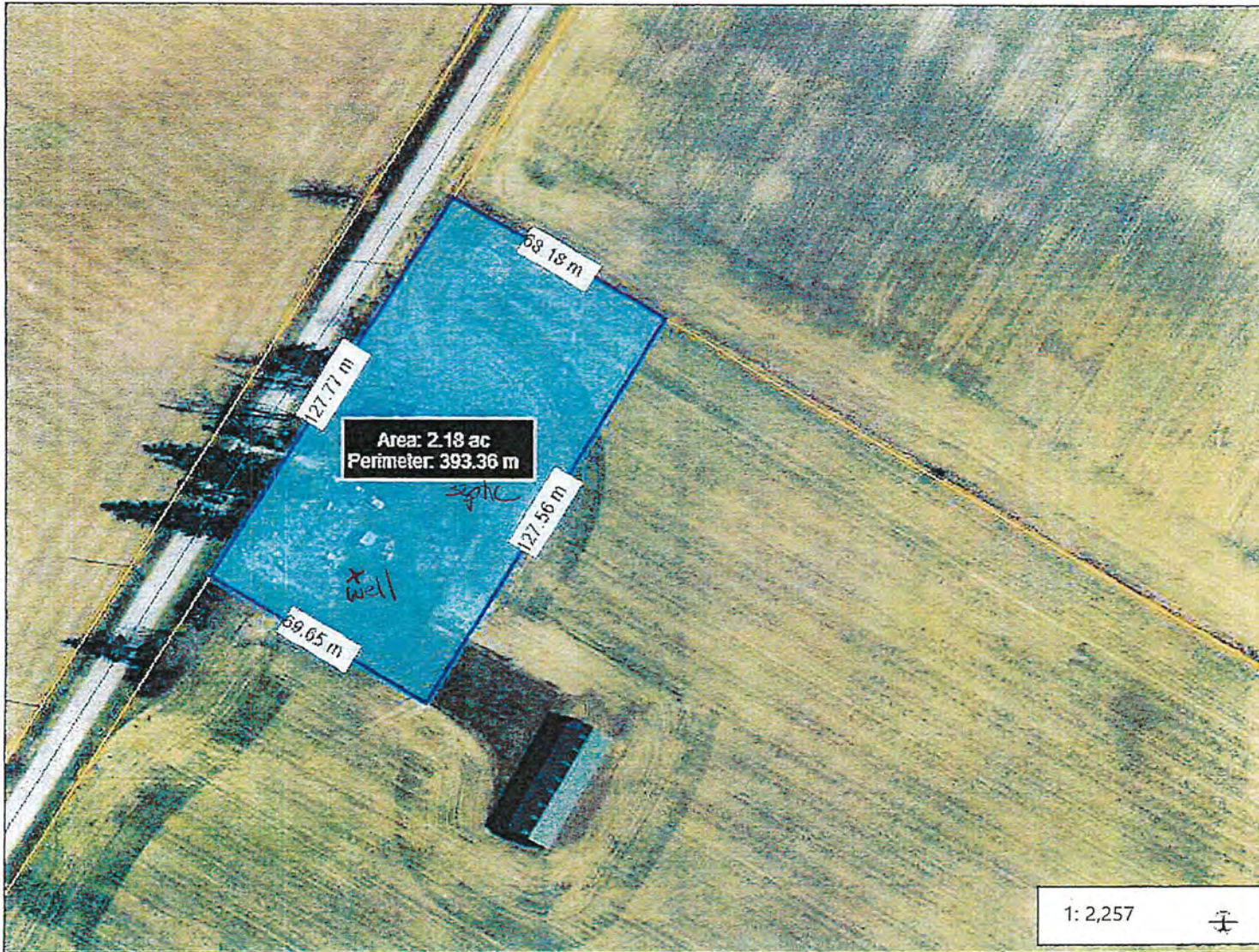
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- Watercourse**
 -  Intermittent
 -  Permanent
-  Waterbody
-  Wetlands
- Parcel Fabric - Secure Landfills**
 -  Landfill
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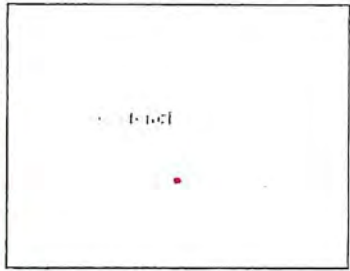
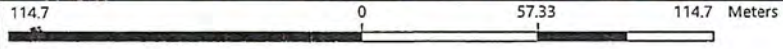


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MINUTES

BRUSSELS FIRE AREA PROTECTION COMMITTEE MEETING

BRUSSELS FIRE HALL

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 2019 AT 7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Municipality of Huron East – Councilor John Lowe and
Councilor Zoey Onn
Municipality of Morris-Turnberry – Councilor Jim Nelemans

MEMBERS ABSENT: Nil

STAFF PRESENT: Huron East Fire Chief Marty Bedard
Brussels District Chief Max McLellan
Brussels District Deputy-Chief Brian Deitner

1. **Call to Order**
The meeting was called to order at 7:25 p.m. by Fire Chief Marty Bedard
2. **Election of Chair**
Jim Nelemans nominated John Lowe to be Chairperson for the Committee seconded by Zoey Onn. John accepted.

John welcomed Zoey and Jim as they are both new members to the Committee.
3. **Disclosure of Pecuniary Interests**
No pecuniary interests were declared.
4. **Meeting Minutes – November 15, 2018**
Moved by John Lowe and seconded by Zoey Onn that the minutes of the November 15, 2018 Brussels & Area Fire Committee meeting be adopted as circulated. **Carried.**
5. **Business arising from Minutes**
Jim Nelemans asked how much the old tanker sold for and Chief Bedard replied that we received \$4,061.00.
6. **2018 Financial Statement**
Chief Bedard reviewed the attached Financial Report. The 2019 Draft Budget was discussed and it was noted that the Training Account was higher due to the First Responder Refresher Course being done this year. It will be the same next year as well as we train half this year and half next year. It was also noted that \$15,000 was included in Capital – Building Renovations to replace the 3 overhead doors on the apparatus floor. The current doors are rusting through and need replaced.
7. **Station Chief Report**
The attached Station Chief Report was reviewed. District Chief Max McLellan added that the Firefighters will be doing extrication training in April and they hope to have another live burn training day in May. Chief Bedard is making arrangements for the Live Burn Training.

DC McLellan also noted that they will be bringing on 2 or 3 new firefighters this year to replace members that have resigned.

8. **Review of Incident Calls to Date**

Chief Bedard provided an overview of the incident calls for the Brussels Station from November 2018 to the end of March 2019 (Report Attached). Jim Nelemans asked if the Truck Rollover call is recoverable. Chief Bedard noted that he will send owners contact info to the Morris-Turnberry office so the costs can be recovered.

9. **Other Business**

Chair John Lowe inquired about our dispatch. He had heard there were paging issues earlier this year. Chief Bedard noted that we did have a problem with the main paging system due to a Bell Telephone issue. The system was down for 2 days and dispatch used the back up system during this time.

Chief Bedard also noted we are using a new app that alerts firefighters of calls on their cell phones. This does not replace the pagers as the app notification is delayed approximately 1 min from the time of the original call. This is a web-based app that dispatch administers for us.

10. **Next Meeting Date**

The next meeting of Brussels & Area Fire Committee was scheduled for November 14, 2019 at 7pm, or at the call of the Chair.

12. **Adjournment**

Moved by Jim Nelemans and seconded by Zoey Onn that the Brussels & Area Fire Committee adjourn at 8:20 pm. until the next meeting. **Carried.**

Chair, John Lowe

Secretary, Marty Bedard



BRUSSELS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Revenue and Expenditure Report

As of March 31, 2019

	2018 YTD December	2019 March	2019 YTD March	2018 Budget	2019 Draft Budget	\$ Variance	% Variance
PROTECTION TO PERSONS & PROPERTY							
BRUSSELS FIRE DEPARTMENT							
Revenue							
Federal							
1-210-120-3100 Fire - Brussels - Rev-HST Rebate	(4,540)	0	0	(5,300)	(4,500)	4,500	100.0%
Total Federal	(4,540)	0	0	(5,300)	(4,500)	4,500	100.0%
Other Municipalities							
1-210-120-3300 Fire - Brussels - Rev-Other Municipality	(95,024)	0	0	(95,024)	(63,946)	63,946	100.0%
Total Other Municipalities	(95,024)	0	0	(95,024)	(63,946)	63,946	100.0%
Donations							
1-210-120-3505 Fire - Brussels - Rev-Donations	(9,077)	0	0	(10,000)	(8,000)	8,000	100.0%
Total Donations	(9,077)	0	0	(10,000)	(8,000)	8,000	100.0%
User Fees							
1-210-120-3400 Fire - Brussels - Rev-Service Recovery	(44,459)	0	(1,177)	(23,000)	(45,000)	43,823	97.4%
1-210-120-3423 Fire - Brussels - Rev - Sale of Equipme	(4,061)	0	0	(2,000)	0	0	0.0%
Total User Fees	(48,520)	0	(1,177)	(25,000)	(45,000)	43,823	97.4%
Other Revenue							
1-210-120-3700 Fire - Brussels - Gain/Loss on Disposal	(3,561)	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total Other Revenue	(3,561)	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total Revenue	(160,722)	0	(1,177)	(135,324)	(121,446)	120,269	99.0%
Expenditures							
Salaries & Benefits							
1-210-120-4000 Fire - Brussels - Salaries & Wages	67,557	0	0	63,180	60,000	(60,000)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-4750 Fire - Brussels - Employee Benefits	7,295	0	0	3,260	7,500	(7,500)	(100.0%)
Total Salaries & Benefits	74,852	0	0	66,440	67,500	(67,500)	(100.0%)
Operating							
1-210-120-5001 Fire - Brussels - Travel, Expenses & Mi	794	0	0	500	1,000	(1,000)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-5002 Fire - Brussels - Training/Seminars/Cor	2,381	67	5,766	12,000	20,000	(14,234)	(71.2%)
1-210-120-5004 Fire - Brussels - Telecommunications	2,187	0	452	2,500	2,275	(1,823)	(80.1%)
1-210-120-5005 Fire - Brussels - Utilities	3,840	196	758	4,400	4,050	(3,292)	(81.3%)
1-210-120-5008 Fire - Brussels - R & M - Bldg	3,680	158	422	3,500	4,000	(3,578)	(89.5%)



BRUSSELS FIRE DEPARTMENT
Revenue and Expenditure Report
 As of March 31, 2019

	2018 YTD	2019	2019 YTD	2018	2019		
	December	March	March	Budget	Draft Budget	\$ Variance	% Variance
1-210-120-5009 Fire - Brussels - R & M - Equipment	4,061	1,739	2,777	5,000	5,000	(2,223)	(44.5%)
1-210-120-5010 Fire - Brussels - R & M - Vehicle	2,644	(32)	(32)	5,000	5,000	(5,032)	(100.6%)
1-210-120-5013 Fire - Brussels - Advertising	254	0	0	500	500	(500)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-5017 Fire - Brussels - Office/Meeting Supplie	29	0	123	500	250	(127)	(50.8%)
1-210-120-5019 Fire - Brussels - Tools/Equipment Purc	31,978	16,192	18,174	30,000	30,000	(11,826)	(39.4%)
1-210-120-5020 Fire - Brussels - Fuel	1,834	0	51	1,000	1,850	(1,799)	(97.2%)
1-210-120-5035 Fire - Brussels - Radio Licenses	594	0	594	650	600	(6)	(1.0%)
1-210-120-5301 Fire - Brussels - Insurance	8,037	0	4,492	7,956	8,037	(3,545)	(44.1%)
1-210-120-5601 Fire - Brussels - Rent - Equipment	6,975	0	0	6,975	6,975	(6,975)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-6000 Fire - Brussels - Program Exp	5,622	0	0	1,000	1,500	(1,500)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-6006 Fire - Brussels - Mutual Aid	340	0	459	350	1,000	(541)	(54.1%)
1-210-120-6007 Fire - Brussels - Dispatch Costs	6,534	0	0	7,500	6,500	(6,500)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-6010 Fire - Brussels - Uniform	763	0	0	1,000	500	(500)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-7015 Fire - Brussels - Chrg from HE Fire Chi	32,799	0	0	41,543	33,265	(33,265)	(100.0%)
1-210-120-8500 Fire - Brussels - Amortization	28,653	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total Operating	143,999	18,320	34,036	131,874	132,302	(98,266)	(74.3%)
Capital							
2-922-100-8020 Capital - Brussels Fire - Vehicles	0	0	0	353,150	0	0	0.0%
2-922-100-8025 Capital - Brussels Fire - Bidg Renovatio	0	0	0	0	15,000	(15,000)	(100.0%)
Total Capital	0	0	0	353,150	15,000	(15,000)	(100.0%)
Other Items							
Charge to Other Job	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Transfer to Reserves	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Transfer from Reserves							
1-210-120-9500 Fire - Brussels - Transfer from Reserve	(300,000)	0	0	(300,000)	0	0	0.0%
Total Transfer from Reserves	(300,000)	0	0	(300,000)	0	0	0.0%
Total Expenditures	(81,149)	18,320	34,036	251,464	214,802	(180,766)	(84.2%)
Sub-total	(241,871)	18,320	32,859	116,140	93,356	(60,497)	(64.8%)
Total PROTECTION TO PERSONS & PROPERTY	(241,871)	18,320	32,859	116,140	93,356	(60,497)	(64.8%)
Total BRUSSELS FIRE DEPARTMENT	(241,871)	18,320	32,859	116,140	93,356	(60,497)	(64.8%)



Brussels & Area Fire Committee
Thursday, April 4, 2019
7:00 pm
Brussels Fire Hall



Station Chiefs Report

Training

Training from December 2018 to March 2019 included:

- Annual Pre-Plan Tour of Huronlea
- Discussions with Water Department on hydrant use, general usage of water during emergencies
- Pumper Training
- Use of fire hose to lead you out of a structure if needed
- First Aid, CPR refresher
- First Aid and CPR practical training with patients
- IFSTA Manual – Emergency Medical Care

Upcoming Training items include:

- First Responder Training Refresher course
- FIT Testing – this test is to ensure all SCBA masks are fitting firefighters properly
- PTSD Awareness Workshop

Equipment

SCBA's

At the last meeting we reported that a grant application had been submitted to Trillium Mutual Insurance for the purchase of 3 new breathing apparatus. We are pleased to announce that we received \$4,000.00 to go towards the cost of purchasing these items. It was decided to order 2 new BA's with bottles and masks. The cost of this purchase will be approximately 16,000. The Brussels Firefighters association will also be putting money towards this expense.

Brussels joined with Seaforth and a total of 4 SCBA's were purchased and our supplier, M & L Supply gave us 4 bottles at no charge. These bottles are priced at \$1,210 each.

We also purchased 2 extra SCBA masks with the money donated from Jam Jar's Bike Night proceeds.

New Truck

We have had a couple of minor issues with the new truck. The on-board compressor had to be replaced and a small leak was repaired. Both items are covered under warranty.

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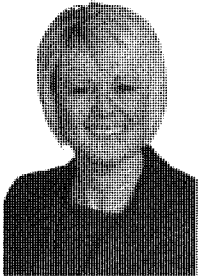
As mentioned at the last meeting, we have included in the 2019 Budget to replace the large bay doors this year. We have started to price these out and once the budget is approved, they will be installed.

Fire Department Activities

Jam Jar Restaurant will be hosting the bike nights again this summer and have indicated that the Fire Department will be the recipients of the profits any this year.

The Firefighters hosted their annual steak night last week. There was a great turn out from the Lions and Optimist Clubs. This annual event is hosted to say thanks to the service clubs for their continued support throughout the year.

The Annual Fathers Day Breakfast will be held again on June 16, 2019.



Cheryl Gallant

Member of Parliament
Renfrew-Nipissing-Pembroke
Member of Standing Committee on National Defence
Member of Standing Committee on Industry, Science and Technology

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April 4th, 2019

Municipality Of Huron East
Po Box 610 72 Main St. South
Seaforth, Ontario
N0K 1W0

MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST

Dear Municipality Of Huron East ,

This letter is to alert you to Bill C-68, another piece of interventionist federal legislation that will have a negative impact on your municipality, and on the property rights of your ratepayers.

Bill C-68, which is currently before the Senate, reverses changes to the Fisheries Act – changes which municipalities similar to yours requested our previous Conservative government to make.

Specifically, we amended the "HADD" provisions of the Act, (Harmful Alteration Disruption or Destruction of fish habitat).

One of the most significant problems identified by municipalities about the HADD provision was its broad application and restrictive nature, which ended up costing property taxpayers thousands of dollars, with no real or apparent benefit to the environment.

Municipalities which needed to install culverts or other flood mitigation work were in too many cases faced with negative enforcement after work was completed, with inconsistent guidance when they sought direction for compliance.

In addition to repealing our amendments, the current Federal Government has expanded the definition of "habitat," and added a new concept to the Act, "water flow."

By explicitly adding in the concept of water flow, which was not in the old legislation, the scope of offences municipalities can be charged with, have been greatly expanded.

Worst of all, rather than specifically listing what is and is not an offence under this legislation, including fines or jail, this power has been handed over to the unelected technocrats, to determine by regulation, what the penalties for non-compliance will be, after they have determined what is non-compliance.

As the longest consecutive serving Conservative MP in Ontario, representing a predominantly rural riding, I am very aware of the challenges rural and small-town municipalities have faced dealing with the Federal government.

All municipalities should be demanding the Federal Government provide regulatory certainty before this legislation is passed into law.

Clear regulatory certainty is necessary to prevent the return of conflicted interpretations, and inconsistencies in enforcement of the Fisheries Act which happened in the past.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cheryl Gallant". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

Cheryl Gallant, M.P.
Renfrew—Nipissing—Pembroke
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Working together to make hunger
non-existent in our communities

April 9, 2019

To: Huron County Councillors & Municipalities

The Huron County Food Bank Distribution Centre will be hosting the 6th annual "BETTER TOGETHER" Gala on Thursday, August 1, 2019 at the Libro Community Hall in Clinton, Ontario with doors opening at 5:30 pm.

We are planning an exciting event for you!

Our guest emcee is **Scott Miller**, CTV News – we are looking forward to hear Scott and have him share some Huron County stories.

Huron Shores Catering from Granton, Ontario will be preparing our meal using local foods.

As always, we will have our raffle tables and silent auctions.

And.....we are pleased to welcome **Layne, The Auctionista** to our 2019 Gala. Layne will be entertaining and conducting the live auctions.

Tickets are \$60.00 each with tables of 10 for \$600.00. Tickets must be reserved and either picked up ahead of time or at the door. Walk-ins will not be permitted.

To reserve tickets, please contact Mary Ellen Zielman or myself at the office at 519-913-2362 or email zielman@huroncountyfoodbank.org.

Please share this invitation with elected officials and staff members.

Thank you for your time and we look forward to seeing you at our annual Gala.

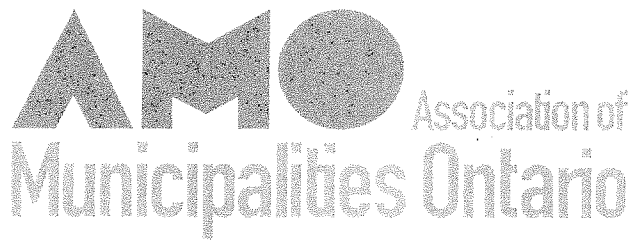
Regards,

Marg Deichert

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Child Care and Early Years in Ontario

Planning for Successful Outcomes

April 10, 2019

Investments in child care and early years programming make good economic sense for Ontario. They help families and communities thrive by making work possible and facilitating learning in the early formative years. In all communities whether urban, rural or northern, child care systems help attract and retain the skilled workforce needed to grow local economies. At the same time, children are able to develop their potential to get their best start in life.

AMO is committed to working with the Province to expand access to more affordable, high quality, and safe licensed child care for the people of Ontario. Therefore, the following advice in this document to the government is provided to inform the developing plan. In providing these suggestions, an assumption is made that the provincial government will, at some point in the future, implement a child care tax credit.

The recommendations in this submission are based on analysis and advice provided by the Ontario Municipal Social Services Association (OMSSA), the staff association representing municipal service system managers in Ontario responsible for administering and co-funding child care and early learning programs. The provincial government is encouraged to work with their system manager partners and municipal co-funders to jointly design and implement the plan.

Affordability

The affordability of child care is top of mind for families in Ontario. There are many means by which greater affordability of licensed child care options are attainable. The current system, while adequate, could use improvement and supplement the use of a tax credit if introduced. A tax credit has the potential to help many families. It will not, however, necessarily increase access to more licensed child care. Some will use the tax credit to recover fees paid to unlicensed child care. Attention is needed in the design to ensure that it helps low-income families. If the government introduces the tax credit, continuing to fund service system managers to target operating grants to providers will bring down fees. As well, fee subsidies have a continued role to play to bring about greater affordability for low-income working families. These families of modest means will not be able to upfront the cost of child care fees and wait until the end of the year for a refundable tax credit. Exploration of how the two systems of tax credit and fee subsidy will work together is needed. It will achieve the public policy objective of increasing affordability to all by maintaining the fee subsidy for very low-income earners while offering the tax credit for middle and high-income earners.

Recommendations:

1. The provincial government should continue to fund service system managers so that they can provide general operating grants to licensed providers to bring down the cost of child care fees.
2. The government should maintain child care fee subsidies for low-income families and enhance it, as a complement to any tax credit introduced. The threshold should be increased to match the Low-Income Measure After-Tax (LIM-AT) thresholds, adjusted for family size and indexed to inflation.

Choice and Availability

To improve choice and availability, continuing investments are needed to expand access to high quality, safe, licensed child care spaces across the province with fees that are affordable to the people of Ontario. A commitment to carry through to expand to 100,000 new child care spaces across the province will increase availability and choice. Doing more may be possible as fiscal circumstances allow and as federal funding may be available to leverage through bilateral agreements. In addition, measures taken to incent child care providers to become licensed will help, including reducing regulatory red tape that may serve as a disincentive. This would increase the number and proportion of licensed child care spaces. Continued flexibility for service system managers is still required to make decisions based on local need and to promote choice for families.

Focused attention is needed to reduce barriers for families of children with special needs. Sustaining and enhancing special needs resource funding to ensure inclusive support services for children with special needs is required. Further integration between schools and child care providers will further help children.

In general, the funding formula for child care is in need of review. It has been in place for a number of years and an examination of its effectiveness is in order. It is critical that it serves the needs of various communities whether they be urban, with fast growing populations, or rural, northern and remote where sustainability and viability of providers may be an issue.

As a result of the Journey Together initiative, service system managers, in partnership with Indigenous community organizations, have expanded access to culturally relevant and responsive child care spaces for Indigenous families. Journey Together funding has played a major role to enable this.

The public is not always aware of the benefits to their families in choosing between licensed and unlicensed child care. Benefits to the community include long-term social and economic impact. Better and readily available information can assist families in making more informed choices around licensed or unlicensed child care.

Recommendations

3. The provincial government should continue the expansion of new licensed child care spaces across Ontario with sustained capital and operating funding.
4. The provincial government should work to further increase the number of licensed child care spaces by removing unnecessary barriers to becoming licensed.
5. The provincial government should review the funding formula allocation methodology with service system managers to ensure that it addresses sustainability issues for child care providers all across the province.
6. The provincial government should enhance special needs resource funding to meet social inclusion goals of all children within the system.

7. The provincial government should maintain Journey Together funding to meet the needs of Indigenous People within the system.
8. The provincial government should undertake a public awareness campaign about the benefits of licensed child care to children, families, and communities.

Reducing Red Tape and Administrative Burden

Streamlined funding and reporting is more efficient, reduces administration, and saves money that could go to front-line service for children and their families. Continued work with service system managers to streamline and reduce reporting requirements to do only what is necessary to demonstrate accountability for outcomes and provide relevant data for evidence-based decision-making will yield benefits. A goal should be to reduce duplication in data reporting, aligning reporting requirements from various governments, and ensuring the same data is being requested across human service programs, with consistent definitions, language, and reporting methods.

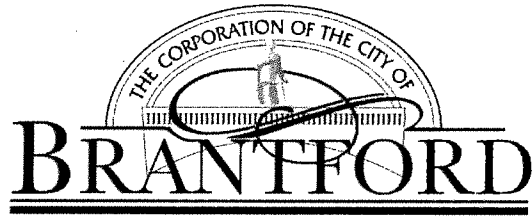
Recommendations:

9. The provincial government should work with service system managers to reduce the administrative reporting burden and shift resources to front-line services.
10. The provincial government should pursue funding simplicity and flexibility for service system managers, by streamlining child care and early years funding into a single envelope.
11. The government should explore, with all relevant ministries, the development of an Ontario-wide system for all municipal data reporting across human services programs.

Improving Quality

Improving quality on a continuous basis is a worthy goal. Doing less will do a disservice to children and families in Ontario. Efforts to build capacity in the system will help as will developing the labour force of qualified staff to work in child care and EarlyON Centers. As well, there are issues of attracting and retaining an adequate supply of Early Childhood Educators (ECEs). This is particularly acute in some areas of the province more than in others. There is a role for the Province to play to help address these issues working with service system managers.

12. The provincial government should look to innovative ways to support continuous improvement and sector capacity including continuing to support the Centers of Excellence model.
13. The provincial government should maintain wage enhancements for Early Childhood Educators (ECEs) in the sector to address challenges of recruitment and retention.
14. The provincial government should work with the College of Early Childhood Educators on a province-wide recruitment and retention strategy to address the shortage of Early Childhood Educators (ECEs) in Ontario.



April 16, 2019

Below is a copy of a Resolution adopted by Brantford City Council at its meeting held March 26, 2019. In keeping with City Council's direction, a copy is being distributed to other municipalities in the Province of Ontario.

C. Touzel
City Clerk

RESOLUTION

6.1 Single-Use Plastic Straws

WHEREAS section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* requires that the powers of a municipality are to be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues; and

WHEREAS section 8(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* permits the municipality to pass by-laws under section 10 and 11 which: regulates or prohibits the matter; and to require persons to do things respecting the matter; and

WHEREAS section 10(2) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* permits single-tier municipalities to pass by-laws respecting the following matters: economic, social and environmental well-being of the municipality, including respecting climate change; and

WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of Brantford wishes to consider regulating or prohibiting the sale and distribution of single-use plastic straws in the municipality in order to reduce: (a) littering; (b) the impact on landfills; (c) the impact on sewers; and (d) the contribution to climate change;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Staff BE DIRECTED to:

1. Analyze the impacts of single-use plastic straws in the municipality; and how to reduce those impacts through the regulation and prohibition of single-use plastic straws;

2. Consult with the public and impacted industries, including but not limited to:
 - i. Retail Stores;
 - ii. Restaurants;
 - iii. Manufacturers and Distributors, as applicable;
 - iv. Chamber of Commerce;
 - v. Brantford Accessibility Advisory Committee; and
 - vi. Brantford Environmental Policy Advisory Committee;
3. THAT City Staff REPORT BACK to Council on the results of their analysis and consultation; along with a process, including timelines, to:
 - a. In the first phase, regulate the sale and distribution of single-use plastic straws, taking into account existing inventories and the sourcing of alternate suppliers; and
 - b. In the final phase, prohibit the sale and distribution of single-use plastics straws.
4. THAT a copy of this resolution BE FORWARDED to the MP and MPP Brantford-Brant, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) and other municipalities in the Province of Ontario.

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PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSION

Site Plan Development Technical Servicing Guide



The County of Huron, with the assistance of B. M. Ross and Associates Limited, has developed a technical guide to the site plan review process. The Guide is intended to be a resource for developers, municipal staff and agencies involved in the development and review of site plans throughout Huron County. A draft version of the Guide is now available and can be viewed at <https://www.huroncounty.ca/public-works/>

The County is hosting a public information centre to introduce the Guide and solicit feedback and input from interested parties. Everyone with interest in the site plan process is welcome to attend.



Monday, May 13, 2019

Libro Community Hall, 239 Bill Fleming Drive, Clinton ON

Afternoon session: 2 PM to 4 PM

Evening session: 6 PM to 8 PM

For more information or to RSVP, please contact Mike Hausser, Manager of Public Works, Huron County (email: mhausser@huroncounty.ca phone: 519-24-8394 ext. 3504) or Lisa Courtney, Planner at BMROSS (email: lcourtney@bmross.net phone: 519-524-2641).

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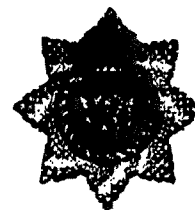
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Please see attached invitation for the 40th Annual Review of 2967 Brussels Army Cadets.

Thank you,



Paul Dawson
Captain
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*The Staff and Cadets of 2967 Brussels Army Cadet Corps
Request the Pleasure of Your Company at the*

40th Annual Review

*With Reviewing Officer
Captain (Retired) Geordie Palmer, CD*

*On Tuesday, the Forth of June,
Two-Thousand and Nineteen at 1900hrs
(guests to be seated at 18:45hrs)*

*At the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 218,
620 Turnberry Street, Brussels*

Refreshments to Follow

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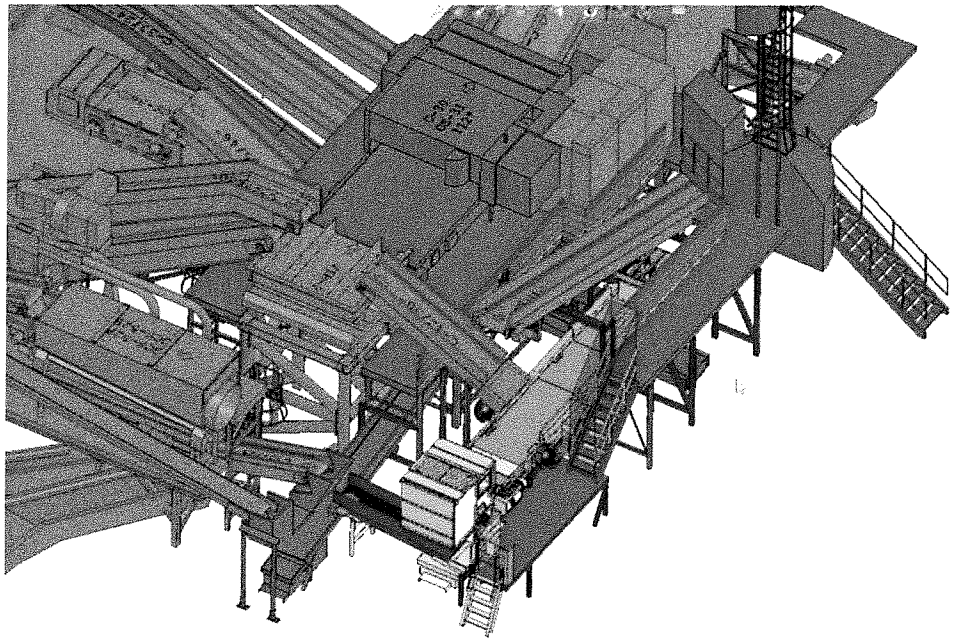
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Board of Directors Meeting Highlights
Held on April 18, 2019 at 5:00 AM
at the Material Recovery Facility Board Room



Association Ready for Another Upgrade in Material Recovery Facility

For about 10 days in May, the Association will upgrade its processing facility with the addition of a fourth optical sorter and some additional peripheral equipment to continue to improve its quality standards and recovery in light of recent changes in the industry. Collection will be uninterrupted during the shutdown so the changes will be seamless to our customers.



Stratford Chooses Association for Blue Box Recyclable Materials Processing

The City currently has a contract with Bluewater Recycling Association for the processing of blue box materials that expires at the end of April 2019. Three processing contractors expressed an interest in responding to the RFP. Our fee submitted for the processing of recycled materials was \$185 per tonne an increase of \$95 per tonne.

In addition to the increased fee, there will also be an elimination of certain materials that are difficult to process and are of little value in the commodity market; Cartons, Aluminum Foil, Aerosol Containers, Paint Cans, Beverage Cups, Small Items (anything below a certain size, 75mm (3 inches).

China To Cut 'Waste' Imports To Zero In 2020

China aims to cut "solid waste" imports to zero by next year as it seeks to reduce pollution and encourage recyclers to manage the increasing volumes of domestic trash. "Solid waste" imports to China already have been decreasing. According to MEE reports, China imported about 22.6 million metric tons of solid waste in 2018, which is down 47 percent compared with 2017 import levels.

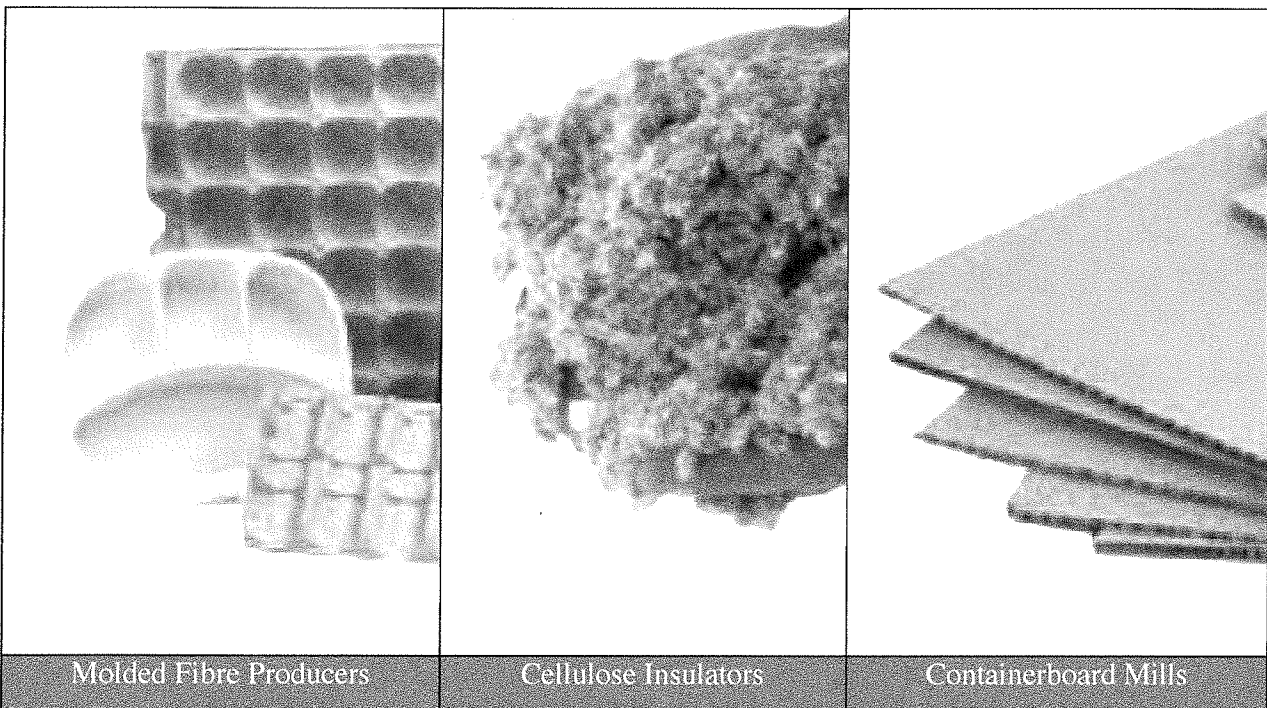
Trash is one of China's biggest challenges as the nation faces a solid waste treatment backlog of about 60 to 70 billion metric tonnes. China has also launched a scheme to create "waste-free cities" and is building "comprehensive recycling bases" across the country.

Assessing Domestic Capacity to Consume Fibres from Ontario Blue Box Program

These recent changes in export market conditions prompted the CIF to request ReMM to conduct a study on the available domestic capacity for Ontario's fibre, and identify the challenges and opportunities for Ontario municipalities to access existing or new fibre capacity.

With the closure of North American newsprint mills during the past fifteen years, there has been a high dependency on the Chinese newsprint mills to consume North American curbside fibre. However, with the recent Chinese export restrictions, North American end markets have indicated that they will begin using higher amounts of curbside fibre in their mills. Chinese owned companies are also actively investing in North American mill capacity to recycle domestic fibre and produce pulp and paper products to export to China.

ReMM identified three primary North American end market sectors that generally consume Ontario's curbside fibre:



Containerboard mills provide the largest market for Ontario's curbside fibre while the cellulose industry and the molded fibre industries provide smaller niche markets for Ontario's fibre as summarized in Table 1.

The research findings also suggest that there are approximately 2.5 million tonnes of new processing capacity scheduled to be developed within the next three years. The reader is, however, cautioned that commitment to development of this additional capacity will be subject to continued favourable market conditions

The following table summarizes the reported capacity as well as the forecasted future capacity at mills that may impact the domestic markets for fibre collected in Ontario's Blue Box Program:

Table 1: Current and Future Capacity for Ontario's Curbside Fibre

End Market	END PRODUCT	ANNUAL CAPACITY (MT)
Molded Fibre	Fast food trays, egg cartons	87,900
Cellulose Insulation	Cellulose Insulation	89,800
Containerboard	Linerboard, medium, boxboard	5,742,038
Future Capacity		2,487,000
Total		8,441,160

The quality restrictions imposed by China continued throughout 2018 and are expected to remain in place for 2019. Other countries (e.g. Taiwan, Indonesia) also imposed quality restrictions to prevent North American low-quality fibre materials from entering their countries.

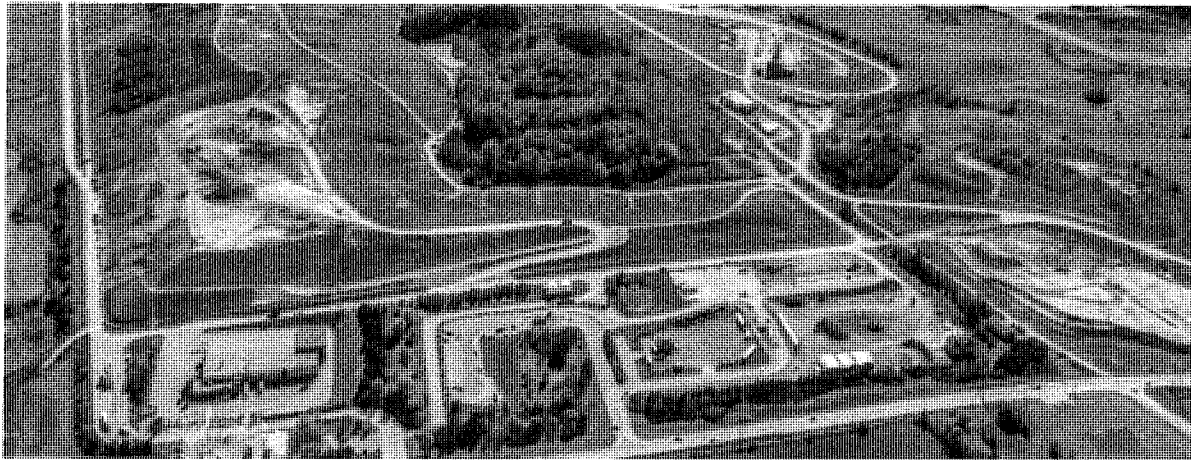
However, in January 2019, the Chinese government approved a larger volume (5.5 million tonnes) of recovered paper fibre to be imported in early 2019 compared to 2018 (2.5 million tonnes). This could suggest higher OCC and recovered fibre imports into China in 2019. While there are additional permits increasing the amount of foreign fibre into China, the quality restrictions remain in force.

Lessons Learned and Future Considerations

The key lessons learned for Ontario municipalities are:

1. To minimize dependency on export markets as additional North American capacity is implemented. It is also important to determine whether the financial benefits of exporting fibre outweigh the potential costs of downgrades and/or rejections.
2. To work with collection and MRF processors to focus on producing fibre that meets the quality specifications defined by domestic and export end markets.
3. There is sufficient domestic capacity but end markets often have contracts or long-term relationships in place so Ontario municipalities may need to displace existing suppliers by either accepting a lower price or producing higher quality fibre.
4. Consider China's National Sword and Blue Sky initiatives as an exercise to determine the benchmark quality and value of your material and develop an appropriate action plan.
5. Consider the value of long term relationships vs spot market pricing.
6. While fibre markets continue to rebound, there continues to be pressure from all end markets for MRF's to produce material that complies with specifications, contains minimal contamination and allows end markets to maximize their yield. Therefore, moving forward, Ontario municipalities should consider:
7. Investing in innovative technology upgrades to produce higher quality fibre.
8. Evaluating the feasibility of a centralized clean-up system for Ontario's curbside fibre to ease the burden on individual municipalities.
9. Focusing on approaches to access domestic end markets.
10. Staying informed about challenges and opportunities related to fibre end markets.

Federal Grants To Boost LFG Collection At Calgary, Regina, And Waterloo Landfills



The federal government recently provided grants to three municipal landfills in an effort to reduce methane emissions from all three. The money for the operational improvements at the landfills come from the federal government's Low Carbon Economy Fund.

The \$2 billion Low Carbon Economy Fund (LCEF) is a part of the Pan-Canadian Framework on Clean Growth and Climate Change (the Framework). The Fund supports the Framework by leveraging investments in projects that will generate clean growth, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and help meet or exceed Canada's Paris Agreement commitments.

The Federal Government has committed up to \$5.9 million to help Calgary's Waste & Recycling Services reduce greenhouse gas emissions by expanding its landfill gas collection systems. The East Calgary Waste Management Facility will install new wells to collect landfill gas, distribution piping for wells, and mechanical and electrical upgrades to expand the volume of landfill gas collected.

LFG, which consists of methane and carbon dioxide (with trace amounts of other gases) gas is created as landfill waste decomposes in anaerobic conditions. The city's vertical extraction wells then collect and convert the gas to CO₂ by burning it off by a flare rather than seeping out into the atmosphere.

Martin Ortiz, performance operations leader for waste and recycling services, said methane is around 25 times more harmful to the environment than CO₂. He said the project will help reduce Calgary's greenhouse gas emissions by more than 630,000 tonnes of CO₂ over the lifetime of the system.

The City of Regina municipal landfill is to receive \$1.3 million in federal funding to pay for and expansion of its landfill gas (LFG) collection system. Greg Kuntz, Regina's manager of environmental services, said the money will be used to drill 30 new wells into the old landfill site.

The project is expected to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by up to 30 per percent. The goal of the project is to remove 30,000 tonnes of methane gas, the equivalent of taking 8,000 vehicles off the road a year.

The LFG to energy system was installed at the Regina Landfill in 2017 at a cost of approximately \$5 million. The City of Regina and SaskPower entered into a 20-year power purchase agreement at the time operations began. SaskPower handles the sales of electricity produced by the facility. The facility generates approximately \$1 million in revenue for the City annually.

The federal government is investing up to \$1.5 million, subject to a formal funding agreement, to help the Region of Waterloo increase gas collection efficiency at the Waterloo Landfill facility.

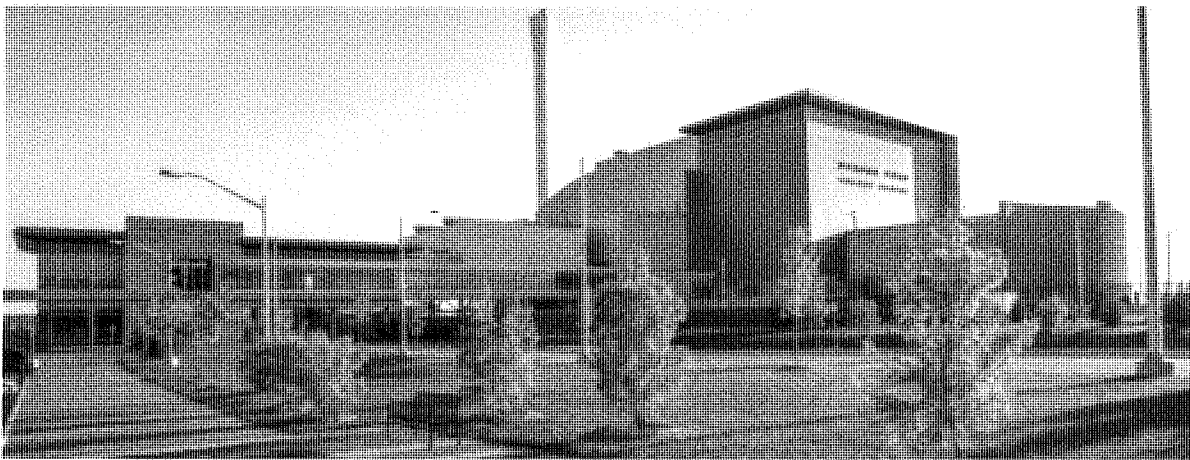
This investment will help expand the Region's existing landfill gas capture system, which prevents greenhouse gases like methane from being released into the air, and instead uses them to generate renewable energy. The new project will increase gas collection efficiency, further reduce carbon pollution, and increase the generation of renewable electricity at the Waterloo Landfill facility.

Capturing of additional landfill gas will result in additional gas flows and improved quality, which helps increase renewable electricity generation in the Region of Waterloo.



The Waterloo landfill opened in 1972. It consists of 71 hectares of dedicated landfill space which has a maximum capacity of 15 million tonnes of waste. The landfill is expected to reach capacity near 2030. The Region of Waterloo has already started researching future waste management options through its Waste Master Plan process.

Region of Durham To Expand Capacity of Covanta WTE Facility



Durham Regional Council recently voted to pursue an amendment the existing Environmental Certificate of Approval (ECA) for the York Durham Energy Centre (DYEC), also commonly referred to as the Covanta incinerator after the company that designed, built, and operates it. An application for an amendment to the ECA will be sought from the Ontario Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MOECP) to allow an increase the annual feedstock of municipal waste to increase to 160,000 tonnes from the current 140,000 tonnes.

According to documents present to Region Durham Council, the existing Waste-to-Energy facility would be able to accommodate the increased tonnage of waste with no requirement for physical expansion. A staff report presented to Council stated: "This interim solution could meet the waste management needs of Durham residents for an additional three to five years."

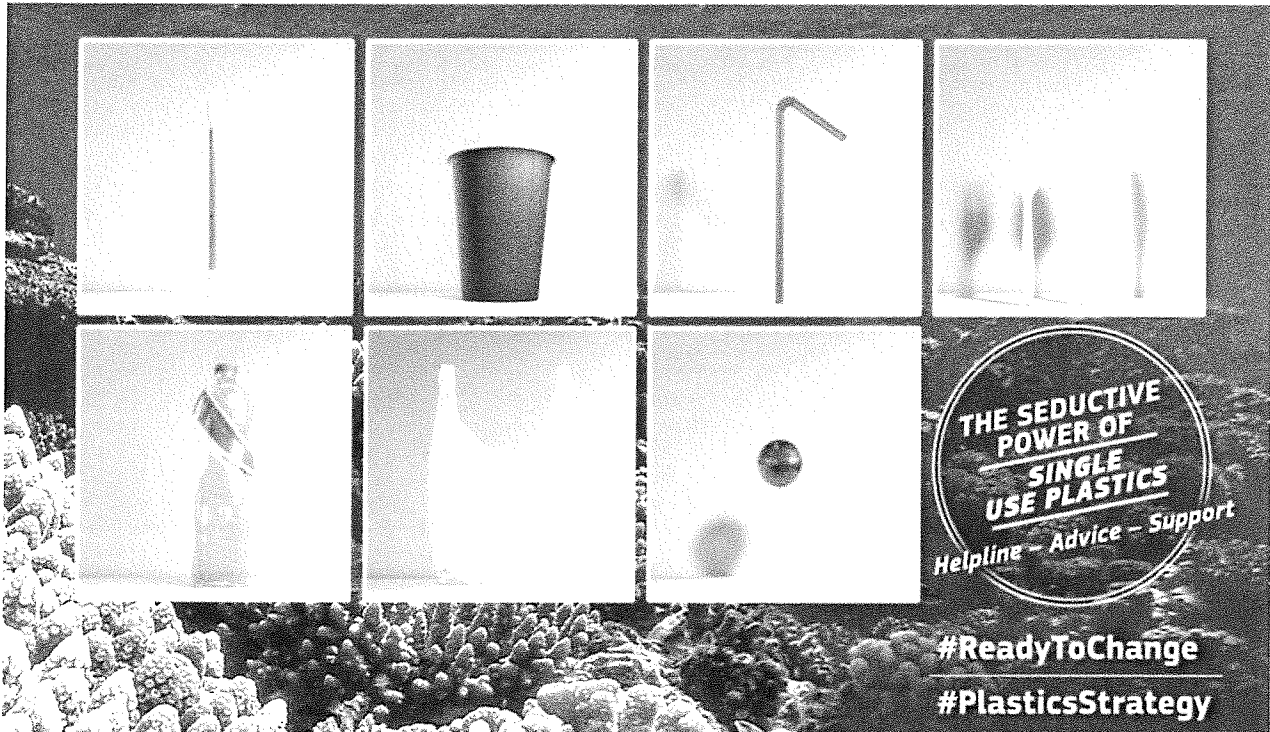
The staff report noted that increasing the capacity would save an estimated \$1.3 million in the first year and an additional \$2.1 million in future years, because of increased revenues from electricity and metals, as well as avoiding the cost for disposing of bypass waste to landfill.

If the province approves a 20,000 tonnes a year increase at the DYEC, Durham would get 15,000 tonnes of the extra capacity, while York Region would get the remaining 5,000 tonnes.

Europe Ban Of Single Use Plastics And Extends Extended Producer Responsibility Programs

The European Parliament recently agreed on the ambitious measures proposed by the European Commission to ban selected single-use products made of plastic as well as introduce extended producer responsibility (EPR) for new products.

The new rules are an attempt to lesson marine pollution by plastic and abandoned fishing gear and oxo-degradable plastics.



Once the rules are in place, cotton bud sticks, cutlery, plates, straws, stirrers, sticks for balloons that are made of plastic will be banned in the European Union (EU).

The new rules also ban cups, food and beverage containers made of expanded polystyrene and on all products made of oxo-degradable plastic. Oxo-degradable plastics are made of petroleum-based polymers(usually polyethylene (PE)) that contain additives (usually metal salts), which accelerate their degradation when exposed to heat and/or light. The argument for banning oxo-degradable plastics is that they are similar to conventional plastic materials but have artificial additives. They do not actually biodegrade but merely fragment into small pieces and potentially harm the environment and endanger recycling and composting operations.

While often confused with biodegradable plastics, oxo-degradables are a category unto themselves. They are neither a bioplastic nor a biodegradable plastic, but rather a conventional plastic mixed with an additive in order to imitate biodegradation.

Producers of cigarettes with filters (the filters are not biodegradable) will help cover the costs of waste management and clean-up. Producers of plastic fishing gear will be required to cover the costs of waste collection from port reception facilities and its transport and treatment. They will also cover the costs of awareness-raising measures. Producers will also be given incentives to develop less polluting alternatives for these products.

Single-use drinks containers made with plastic will only be allowed on the market if their caps and lids remain attached. Also, the diversion target for plastic bottles was set at 90% by 2025. One method to achieve the high diversion rate is deposit refund schemes. The rules on Single-Use Plastics items and fishing gear, addressing the ten most found items on EU beaches place the EU at the forefront of the global fight against marine litter. They are part of the EU Plastics Strategy – the most comprehensive strategy in the world adopting a material-specific lifecycle approach with the vision and objectives to have all plastic packaging placed on the EU market as reusable or recyclable by 2030. The Single-Use Plastics Directive adopted by the European Parliament today is an essential element of the Commission’s Circular Economy Action Plan as it stimulates the production and use of sustainable alternatives that avoid marine litter.

Vice-President Jyrki Katainen, responsible for jobs, growth, investment and competitiveness, added: “Once implemented, the new rules will not only prevent plastic pollution, but also make the European Union the world leader in a more sustainable plastic policy. The European Parliament has played an essential role in laying the foundation for this transformation and in giving a chance to the industry to innovate, thus driving forward our circular economy.”

A ban on selected single-use products made of plastic for which alternatives exist on the market: cotton bud sticks, cutlery, plates, straws, stirrers, sticks for balloons, as well as cups, food and beverage containers made of expanded polystyrene and on all products made of oxo-degradable plastic.

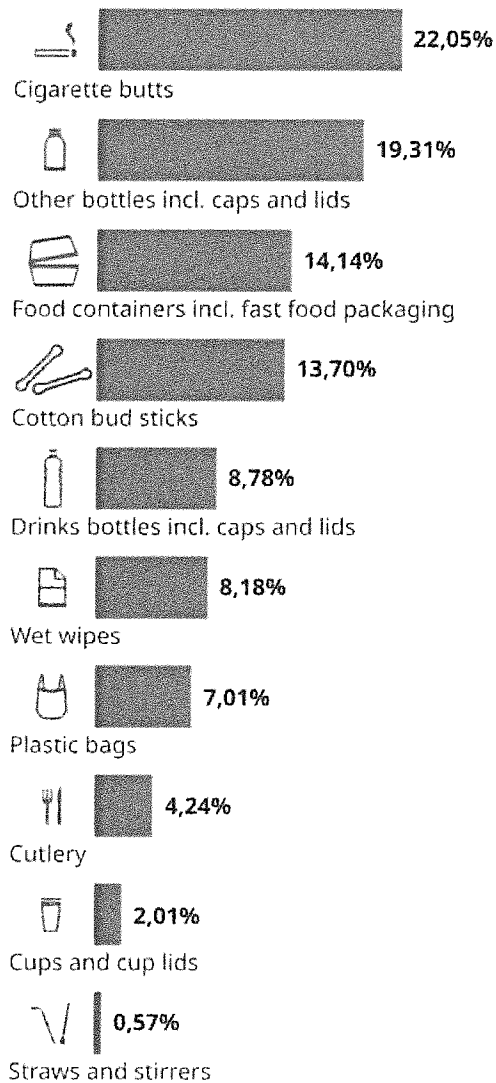
Measures to reduce consumption of food containers and beverage cups made of plastic and specific marking and labelling of certain products.

Extended Producer Responsibility schemes covering the cost to clean-up litter, applied to products such as tobacco filters and fishing gear.

A 90% separate collection target for plastic bottles by 2029 (77% by 2025) and the introduction of design requirements to connect caps to bottles, as well as target to incorporate 25% of recycled plastic in PET bottles as from 2025 and 30% in all plastic bottles as from 2030.

Marine waste on European beaches

Single-use plastic items



Single-use plastic items account for 50 percent of marine litter

Commercialization Of A Recycling Technology For Polyesters

Eastman Chemical Company (NYSE:EMN), headquartered in Tennessee, recently announced its intention to pursue the launch of an innovative advanced circular recycling technology that uses polyester waste which cannot be recycled by current mechanical methods, and as a result, often ends up in landfills. Using the process of methanolysis, Eastman's advanced circular recycling technology breaks down polyester-based products into their polymer building blocks. These building blocks can then be reintroduced

to the production of new polyester-based polymers, delivering a true circular solution.

Polyester is a manmade polymer that is a plastic. Polyester fabric is a synthetic fabric woven with threads made from polyester fibers. Polyester fibers are the product of a chemical reaction between coal, petroleum, air, and water. Not only is polyester derived from non-renewable

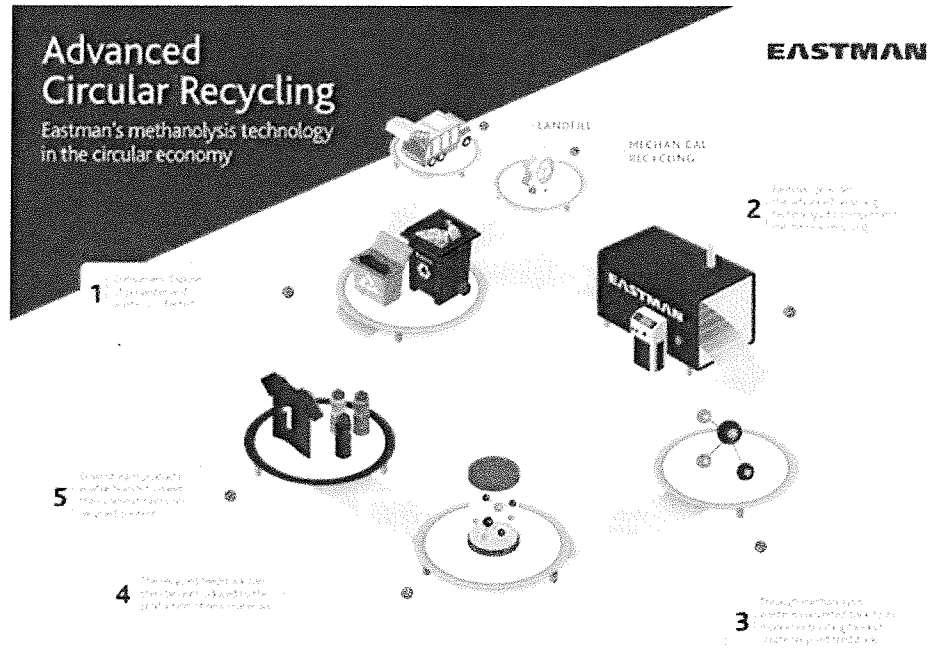
resources, but the process of extraction from fossil fuels yields a high carbon footprint and significant byproducts. Once it has reached the end of its product life and disposed of in a landfill, polyester fabric takes decades to break down.

Methanolysis is a chemical process in which the polyester waste is mixed with methanol under pressure and higher temperatures. The resulting chemical reaction results in high-quality polyesters.

Eastman was one of the pioneers in developing methanolysis technology at commercial scale and has more than three decades of expertise in this innovative recycling process. Eastman's experience with methanolysis makes it uniquely qualified to be a leader in delivering this solution at commercial scale. Advanced circular recycling technology can be an especially impactful solution, as low-quality polyester waste that would typically be diverted to landfills can instead be recycled into high-quality polyesters suitable for use in a variety of end markets, including food contact applications.

Eastman is currently executing an engineering feasibility study on the design and construction of a commercial scale methanolysis facility to meet the demands of our customers and has engaged in initial discussions with potential partners across the value chain on the development of such a facility. The goal is to be operating a full-scale, advanced circular recycling facility within 24 to 36 months.

Eastman is a global specialty materials company that produces a broad range of products. Eastman employs approximately 14,500 people around the world and serves customers in more than 100 countries. The company had 2018 revenues of approximately \$10 billion and is headquartered in Kingsport, Tennessee, USA.



British Columbians And Nova Scotians Are Canada's Best Recyclers

Nova Scotia might have the country's highest diversion rate as a province (44%) but British Columbians recycle more as individuals.

An analysis of the latest data from Statistics Canada shows that the average British Columbian diverted 377 kilograms of waste in 2016. That's 60 kilograms more than the average Nova Scotian and twice as much as people living in Saskatchewan. The average Canadian diverted 263 kilograms of waste, the equivalent of about one heavy (50 pound) suitcase a month.

The "waste" includes used paper, plastic, glass, metals, textiles, organics (food scraps), electronics, tires, white goods such as fridges and appliances, and construction, renovation and demolition materials like wood, drywall, doors, windows and wiring.

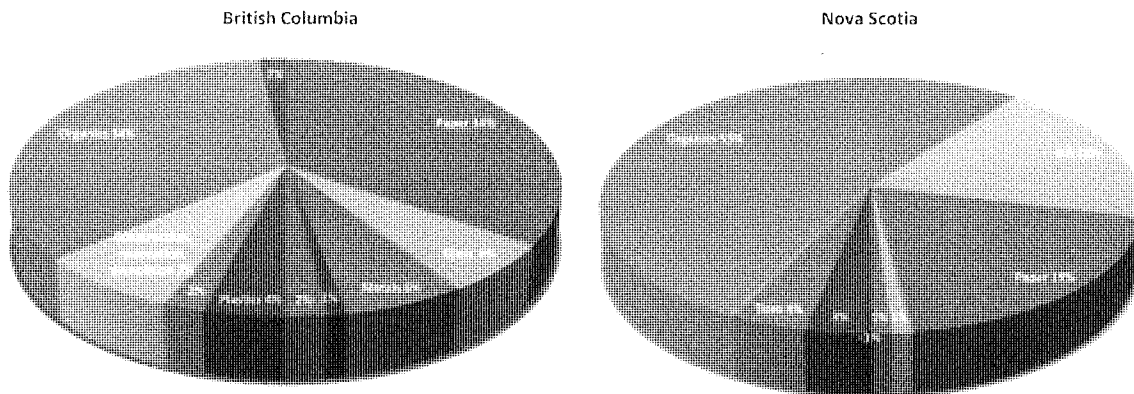
There are some interesting differences between Canada's two waste diversion leaders. Nova Scotia's population is quite concentrated within a relatively small area compared to British Columbia, which would seem to give the waste diversion advantage to Nova Scotia. BC's recycling results, on the other hand, are spread more broadly and thus less reliant on major tonnage diversion coming from just one or two material streams.

For example, while paper and organics are the major material streams diverted in each province, there's a marked difference in their relative contribution to the provincial total. In British Columbia, paper recycling and organics diversion represent about one-third of the total each. But in Nova Scotia, organics recovery alone is responsible for over half (53%) of the province's resulting diversion. Without that substantial diversion of organics, Nova Scotia would slip down the provincial rankings.

The data thus indicate opportunities for improvement as well: for BC to boost its organics diversion (it's currently ranked third behind Nova Scotia and New Brunswick in organics diversion per person) and for Nova Scotia to focus more attention on collecting materials other than organics (for example, it's ranked sixth out of the eight reporting provinces in diverting paper).

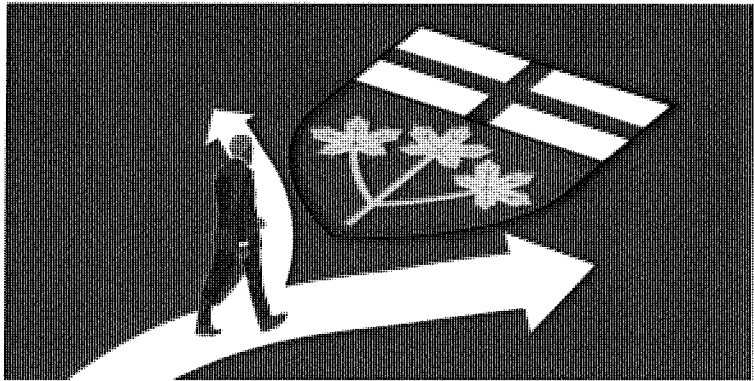
Of course, better data, particularly on the industrial, commercial and institutional (IC & I) side would help. We believe that the diversion of paper in Nova Scotia is significantly higher than the Statistics Canada numbers indicate.

What Canada's two best recycling provinces are diverting from waste



A Turning Point or More of the Same? Ontario's Fiscal Choices in Budget 2019

As the Ford government approaches its first full budget, it must decide how to confront the \$13.6 billion deficit it faces, as well as the stock of public debt forecasted to reach \$346 billion this year. There is nothing new about Ontario's difficult fiscal circumstances—the province has been running budget deficits for over a full decade. The question to be answered in this year's budget is whether the new government will employ a similar fiscal strategy as its predecessors or, instead, chart a new path that can help bring fiscal sustainability and prosperity to Ontario.



Why have recent deficit elimination efforts been unsuccessful? In recent years, the provincial government has employed a passive and slow approach to deficit reduction. The strategy has consistently been to slightly moderate spending growth while hoping for revenue growth (partly from tax increases) to grow quickly enough to shrink the deficit over time.

This approach has not been successful. Ontario has remained in a deficit position for the past decade. Public debt has climbed rapidly and the provincial economy has been undermined by elevated tax rates. As the 2019/20 budget approaches, the new government must decide whether to take a similar approach to its predecessors, or take a fundamentally different approach to deficit reduction and tax relief such as has been employed successfully in other jurisdictions across Canada in recent history.

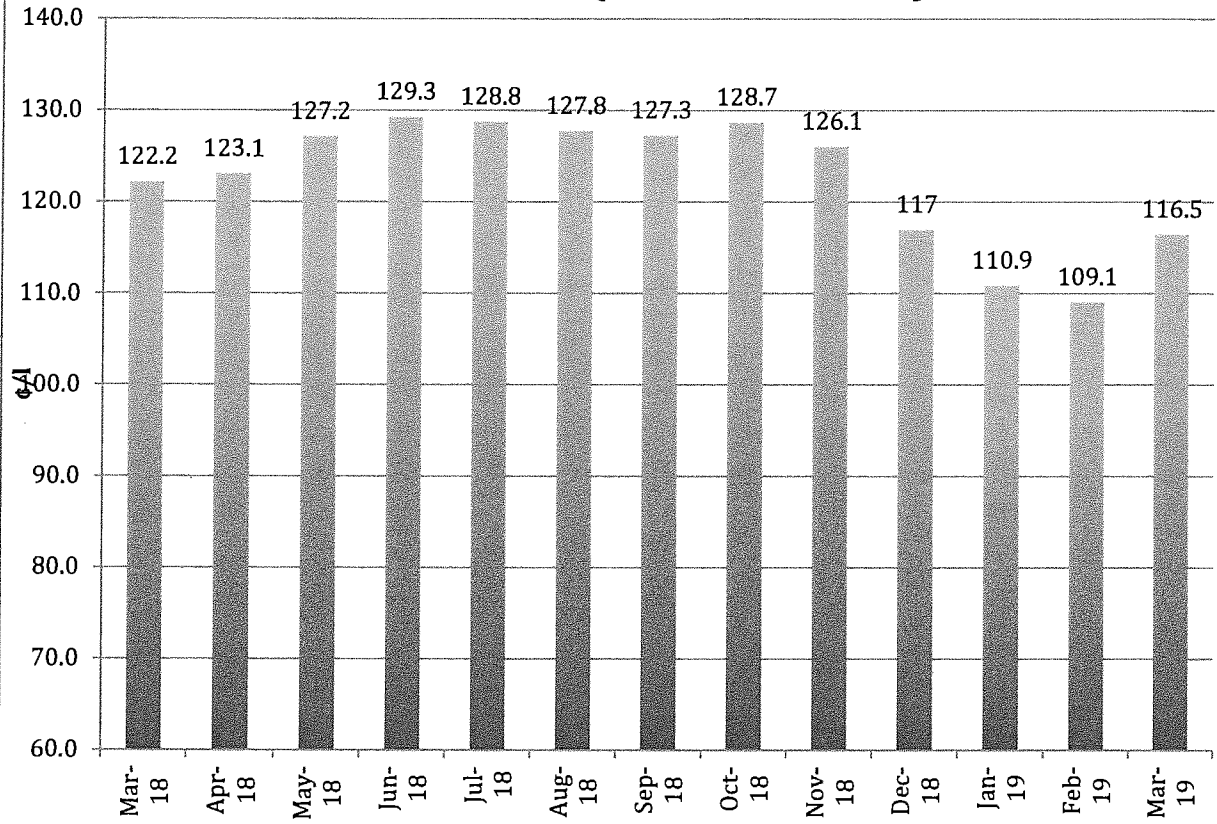
In the 1990s, governments of all political stripes across the country were able to eliminate large deficits by moving decisively on spending—reforming and reducing expenditures in nominal terms to eliminate the deficit over a 2–3 year period, while creating the fiscal room for substantial and badly needed tax relief. We calculate the extent of spending restraint or reductions that would be needed over the next two years for Ontario to return to a balanced budget, while also considering what would be needed to create fiscal room for substantial tax relief.

We find that achieving a balanced budget over the next two years without any tax relief is a singularly unambitious objective. It could, in fact, essentially be achieved by holding nominal spending flat over the next two years.

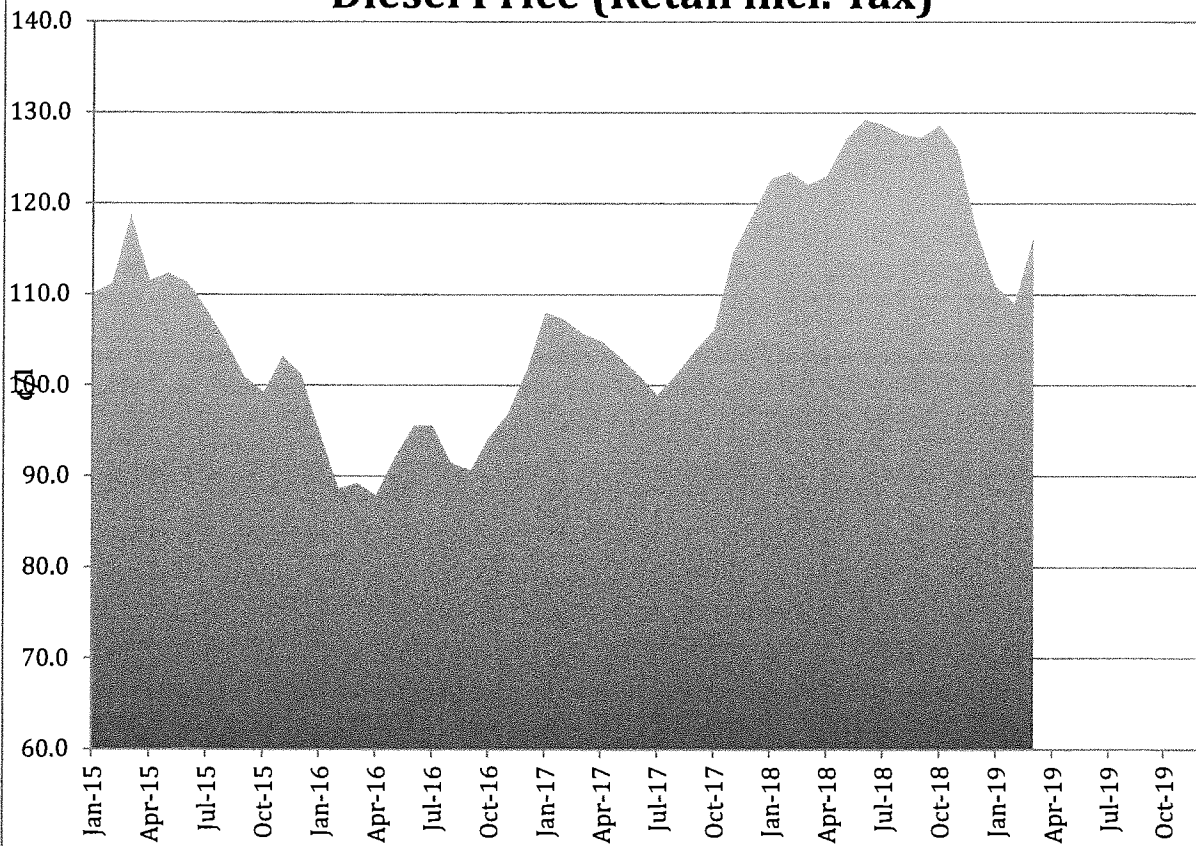
Achieving a balanced budget on this timeline while introducing tax relief would require a more ambitious approach to expenditure reduction. For instance, to reach a balanced budget while moving to a single-rate personal income tax and corporate income tax rate of 10 percent (such as prevailed in Alberta from the mid-1990s until 2015), Ontario would need to reduce nominal program spending by 7.8 percent over the next two years. To go further still and build one of the most pro-growth tax regimes in North America by adopting a single-rate personal and corporate income tax of 8 percent, an aggregate program spending reduction of 9.8 percent would be necessary.

Any of these approaches would mean substantially less debt for Ontario taxpayers compared to a slow approach to deficit reduction such as has prevailed in recent years. Indeed, we show that the most ambitious approach to deficit reduction described above would result in \$14.8 billion less new operating debt for Ontarians over the next two years alone, while also lightening the tax burden on businesses and residents. This would mean a smaller debt burden and lower debt interest payments for Ontarians today, as well as future generations.

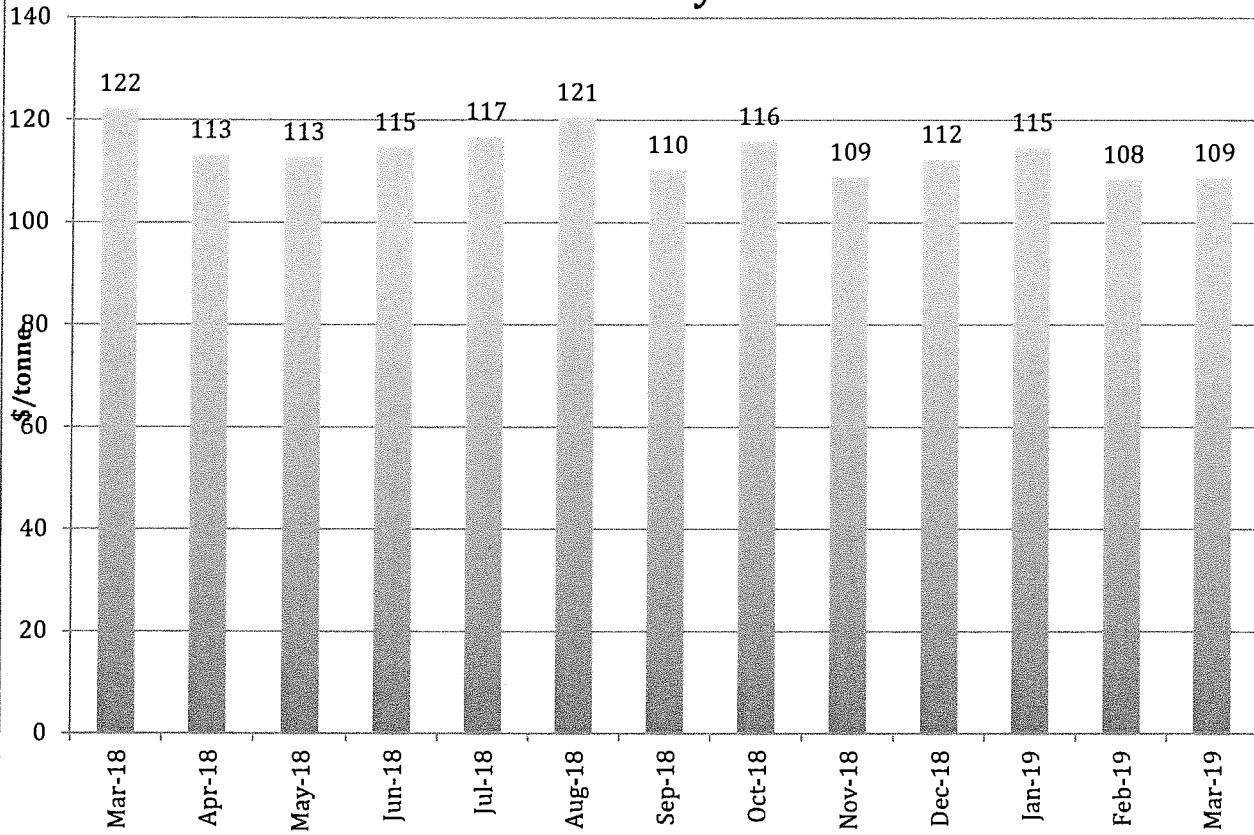
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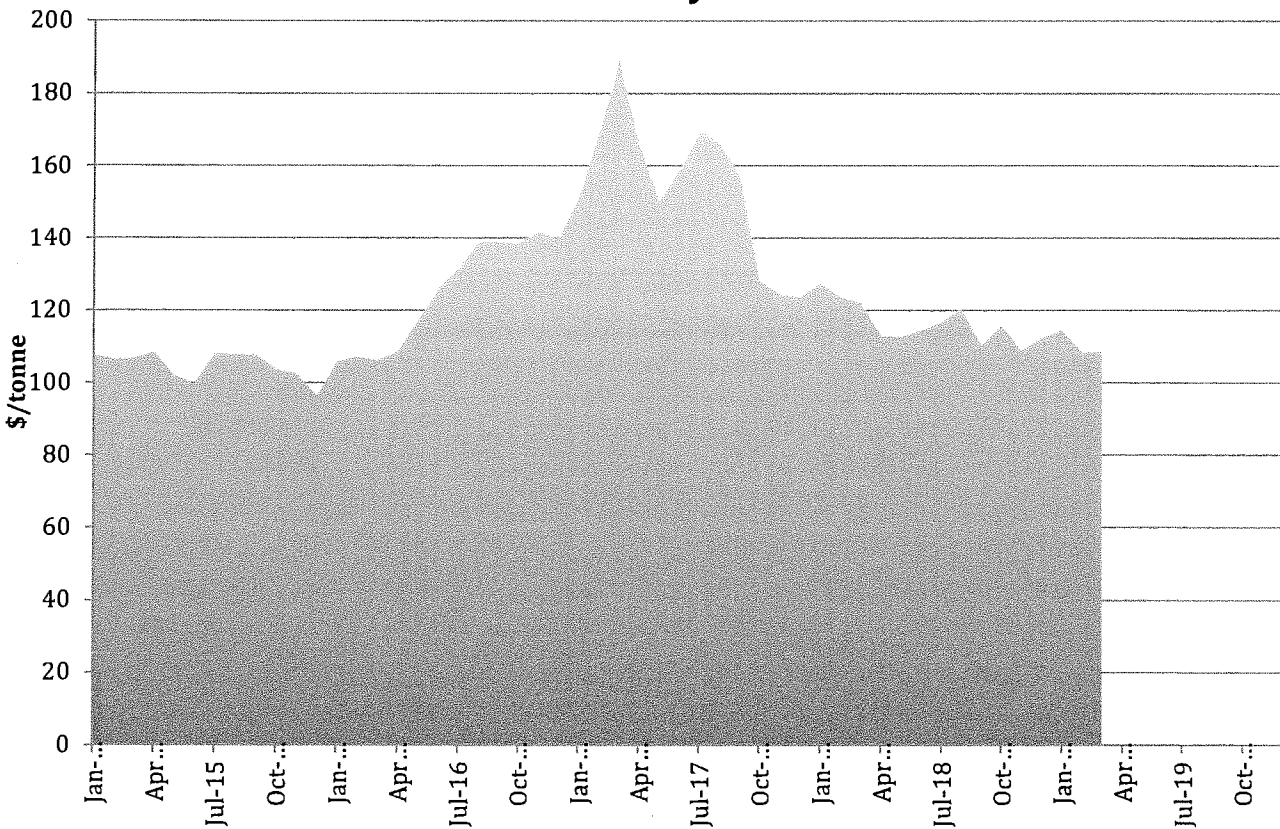
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April 18, 2019

AMCTO Advocacy Win: Elections Ontario Recommends Changes to the Voters' List

We are writing today to share some good news on one of our key advocacy files: the Voters' List.

As many of you are aware, this is a file that has dominated AMCTO advocacy efforts since at least 2004. In fact, our members have made it clear in post-election surveys that this issue, more than any other, drives their concerns about the accuracy and integrity of the municipal voters' list.

AMCTO's position is that the existing processes for creating, maintaining, and amending the information for the municipal voters' list are not working. Following the 2014 municipal election, the previous government heard our message, created a confidential working group under then-Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing Ted McMeekin, and implemented some minor tweaks to the voters' list. While AMCTO welcomed those changes, we continued to advocate for transformational change.

After the 2018 municipal election, Elections Ontario engaged AMCTO to determine what sort of changes we were seeking. Today, Elections Ontario has tabled its report on the municipal Voters' List, which includes recommendations to:

- establish a single address authority to standardize addressing across Ontario and improve services that rely on address information;
- make Elections Ontario responsible for municipal voters lists to increase consistency and accuracy between voters list; and
- change election day to a day when school is not in session to provide easier access to schools as voting locations, while enhancing the safety and security of school children.

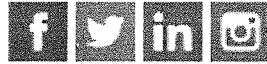
AMCTO is pleased that Ontario's Chief Electoral Officer has seen the value of AMCTO's position and that our advocacy efforts have resulted in his support and the formal recommendations he has put to the Ontario Legislature.

We plan to work closely with Elections Ontario so that they can leverage the expertise of our members. As we often remind Ministers, MPPs, and other government officials, AMCTO's members ensure the integrity of municipal

elections and are critical to this process.

We look forward to continuing our work with Elections Ontario and the provincial government and moving forward on this file. In the meantime, we will be sharing our support for this proposed change with the provincial government, MPPs, and other key stakeholders.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Rick Johal – Director, Member and Sector Relations by email (rjohal@amcto.com) or by phone (905-602-4294 x232).



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MISSISSAUGA, ON, April 18, 2019 /CNW/ - AMCTO (The Association of Municipal Managers, Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario) today applauded the report tabled by Ontario's Chief Electoral Officer, Greg Essensa *Modernizing Ontario's Electoral Process*, which includes 13 transformational recommendations to improve the municipal voters' list and enhance the electoral process in Ontario, a key advocacy priority for AMCTO due to its impact on election administration and the integrity of the election process.

AMCTO's long-standing position is that the existing processes for creating, maintaining, and amending the information on the municipal voters' list have not addressed the reality that every four years municipalities are provided with a deeply flawed list of electors. The feeling of many voters as well as AMCTO's members, who administer municipal elections, is that the voters' list in Ontario is plagued by inaccuracies, and remains a constant source of frustration.

Following the 2014 municipal elections, AMCTO released its position paper - *Time to Fix the Voter's List* - to advocate for a new approach to building the voters' list in Ontario. The report was shared with the previous provincial government, which

responded by engaging in discussions with key stakeholders, including AMCTO, at the behest of then-Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Ted McMeekin. As a result, some minor tweaks to the voter's list were implemented ahead of the 2018 municipal elections. While AMCTO welcomed those changes, the association continued to advocate for more fulsome changes.

In today's report, the Chief Electoral Officer makes 13 recommends, including several positions advocated by AMCTO and its members, including:

- *Establishing a single address authority to standardize addressing across Ontario and improve services that rely on address information;*
- *Make Elections Ontario responsible for municipal voters lists to increase consistency and accuracy between voters list; and*
- *Change election day to a day when school is not in session to provide easier access to schools as voting locations, while enhancing the safety and security of school children."*

"AMCTO is pleased that the Chief Electoral Officer has seen the value of our position and that our advocacy efforts have garnered his support," said Dylan McMahon, Chair of the AMCTO Legislation and Policy Committee. "Since 2004, AMCTO has been working towards transformational change on the voters' list and the electoral process, to help Ontario's local government professionals better manage the more than 400 local elections held every four years. We look forward to working with the provincial government, MPPs, and other key stakeholders to implement meaningful changes that will improve the ways in which we ensure inclusivity around a fundamental democratic right."

With approximately 2,200 members working in 98% of Ontario municipalities, AMCTO is Canada's largest voluntary association of local government professionals. AMCTO's membership includes municipal Clerks who serve as the chief electoral officers in their respective communities, and are charged with ensuring the integrity of municipal elections.

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April 24, 2019

Budget Update: Provincial In-Year Funding Reductions

Several provincial funding reductions and items of municipal interest happened late last week and we wanted you to be aware of them. Not all had media or social media coverage.

This update shares the information we have and we will continue to update you. We would encourage CAOs/ City Managers to share this with your staff as our database may not include them.

Public Health Funding Reductions and Re-Structuring

Overall, municipal service providers will see fiscal impacts starting immediately. The Province will be reducing the current cost-sharing arrangement over three years beginning this year. The following changes to the provincial-municipal cost sharing have been shared with Boards of Health:

2019-20*– 60:40 for Toronto; 70:30 for all other public health units

*As of April 1, 2019

2020-21 - 60:40 for Toronto; 70:30 for other public health units

2021-22 - 50:50 for Toronto;
60:40 for 6 regions with population greater than 1 million;
70:30 for 3 regions with a population less than 1 million
(10 regional entities).

The government has not formally communicated this change in cost sharing to public health units. The Budget committed the government to re-structure public health units from 35 down to 10 autonomous agencies. This is expected to save "\$200 million a year by 2021-22."

It was said that service level expectations are to be maintained. The province is encouraging public health units to look for administrative efficiencies, rather than front-line cuts. However, this will be challenging as the majority of a public health unit's budget is linked to staff costs. The province will consider one-time funding to help mitigate impacts and consider a waiver for Ontario Public Health Standards expectations on a board-by-board basis.

Municipal governments have always been vulnerable to rising costs as under the *Health Promotion and Protection Act* since 1997, municipalities are legally responsible for 100% of public health costs. It is only a matter of policy that the provincial government has shared the cost of public health at a level of 75% provincial and 25% municipal. However in reality, the municipal cost share is much higher than the mandated 25%.

According to media reports, the ministry is characterizing the changes as, "strengthening the role of municipalities in the delivery of public health". AMO and its members are eager to understand what this means and are awaiting discussions.

Ambulance (EMS)

Although there is no new information to share from our April 16th update, we wanted to remind members that in terms of any restructuring of paramedics services, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care has committed to work directly with AMO and others. The next steps are not available as yet.

Policing Grants

The Ministry of the Solicitor General has announced changes to policing grants. All existing grants will be combined into the new Community Safety and Policing Grant starting now. While AMO has been told the total funding envelope will remain the same, two significant factors may dilute the distribution of these funds to municipal services. It would appear the OPP is now eligible to apply for grants (previously the OPP was ineligible). There have not been any meaningful discussions with the Ministry on the issue of grant criteria. It is not clear how these dollars will be distributed. For over a decade, the provincial government has helped to fund the addition of over 2,000 front-line officers and a portion of their salaries.

AMO has been seeking provincial support for newly legislated costs including mandatory police service board training and mandatory municipal community safety and wellbeing planning. The Ministry's grant announcement is silent on these issues. In addition, a high degree of uncertainty exists with respect to provincial funding for animal cruelty enforcement. Recent animal enforcement changes are putting pressure on policing services and new additional costs.

Guns and Gangs

With respect to the Guns and Gangs funding program, the City of Toronto received \$25 million in 2018 and the City of Ottawa is receiving \$2 million in 2019, and an additional \$16.4 million funding over two years will help other centres throughout Ontario. In addition, other initiatives relate to:

- Establishing a provincial Guns and Gangs Support Unit to assist local police officers
- A dedicated Gun and Gang Specialized Investigations Fund to support joint forces operations targeting the organized crime areas that fuel gang operations, such as drug, gun and human trafficking, and provide intelligence analysis; and
- Protecting the most vulnerable people with the highest risk of experiencing gun and gang violence and victimization.

Ontario Library Services

The Southern Ontario Library Service and the Ontario Library Service-North now face a 50% in-year funding cut for 2019/2020. As this is significant, interlibrary loans across Ontario are discontinued. This impacts the 325+ communities and First Nation communities directly supported by these agencies. Many of these are smaller communities located in rural and northern Ontario, losing access to books and supports available elsewhere. While the 2019 Ontario Budget maintains provincial funding levels for local libraries, provincial funding for municipal libraries has been frozen for the last 20 years.

Child Care and Early Years

While not announced in the Budget, municipal governments and District Social Service Administration Boards (DSSABs) that are designated as Service System Managers for childcare and early years programming have now received formal notification from the Ministry of Education about changes to cost sharing arrangements and administration funding.

Starting in April 2019, all service managers will be required to cost-share the operating portion of Expansion Plan funding for new child care spaces by contributing 20% municipal funding in order to access the provincial funds. The Expansion Plan funding envelope is \$216 million. A 20% potential share of this is \$43.2 million. Separate from the Expansion Plan, the province has directed a new administrative cost sharing arrangement, which reduces the amount that can be spent on administration from 10% to 5%. This will have some immediate municipal financial impacts if efficiencies are not found.

Conservation Authorities

Conservation Authorities (CA) will see a \$3.7 million (50%) annual cut from the annual \$7.4 million transfer payment from the Hazard Program. This funding is used by Conservation Authorities for:

- Forecasting flooding and issue warnings
- Monitoring streamflow, rainfall and snow packs
- Floodplain mapping
- Providing planning support and advice to the Province, municipalities and the federal government to minimize flood impacts
- Regulating development activities in floodplains

- Contributing to municipal emergency planning and preparedness activities as well as recovery activities
- Informing and educating the public about flooding
- Protecting, restoring and rehabilitating natural cover that contributes to reducing the impacts of flooding

The impact of the cuts will be experienced differently by each Conservation Authority (CA). For a few, the financial loss does not represent a large proportion of their budgets. For the smaller Conservation Authorities, it will have a significant impact on the hazard related services. For all, it is an in-year financial impact. How CAs will address this loss of funding has yet to be determined. We also do not know if this funding reduction will result in insurance rate increases for CAs.

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April 16, 2019

AMO's Deeper Look at the 2019 Provincial Budget

This is the second installment of AMO's Budget Analysis. AMO President Jamie McGarvey provided his initial overall reaction in this [video](#). In case you missed it, please see AMO's first installment of Budget Analysis, [Budget Day Highlights](#).

This installment covers:

- (A) Areas of concern
- (B) Areas where discussion work is to occur (i.e. provincial reviews)
- (C) Matters of broad municipal interest

It also identifies "new" initiatives/policies and "status updates" for others.

The Minister of Finance, the Honourable Vic Fedeli on an April 12th live radio show, said that all provincial ministries were reducing their Budgets by 4% and some up to 8% due to administrative efficiencies, including technology use. He stated that he expected municipalities to also find 4% efficiencies. This could be seen to be connected to the recent provincial announcement of a one-time \$200 million to 405 municipal governments to modernize service delivery and efficiency.

A. Matters of Concern to AMO and Municipal Governments


Ambulance (EMS)- new

Land ambulance dispatch services will be streamlined by integrating Ontario's 59 emergency health services operators (e.g. 52 EMS, 6 First Nations, Ornge) and 22 provincial dispatch communication centres. Municipal governments have called for years for improvements to the paramedic dispatch system for which the province has 100% funding responsibility. The government will be exploring new models of care and delivery for emergency health services to improve care for patients and reduce duplication so not every ambulance is sent to an emergency department.

In terms of any restructuring of paramedics services, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care has committed to work directly alongside its municipal partners, including AMO, under the MOU. It will involve working groups having meaningful discussions about protecting and enhancing emergency support services across Ontario. We

expect these working groups to begin shortly and will work with the ministry to communicate as appropriate.

Conservation Authorities - new

Conservation Authorities (CA) were told on April 12th that \$3.7 million (50%) is to be cut from the annual \$7.4 million transfer payment from the Hazard Program this year. This looks like a 2019 in-year financial impact on conservation authorities. 

The Hazard Program protects life and property from natural *hazards, such as flooding and erosion*. It would appear that this action is an outcome of the provincial multi-year line by line financial review and was identified as “administrative savings”.

In addition, the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF) is consulting on a proposal to streamline and focus conservation authorities' role in development permitting and municipal plan review. For more information, visit Environmental Registry [013-4992](https://www.ontario.ca/govt/013-4992). This consultation will end on May 21, 2019.

AMO is discussing these matters with Conservation Ontario and seeking more information from MNRF. With increases in weather events, pressure for fill/development in floodplains and wetlands, this a direct cut to a provincial program that protects people and property. AMO feels this requires more discussion.

Infrastructure- status update

The Ontario Government's infrastructure fiscal plan forecasts \$144 billion over 10 years.

(i) Transit- new

The government is committing to municipal transit infrastructure funding including:

- \$1.2 billion for Ottawa LRT
- \$1 billion for Hamilton LRT
- It will use \$4.2 billion from the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Plan (ICIP) as part of the federal contribution to transit in Toronto to fund a new subway
- \$2.25 billion in Ontario's federal Green Infrastructure Stream will also be directed toward Toronto/GTHA subways
- The province is committed to creating plans for regional transportation in Southwestern and Northern Ontario with the SW plan coming in Fall 2019.

(ii) Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) – status update

OCIF provides assistance to communities less than 100,000 population. OCIF increased in phases starting in 2016 and among other matters, limited access to the application funding to those municipalities receiving less than \$2 million in formula funds annually.

2019 marks the year the OCIF program was to mature to \$300 million; (\$200 million in formula allocation and \$100 million in application funds). The OCIF formula

component did increase in 2019 to \$200 million. However, the government also cancelled the application funds for 2018 and 2019. This means \$200 million that would have been available is not accessible to smaller municipalities. The government will review the program. As a result, the government has declined to confirm formula allocation envelopes for future years. ✖

While no details are currently available regarding potential changes to the OCIF formula allocation, a reduced envelope is possible. This would diminish the amount of infrastructure support available from the province to municipal governments eligible for OCIF.

Public Health - new

The provincial government will:

- Improve program and back office efficiencies by adjusting provincial-municipal cost sharing of public health funding in 2019-20. The nature of this adjustment is not known yet.
- By 2020-21, establish 10 regional public health entities and 10 new regional boards of health with one common governance model (currently there are several board governance models, each with a local government approach that relates to performance and local accountability); and
- By 2021-22, the province anticipates that these changes will lead to annual savings of \$200 million. If this is provincial savings, the \$200 M represents a 26% reduction in the public health funding the province currently provides in this municipal – provincial cost shared program.
- There will also be modernization through regionalization of the public health laboratory system and a streamlining of Public Health Ontario.

In the Budget document, it is stated that: "the current structure of Ontario's public health units does not allow for consistent service delivery, could be better coordinated with the broader system and better aligned with current government priorities." It is our expectation that the ministry will look to AMO and the municipal/public health sector to work with them in confidence as to implementation matters related to the government's vision.

Under the current *Health Protection and Promotion Act* (s. 72), municipalities in a health unit are responsible for the costs of a health unit and the Medical Officer of Health in the performance of its legislated functions and duties. The Minister may make grants for the purposes of this Act on such conditions as he or she considers appropriate under (s. 76).

Provincial Gas Tax- update

The Province will not move forward on its campaign promise to increase the municipal share of the provincial gas tax funds from 2 cents/litre to 4 cents in 2021-22. ✖

Recently \$364 million (2019 envelope) was provided to 107 municipal public transit systems. This funding is for established systems only. The Province has committed to

consult with municipalities to review the program parameters and identify opportunities for improvement.

The outcome of the anticipated increase is \$364 million less to invest.

Property Assessment- new

The province will be conducting a review to explore opportunities to:

- “Enhance the accuracy and stability of property assessments;
- Support a competitive business environment;
- Provide relief to residents; and
- Change the composition of the Board of the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) to increase the representation of property taxpayers.” (This would dilute current municipal government representatives who are taxpayer representatives by virtue of being elected).

To date there is no additional information on this or how significant it will be.

Wastewater – new

As first indicated in the Made in Ontario Environment Plan, the government is targeting sewage overflows into Ontario water bodies. Municipalities will be required to provide real-time reporting of sewage outflows.

The Budget reiterates the commitment to work with Ontario municipalities to update policies surrounding reporting combined sewer overflows to the public in real time to inform them of water quality issues (impacting swimming, fishing, drinking water, etc.)

B. Provincial Consultations/Reviews of Municipal Interest– underway or about to start

Some have been announced previously – but are included here. This provides a snapshot of lots of municipal work.

1. Aggregates reform
2. Ambulance/Paramedic Services dispatch streamlining + integration
3. Animal Welfare- new legislation
4. Conservation Authorities Modernization and Sec. 28 review
5. Digital First Strategy
6. Environmental Assessment (EA) modernization
7. Housing
 - o Housing Supply Action Plan
 - o Community Housing Renewal Strategy
 - o National Housing Strategy Trilateral Coordination Forum
 - o Supportive Housing
8. Joint and Several Liability
9. Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund (OCIF) redesign
10. Ontario Energy Board (OEB) modernization
11. Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program

12. Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF)
13. *Planning Act* streamlining
14. *Police Services Act* – regulations including OPP boards
15. Provincial Gas Tax program
16. Property Assessment (MPAC) review
17. Public Health re-structuring
18. Reducing Litter and Waste
19. Reducing the Municipal Reporting Burden
20. Regional Review
21. Resource Revenue Sharing (northern communities)
22. Social Assistance Reform
23. Species at Risk
24. Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB)- operational review

C. Budget Items of Municipal Interest (Alpha ordered)

Includes elements of Bill 100, *Protecting What Matters Most Act* (Budget Measures), 2019 that may not have stood out in the budget paper.

Accessibility - new

\$1.3M over two years to implement the Rick Hansen Foundation Accessibility Certification™ program in selected communities across the province to improve accessibility, including in public buildings.

Alcohol - new

The Province will introduce legislation to permit municipal governments to designate public areas, such as parks for the consumption of alcohol. There are other alcohol reforms contained in the Budget such as the creation of a tailgating permit for eligible sporting events and extending hours of service in licensed establishments to a 9 am start, seven days a week.

***Liquor Licence Act* (Schedule 38) of Budget Bill**

- Amends the *Liquor Licence Act* to allow the council of a municipality, by by-law, to designate a public place where persons may have or consume liquor, subject to the regulations.
- Also expands the regulation-making powers of the Lieutenant Governor in Council.


Broadband - new

Provincial commitment of \$315 million over the next 5 years to support rural high speed broadband and cellular services in regional and “shovel ready” projects. At this point, we do not know the profile of the \$315 million over 5 years: criteria to access; what amount is in each year, or how this is to enable or leverage private funding for capital.

For reference, the recent federal Budget noted a federal investment of \$5 - 6 billion (including leveraged private investment) over 10 years for all of Canada. Of this, \$1.7 billion will be new funding, with an additional \$1 billion in financing to be made available through the Canada Infrastructure Bank.

Cannabis – status update

The Ontario Cannabis Store lost \$25 million in 2018-19 but is expected to turn a profit of \$10M, \$25M and \$40M in 2019-20 to 2021-22. Ontario took in \$17 million in cannabis excise tax in 2018-19 and is anticipating this to be between \$70-80M each year over the next 3 years.

If these projections are accurate, it means that there will be no additional cannabis funding to municipal governments for 2019-20 (beyond the current \$40 million), as the threshold of \$100 M of cannabis excise tax would not be reached. 

Child Care and Early Years- new

The new CARE (Ontario Childcare Access and Relief from Expenses) tax credit would provide about 300,000 families with up to 75 per cent of their eligible child care expenses and allow families to access a broad range of child care options, including care in centres, homes and camps. It remains to be determined how the tax credit will work with the existing funding and service delivery model including the provision of fee subsidies to low-income families and general operating grants given to operators to help keep fees down.

\$1 billion to create up to 30,000 child care spaces in schools, including approximately 10,000 spaces in new schools, over a five year period. Operating funding will be needed for these new spaces to ensure affordability for families.

Digital Services

Simpler, Faster, Better Services Act, 2019 (Schedule 56) of Budget Bill – new

- Would allow the province to make regulations that apply to municipal governments respecting digital services and the publication of data.
- Formalizes the position of the Chief Digital and Data Officer and requires this officer to provide the broader public sector and **municipal governments** with advice on: the collection, management and use of data; the use of common tools and digital platforms; the effective use of data in policy and program development; and the proactive publication of data.
- Require Ontario to develop a digital and data action plan and implement digital service standards. Ministries would be required to make all their datasets publically available for free or at a reasonable cost. The availability of these datasets should support municipal analysis and decision-making.


Education Property Tax - new and status update

Education Property Tax revenue is projected to increase at an average annual rate of 0.9% between 2018–19 and 2021–22. This is largely due to growth in the property assessment base resulting from new construction activities.

Regulatory amendments introduced March 29, 2019 have implemented restricted rate increases of 5% or \$300 per residential unit (whichever is greater) and a maximum yearly increase of 5% for non-residential rates.

Energy - status update

The Budget summarized the many provincial energy actions taken to date including: supporting natural gas expansion and general expansion of pipeline projects, reducing electricity costs, repealing the *Green Energy Act* and board changes at the OEB and Hydro One were among the highlights in the Budget.

It said that the global adjustment will be removed from electricity bills. Municipal governments should see this reduction on electricity bills once the Bill 87 (*Fixing the Fair Hydro Mess*) has passed later this legislative session. 

Environmental Assessment (EA) Act Modernization – new

The Budget notes the province will modernize the EA Act. Making infrastructure projects faster and providing a risk threshold/financial threshold for projects could reduce building time for many public works.

Fire Services

Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 (Schedule 29) of Budget Bill – new

- Amendments are made to strengthen and enable more effective and efficient enforcement of fire safety across Ontario. Changes are intended to reduce cost-related barriers fire departments may currently face;
- Changes the amounts of fines as penalties for certain offences and to create penalties for subsequent offences;
- Adds a limitation period for the prosecution of offences; and,
- Expands the power of the Fire Marshal, a fire chief or an assistant to the Fire Marshal to issue an order under Section 35 of the Act for payment of costs.

Guns and Gangs- new and status update

The City of Toronto received \$25 million in 2018 and the City of Ottawa is receiving \$2 million in 2019 under this program, and an additional \$16.4 million funding over two years will help other centres throughout Ontario. In addition, other initiatives relate to:

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Housing - status update

\$4 billion in combined federal and provincial funding over the next nine years through the National Housing Strategy Canada-Ontario bilateral agreement. This appears to commit to provincial cost matching of the agreement.

The Province has signaled an intent to negotiate and co-design the Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit with the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) to help address housing affordability.

Making home ownership and renting more affordable by helping to increase the supply of housing that people need through the forthcoming Housing Supply Action Plan. Details to come in a spring announcement.

Stabilizing and growing Ontario's community housing sector through a Community Housing Renewal Strategy. The intent is to make it more efficient, sustainable and easier to navigate for the people of Ontario and community housing providers. Specific details to come in an announcement in 2019.

Key elements of the strategy will include:

- Creating incentives for community housing providers.
- Simplifying rent-geared-to-income calculations.
- Streamlining and updating waitlist and eligibility rules.
- Addressing community safety concerns especially for the most vulnerable.

New - Undertaking a review to streamline and improve coordination of the more than 20 supportive housing programs. A portion of \$174 million in 2019–20 for mental health and addictions services will go toward supportive housing.

It is not known whether the Province will follow through on the previous government's multi-year plan to increase funding by \$15 million this year for the Community Homelessness Prevention Initiative (CHPI). The Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing will significantly reduce expenditures this year according to the Budget. This may affect funding levels for housing and homelessness programs administered by municipal service system managers.

The Budget did not indicate if the government is going to fund provincial homelessness and prevention programs at the same level as the previous year. We will look for further details.

Immigration Pilot Initiative + Changes to the Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program - new

The 2019 Ontario Budget includes a commitment to develop an immigration pilot initiative with select communities to explore innovative approaches to disperse the benefits of immigration to smaller communities in Ontario. This Budget commitment

responds to long-standing municipal economic development-related immigration asks. AMO will seek out more information to make sure the initiative reflects municipal priorities.

The Budget also indicates that changes are coming to the Ontario Immigration Nominee Program to enhance the program's capacity to respond to labour market shortages across the province. These changes include the creation of a new stream to attract highly skilled employees to the technology sector, changes to the in-demand skills stream expanding the eligible occupation list to include transport truck drivers and personal supports workers, and changes to the investment and net worth thresholds levels under the entrepreneur stream. These changes should help address labour market shortages in different Ontario regions.

Long-term Care – new and status update

As promised, Ontario will create 15,000 new long-term care beds over the next five years and to provide more appropriate care to patients with complex health conditions. The government is committed to upgrading an additional 15,000 older long-term care beds to modern design standards, which will allow the long-term care sector to provide more appropriate care to those with complex health conditions. These measures represent a total investment of approximately \$1.75 billion in additional funding over five years.

In addition to the over 6,000 new beds previously allocated, 1,157 new long-term care beds will immediately be allocated to 16 projects across the province.

Northern Matters – status update

Developing the Ring of Fire

The Province will work to cut red tape and end the delays that block the development of the Ring of Fire area by working with willing partners to ensure sustainable development in the North.

Mining Working Group

The creation of a Mining Working Group to focus on reducing red tape and attracting major new investments/opportunities to assist future growth, competitiveness and prosperity.

Reviewing the Forestry Sector Review

Development of a strategy to encourage economic growth within the forestry sector and promote the sector as open for business. The strategy aims to increase wood supply and will help unleash the potential of Ontario's forest industry, creating conditions for the industry to innovate, attract investment, and create jobs and prosperity for the North.

Ontario Proceedings Against the Crown Act (Schedule 17) of Budget Bill – new

- Amendments to the *Ontario Proceedings Against the Crown Act*, which would make it harder to pursue legal action against the government when it comes to misfeasance and negligence, civil lawsuits and class action lawsuits, among other things.
- However, there is clarity that the Crown is not relieved of liability in any of the *Environmental Assessment Act*, *Environmental Bill of Rights*, *Environmental Protection Act*, the *Environmental Review Tribunal Act*, the *Resource Recovery and Circular Economy Act*, and the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*.

Ontario Provincial Police - new

Exploring opportunities to encourage workforce optimization, including vacancy management, overtime and scheduling at the Ontario Provincial Police to save approximately \$30 million annually, starting in 2019–20, without impacting front-line policing and community safety. This would need to be found as be part of the OPPO collective agreement negotiations with Ontario.

Privacy Legislation

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Schedule 31) of Budget Bill - new

- Amendments to allow Ontario to collect personal information to be de-identified from municipal governments, entities that receive provincial funding or administer government services, or a municipal board.
- De-identified personal information can only be collected under certain conditions, namely for analysis related to the management and allocation of resources, program and service planning and program evaluation.
- The disclosure of personal information for law enforcement purposes and in other circumstances is also proposed.

Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Schedule 41) of Budget Bill – new

- Would enable municipal governments to share personal information for law enforcement purposes. This may have negative impacts on the privacy of individuals accessing municipal services.
- The Schedule amends the grounds on which personal information can be disclosed under Part II of the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

Provincial Surpluses

Investing In Ontario Act (Schedule 34) of Budget Bill– new

- The Budget Bill proposes to repeal the *Investing In Ontario Act*
- This Act allowed surpluses to be provided to certain projects or sectors
- It was used to provide one-time capital funding to municipalities prior to 2010
- This reflects provincial direction on eliminating the deficit and reducing debt.

PSTD Awareness

PTSD Awareness Day Act, 2019 (Schedule 52) of Budget Bill – new

- Enacts the *PTSD Awareness Day Act, 2019*, which proclaims June 27 in each year as PTSD Awareness Day.

Seniors Dental Program – new

To improve the life of seniors, the Province will develop a new strategy that will involve effort across government. Individual seniors with annual incomes of \$19,300 or less, or senior couples with combined annual incomes of less than \$32,300, will be able to receive dental services in public health units, community health centres and Aboriginal Health Access Centres across the province.

The program will start in late summer 2019. By winter, investments in the program will expand new dental services in underserved areas, including through mobile dental buses and an increased number of dental suites in public health units.

Social Assistance – status update

The Social Assistance system reform is expected to result in an estimated annual saving of over \$1 billion at maturity by simplifying the rate structure, reducing administration, cutting unnecessary rules, and providing greater opportunities to achieve better employment outcomes. This could be a positive fiscal implication, potentially also saving municipal service managers money in addition to the province.

However, it is unclear if this means less administration funding from the province in 2019 and if so, it will need to be assessed if the planned measures will fully produce the projected savings to offset any funding reductions and when. If this is not the case, there may be pressure on service managers to fill in the gap.

The municipal Ontario Works employment services will be integrated into the provincial Employment Ontario network. If there is a transfer of this function, this could have labour relations implications as it will likely involve staff layoffs. Consolidated Municipal Service Managers (CMSMs) and District Social Services Administration Boards (DSSABs) may compete to deliver employment services however there is no guarantee they will be successful proponents. CMSMs and DSSABs provide employment services linking them to economic and labour force development and also local poverty reduction strategies.

Wrap-around supports will be provided to help vulnerable social assistance recipients address barriers and access employment supports.

There will be strengthened accountability of both social assistance service system managers and the planned employment service system managers to help people achieve employment goals.

Trade – status update

Interprovincial trade continues to be a focus, especially alcohol rules. The Budget notes that the new agreement replacing NAFTA is positive but reiterates impacts on forestry and supply managed agriculture sectors, calling on the federal government to help manage this and for federal action to help reduce/eliminate US steel + aluminum tariffs. The province will also target any states directly that are proposing 'Buy America' legislation or rules

Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) – status update

New WSIB premium rate framework in 2020. Operational review of the WSIB pertaining to the board's financial oversight, effectiveness and efficiency.

Municipal governments pay higher rates (Schedule 1) and self-insurance costs with WSIB administrative costs (Schedule 2) than most other Ontario workplaces due to the nature of municipal emergency services (presumptive PTSD, fire presumptive cancers).

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13-09-12

Brad Knight

From: leeming@tcc.on.ca
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2019 8:10 AM
To: Brad Knight
Subject: Seeking Sponsorship for Agriculture Event in Huron East on June 15
Attachments: Huronview_Demo_Sponsorship.pdf

Dear Huron East,

I am a Board Member with the Huron County Soil and Crop Improvement Association (HCSCIA).

We have organized an event on Saturday, June 15 to showcase our drainage project at the Huronview Farm south of Clinton, in Huron East.

There will be live demonstrations and tours of the site that day.

Please see attached information regarding sponsorship opportunities.

Sponsorship includes admission and lunch tickets.

I hope you can attend!

Carol Leeming
HCSCIA Board Member

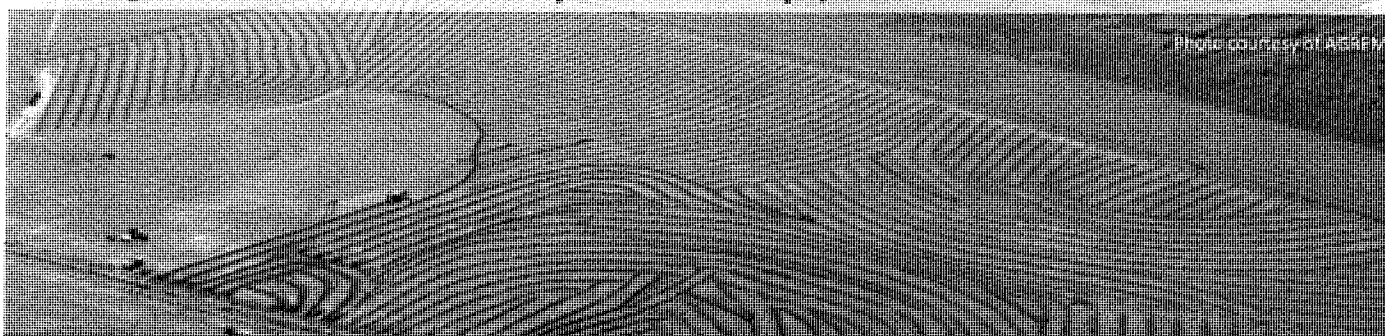
DRAINAGE INNOVATION

Sat. June 15 Clinton, ON

LIVE DEMO



We are installing and researching the most innovative field drainage systems Ontario has ever seen. Stop in to see contoured and controlled tile with surface drainage terraces installed—stay for workshops, food trucks and a trade show.



Drop-in | 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. | \$5 admission | 77722 London Rd. Clinton

Tradeshow & Partnership Opportunities

We will be bringing in hundreds of farmers, drainage contractors, agricultural and environmental groups, along with the public for a demonstration day as we install the project. Wagon rides will take visitors through the field sites for presentations on contoured and controlled drainage, wetlands, water quality, terraces and soil health. The site will feature hourly workshops, food trucks and a trade show. Funds raised through sponsorship and the tradeshow will offset project costs and may be eligible for a charitable tax receipt from *Ausable Bayfield Conservation Foundation*. Deadline to register is May 31. Special rate for non-profits.

Sign up today at www.huronview.net/support

or contact Mel (melisa.luymes@gmail.com / 519-820-2358) to discuss opportunities to be involved.

Tradeshow Exhibitors

Includes 3 admission and lunch tickets
Set-up 7-10 a.m., tear-down 3-5 p.m.

- 6' table—\$150
- 10'x 10' booth—\$250
- Equipment display—\$400

Partnership Opportunities

Includes 5 admission and lunch tickets, with 10' x 10' booth.

- Gold — \$2500— your logo on permanent site sign, promotional video and event posters
- Silver—\$1000—your logo on video and event posters
- Bronze—\$500—your logo on event posters

For more details, visit www.huronview.net

13-09-13

FREE

A Forum on **Climate Change Initiatives in Huron**

**Join us to review
what is happening in Huron County to mitigate
the effects of climate change.**

Hosted by Dr. Maarten Bokhout, Acting Medical Officer of Health
Huron County Health Unit

There is little argument in Ontario that there is a need to reduce the production of greenhouse gases to limit the adverse effects of global warming. There is controversy on how best to proceed, and how much needs to be done to meet the challenge.

May 31, 2019

9 a.m. to Noon
(followed by a free lunch)

Call for Presenters:

This forum is an opportunity for you to present to participants what you are doing to stabilize or reduce the production of greenhouse gases. Anyone who has something to share on this subject is invited to submit an outline of your initiative. There will be time for a maximum of 16 presentations at this event, each no more than six minutes in length.

If you are interested in making a presentation, submit your outline to Dr. Maarten Bokhout **no later than May 24th** c/o: mbokhout@huroncounty.ca

Huron County Health Unit

77722B London Rd., Clinton

Call for Participants:

This forum is an opportunity for you to hear various presenters share their initiatives in Huron County. Please join us for this free event.

To attend as a participant, please register **no later than May 24th** c/o: asturdy@huroncounty.ca



**Huron County
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Provincial Transfer Payments to Conservation Authorities for Flood Management Reduced by Half

NEWMARKET, April 12, 2019 Provincial funding for critical conservation authority programs that warn people about flooding and protect property from costly damages has been reduced by half as a result of the 2019 Ontario Budget.

Using a watershed-based approach, conservation authorities (CAs) deliver effective and cost efficient flood management programs across the province, partnering for many years with the Province, municipalities and others. Prior to this reduction a total of \$7.4 million in provincial funding was shared across the 36 CAs towards this work.

“The impacts of these reductions will vary from CA to CA, however, they will all be felt immediately, particularly in smaller and more rural conservation authorities.” said Kim Gavine, General Manager of Conservation Ontario.

Gavine explained that cutting natural hazards funding is particularly problematic right now in light of the fact that – like everywhere else – Ontario is experiencing stronger and more frequent flood events as a result of climate change impacts.

Conservation Authorities have a variety of responsibilities around flood management in Ontario. These include:

- Forecast flooding and issue warnings
- Monitor streamflow, rainfall and snow packs
- Floodplain mapping
- Manage and operate \$2.7 billion in flood infrastructure such as dams and dykes
- Provide planning support and advice to the Province, municipalities and the federal government to minimize flood impacts
- Regulate development activities in floodplains
- Contribute to municipal emergency planning and preparedness activities as well as recovery activities
- Inform and educate the public about flooding
- Protect, restore and rehabilitate natural cover that contributes to reducing the impacts of flooding



TO: Members, Maitland Valley Conservation Authority
FROM: Phil Beard, General Manager-Secretary-Treasurer
DATE: April 18, 2019

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to the Conservation Authorities Act
Proposed Amendments to Development Regulations
Reduction in Provincial Natural Hazards Management Grant

PURPOSE:

To outline the Provincial Government's proposed amendments to the Conservation Authorities Act and Section 28, Development Regulation.

To outline the reduction in MVCA's Provincial Transfer Payment for Natural Hazards Management Programs for 2019.

BACKGROUND:

On Wednesday, April 3, at 5:00pm all conservation authorities received an email from the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks, inviting us to a webinar on the Government of Ontario's proposal to "Modernize Conservation Authority Operations" on April 4th at 2:00pm.

The teleconference was co-led by the Honourable Rod Phillips, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks and the Honourable John Yakabuski, Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry. They both read through prepared statements regarding the proposed changes to the Conservation Authorities Act and then had staff from MECP and MNRF provide an overview of the proposed legislative changes.

On Friday, April 12, 2019 MVCA was advised that funding for MVCA natural hazard management programs would be reduced from \$70,556 to \$36,424.25 for 2019.

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE CONSERVATION AUTHORITIES ACT:

The Conservation Authorities Act, an Act introduced in 1946, enables programs and services that further the conservation, restoration, development and management of natural resources in watersheds in Ontario. Under the Act, 36 conservation authorities were created at the request of municipalities. They are governed by municipally appointed representatives to deliver local resource management programs at a watershed scale for both provincial and municipal interests. The initial focus of conservation authorities was to prevent flooding, erosion, drought, and deforestation through improved land, water and forestry management practices.

As extreme weather, particularly heavy rains and flooding becomes more frequent due to climate change, the core frontline role that conservation authorities play in our communities is becoming increasingly important. Since the 1940s when the Act was established, the programs and services delivered by conservation authorities have expanded. Conservation authorities are the second largest landowners in Ontario, next to the Province; collectively they own and manage 146,000 hectares of land in Ontario.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

The Provincial Government is proposing to make amendments to the Conservation Authorities Act, an Act introduced in 1946 that would, if passed:

- clearly define the core mandatory programs and services provided by conservation authorities to be, natural hazard protection and management, conservation and management of conservation authority lands, drinking water source protection (as prescribed under the Clean Water Act), and protection of the Lake Simcoe watershed (as prescribed under the Lake Simcoe Protection Act)
- increase transparency in how conservation authorities levy municipalities for mandatory and non-mandatory programs and services. Update the Conservation Authorities Act an Act introduced in 1946, to conform with modern transparency standards by ensuring that municipalities and conservation authorities review levies for non-core programs after a certain period of time (e.g., 4 to 8 years)
- establish a transition period (e.g. 18 to 24 months) and process for conservation authorities and municipalities to enter into agreements for the delivery of non-mandatory programs and services and meet these transparency standards
- enable the Minister to appoint an investigator to investigate or undertake an audit and report on a conservation authority
- clarify that the duty of conservation authority board members is to act in the best interest of the conservation authority, similar to not-for profit organizations.

The Provincial Government is also proposing to proclaim un-proclaimed provisions of the Act related to:

- fees for programs and services
- transparency and accountability
- approval of projects with provincial grants
- recovery of capital costs and operating expenses from municipalities (municipal levies)
- regulation of areas over which conservation authorities have jurisdiction (e.g., development permitting)
- enforcement and offences
- Additional regulations.

Proposed Changes to Conservation Authority Development, Interference with Wetlands and Alteration to Waterways Regulations:

Prohibited activities set out in Section 28 of the Conservation Authorities Act as amended by Schedule 4 of the Building Better Communities and Conserving Watersheds Act, 2017 include:

- Development in areas related to natural hazards such as floodplains, shorelines, wetlands and hazardous lands (i.e. lands that could be unsafe for development because of naturally occurring processes associated with flooding, erosion, dynamic beaches or unstable soil or bedrock); and
- Interference with or alterations to a watercourse or wetland.

The Ministry is proposing to create a regulation further defining the ability of a conservation authority to regulate prohibited development and other activities for impacts to the control of flooding and other natural hazards.

This regulation would replace Ontario Regulation 97/04 which governs the content of conservation authority regulations under the current Section 28(1) of the Act, as well as all existing conservation authority regulations (O.Reg. 42/06, O.Reg. 146-148, O.Reg. 150-153, O.Reg. 155-172, O.Reg. 174-182, and O.Reg.).

Consolidating and harmonizing the existing 36 individual conservation authority-approved regulations into one Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry approved regulation will help to ensure consistency in requirements across all conservation authorities while still allowing for local flexibility based on differences in risks posed by flooding and other natural hazards.

For the purposes of this regulation the Ministry is also proposing to:

- Update definitions for key regulatory terms to better align with other provincial policy, including: “wetland”, “watercourse” and “pollution”;
- Defining undefined terms including: “interference” and “conservation of land” as consistent with the natural hazard management intent of the regulation;
- Reduce regulatory restrictions between 30m and 120m of a wetland and where a hydrological connection has been severed;

- Exempt low-risk development activities from requiring a permit including certain alterations and repairs to existing municipal drains subject to the Drainage Act provided they are undertaken in accordance with the Drainage Act and Conservation Authorities Act Protocol;
- Allow conservation authorities to further exempt low-risk development activities from requiring a permit provided in accordance with conservation authority policies;
- Require conservation authorities to develop, consult on, make publicly available and periodically review internal policies that guide permitting decisions;
- Require conservation authorities to notify the public of changes to mapped regulated areas such as floodplains or wetland boundaries; and
- Require conservation authorities to establish, monitor and report on service delivery standards including requirements and timelines for determination of complete applications and timelines for permit decisions.

These regulations are a critical component of Ontario's approach to reducing risks posed by flooding and other natural hazards and strengthening Ontario's resiliency to extreme weather events.

Ensuring conservation authority permitting decisions focus and deliver on their core mandate of protecting people and property from flooding and other natural hazards is part of the government's Made-in-Ontario Environment Plan to help communities and families prepare and respond to climate change. The proposed changes will also provide the business sector with a clear and consistent regulatory environment in which to operate and will help to make approval processes faster, more predictable and less costly.

As more extreme weather events occur that threaten our homes, businesses and infrastructure, it's important to ensure conservation authorities deliver on their core mandate for protecting people and property from flooding and other natural hazards. Improving the efficiency and effectiveness of these regulations is critical component of this government's strategy for strengthening Ontario's resiliency to extreme weather events.

Once established, the province is also proposing to bring into force un-proclaimed sections of the Conservation Authorities Act associated with conservation authority permitting decisions and regulatory enforcement.

CONSULTATION PERIOD:

The Province is asking for comments on the proposed amendment to the Conservation Authorities Act to be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks by May 21, 2019. Comments on the proposed changes to conservation authority regulations are to be submitted to MNRF by May 21, 2019.

Conservation Ontario will be coordinating comments on the proposed changes on behalf of all conservation authorities.

SUMMARY:

The proposed mandatory programs don't reflect the extent of conservation work that is needed across the watershed. The most obvious deficiency is watershed stewardship services. One of the primary reasons that conservation authorities were founded was to work with municipalities and watershed residents to conserve water and related land resources.

Watershed Stewardship services should be considered as a mandatory service, especially in the Maitland watershed where almost 80% of the watershed is used for agriculture. A major priority of MVCA has been to work with landowners to help them keep soil and nutrients on the land and out of municipal drains, rivers and Lake Huron.

Drinking Water Source Protection has been funded by the Province since it was established in 2006. The Province is proposing that this service would now be a mandatory service that conservation authorities would have to levy their municipalities for.

On February 7, 2019, MVCA, ABCA, SVCA and GSCA met with Minister Phillips and Minister Thompson, we stressed the need for conservation authorities to be able to deliver stewardship services in our respective watersheds. We also outlined how successful Healthy Lake Huron has been working for the past nine years. This partnership is led by MECP and OMAFRA and includes the Federal Government, five Conservation Authorities and three Counties all working together to improve water quality in Lake Huron. The Provincial Government doesn't have the resources to deal with these issues on their own.

The proposed amendments to conservation authorities' development, interference and alteration to waterways regulations do not appear to be as impactful. MVCA has refined the focus of our review of applications so that we can focus on those proposals that could have the greatest impact on flood plains, river valleys, shorelines, dynamic beaches, wetlands and watercourses. We also are required to ensure that development proposals will not affect public safety.

MVCA has restricted its planning comments on development and land use planning proposals to natural hazards (flood plains, river valleys, wetlands, shorelines) from a public safety perspective and drinking water source protection.

13-09-15

Brad Knight

From: Minister Steve Clark <mah@ontario.ca>
Sent: Thursday, May 02, 2019 4:03 PM
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Subject: More Homes, More Choice: Ontario's Housing Supply Action Plan

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Dear Head of Council:

Ontario's Government for the People is committed to building more housing and bringing down costs for the people of Ontario. To help fulfill this commitment, we have developed a broad-based action plan to address the barriers getting in the way of new ownership and rental housing.

More Homes, More Choice (the action plan) outlines our government's plan to tackle Ontario's housing crisis, while encouraging our partners to do their part. We are taking steps to make it faster and easier for municipalities, non-profits and private firms to build the right types of housing in the right places, to meet the needs of people in every part of Ontario.

As part of the action plan, we are proposing changes that would streamline the complex development approvals process to remove unnecessary duplication and barriers, while making costs and timelines more predictable. We are also proposing changes that would make it easier to build certain types of priority housing such as second units.

On May 2, 2019, the government introduced Bill 108 (the bill), the proposed More Homes, More Choice Act, 2019, in the Ontario Legislature. While the bill contains initiatives from various ministries, I would like to share some details regarding initiatives led by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

Planning Act

Schedule 12 of the bill proposes changes to the Planning Act that would help make the planning system more efficient and effective, increase housing supply in Ontario, and streamline planning approvals.

If passed, the proposed changes would:

- Streamline development approvals processes and facilitate faster decisions,
- Increase the certainty and predictability of the planning system,
- Support a range and mix of housing options, and boost housing supply,
- Make charges for community benefits more predictable, and
- Make other complementary amendments to implement the proposed reforms, including how the proposed changes would affect planning matters that are in-process.

Amendments to the Planning Act are also proposed to address concerns about the land use planning appeal system. Proposed changes would broaden the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal's jurisdiction over major land use planning matters (e.g., official plan amendments and zoning by-law amendments) and give the Tribunal the authority to make a final determination on appeals of these matters. The Ministry of the Attorney General is also proposing changes to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal Act, 2017 to complement these changes (see Schedule 9 of the bill).

Development Charges Act

Schedule 3 of the bill proposes changes to the Development Charges Act that would make housing more attainable by reducing costs to build certain types of housing and would increase the certainty of costs to improve the likelihood of developers proceeding with cost sensitive projects, such as rental housing.

If passed, the proposed changes would:

- Make it easier for municipalities to recover costs for waste diversion,
- Increase the certainty of development costs in specific circumstances and for certain types of developments,
- Make housing more attainable by reducing costs to build certain types of homes, and
- Make other complementary amendments to implement the proposed reforms.

Further consultation on the Planning Act and Development Charges Act

We are interested in receiving any comments you may have on the proposed changes to the Planning Act and the Development Charges Act. Comments on these proposed measures can be made through the [Environmental Registry of Ontario](#) as follows:

- Planning Act: posting number 019-0016
- Development Charges Act: posting number 019-0017

The Environmental Registry postings provide additional details regarding the proposed changes.

A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe

A Place to Grow: Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe is an important part of the action plan that addresses the needs of the growing population, the diversity of the region and its people, and the local priorities. With A Place to Grow, we will make it faster and easier to build housing so that the growing number of people who live and work in the Greater Golden Horseshoe can find a home.

We recognize that different parts of Ontario need different solutions, including Northern and rural Ontario. While the Growth Plan for Northern Ontario continues to guide long-term economic growth in the North, our government is taking steps right now to support this growth by reducing red tape and burdens in Ontario's Northern and rural communities with **More Homes, More Choice**.

Taken together, the actions outlined in **More Homes, More Choice** - including the proposed changes detailed above - will make it easier to build the right types of housing in the right places, make housing more affordable and help taxpayers keep more of their hard-earned dollars. Building more housing will make the province more attractive for employers and investors, proving that Ontario is truly Open for Business.

This action plan is complemented by our recently announced **Community Housing Renewal Strategy**, which will help sustain, repair and grow our community housing system. Together these two plans will ensure that all Ontarians can find a home that meets their needs.

At the same time, **More Homes, More Choice** underscores our commitment to maintain Ontario's vibrant agricultural sector and employment lands, protect sensitive areas like the Greenbelt, and preserve cultural heritage. Our plan will ensure that every community can build in response to local interests and demand while accommodating diverse needs.

Our government recognizes the key role that municipalities will play in implementing the action plan, and we know that you share our desire to bring more housing to the people of Ontario. I look forward to working with you as we implement **More Homes, More Choice**.

Sincerely,



Steve Clark
Minister

c:
Chief Administrative Officer
Clerk

**THE CORPORATION
OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
BY-LAW NO. 28 FOR 2019**

Being a by-law to repeal By-Law 88-2013 and to authorize the signing of an Agreement between the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East and the Corporation of the City of Stratford for Fire Dispatch Services.

WHEREAS The Corporation of the City of Stratford operates certain fire communication equipment and provides fire dispatch services;

AND WHEREAS the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East, under the provisions of By-Law 88-2013 entered into an agreement with the Corporation of the City of Stratford to provide fire dispatch services for the Municipality of Huron East with the term of the agreement to expire on December 31st, 2018;

AND WHEREAS by-laws may be enacted by the corporate parties hereto respectively, pursuant to the provisions of the *Fire Protection & Prevention Act, 1997*, S.O. 1997, C 4, to authorize an agreement between the said parties relative to the use of certain communications equipment of Stratford for the use of the residents of the Municipality and environs;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East is desirous of entering into a similar agreement for the provision of fire dispatch services for a further term to expire on April 8th, 2024;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That By-Law 88-2013 is hereby repealed.
2. The Mayor and the CAO/Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and execute an Agreement, attached hereto as Schedule "A" with the Corporation of the City of Stratford to continue to provide fire dispatch services until April 8th, 2024.

READ a first and second time this 7th day of May, 2019.

READ a third time and finally passed this 7th day of May, 2019.

Mayor, Bernie MacLellan

CAO/Clerk, Brad Knight

THIS AGREEMENT made this 8th day of April, 2019

B E T W E E N: **THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD**

Hereinafter referred to as "Stratford"

- and -

**THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF
HURON EAST**

Hereinafter referred to as "Huron East"

WHEREAS by Agreement dated the 23rd day of September, 2013, The Corporation of the City of Stratford and The Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East hereto agreed to the provision of certain fire dispatching services by the Fire Department of Stratford to Huron East for a term of five (5) years;

AND WHEREAS Huron East continues to provide fire protection and suppression services and certain fire dispatching to Huron East and the surrounding areas which shall be collectively known as the "service area" and more particularly described in Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this Agreement;

AND WHEREAS Huron East wishes the Fire Department for Stratford to continue to provide certain functions related to dispatch of fire and emergency equipment and personnel;

AND WHEREAS by-laws have been duly enacted by the corporate parties hereto respectively, pursuant to the provisions of the *Fire Protection & Prevention Act, 1997*, S.O. 1997, c.4, to authorize an agreement between the said parties relative to the use of certain communications equipment of Stratford for the use of the residents of Huron East and environs;

AND WHEREAS each of the Parties acknowledges that:

- a) The Fire Department for Stratford provides the dispatch service for certain Huron County municipalities, as shown in Schedule "A" to this Agreement;
- b) Information received, upon which dispatchers rely, is often incomplete, inaccurate, or otherwise difficult to decipher;
- c) The dispatcher does not have special knowledge of the service area from which a call is received in the service area;
- d) The dispatcher obtains information from the 911 system for its information or information received from calls forwarded from the service area or received directly at the dispatch centre in Stratford by telephone and is not expected to verify the information received beyond that information received from the caller.

NOW THEREFORE IN CONSIDERATION of the covenants and mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, the parties agree as follows:

1. In this Agreement:
 - a) "Designate" means the person who, in the absence of the Fire Chief, is assigned to be in charge of the particular activity of the fire department and who has the same powers and authority as the Fire Chief;

- b) "Service area" means the Municipality of Huron East served by the Brussels, Grey and Seaforth Fire Stations and any subsequent fire department as shown in Schedule "A" attached hereto forming part of this Agreement;
 - c) "Fire Chief" means the chief of the respective municipal fire departments;
 - d) "Fire Department" means the fire departments of the respective parties to this Agreement.
2. The Fire Department for Stratford shall:
- a) In response to all fire and emergency calls received at the Stratford Fire Dispatch Centre, relay the information so received by the dispatcher in a timely manner to Huron East or other municipalities as the dispatcher in their unfettered discretion considers appropriate having regard to the information received from the caller.
 - b) Maintain a real time tape logging of all emergency telephone radio conversations relating to Huron East and the service area, of calls for service. Copies of such recordings will be retained for a period of thirty (30) days, and shall be provided upon request to Huron East within a reasonable time, on the request of the Fire Chief of Huron East or their designate. Where court proceedings are anticipated, on request, the original will be held secure at the discretion of the Fire Chief for Stratford.
 - c) Maintain a brief (hand written) hard copy log of all fire and emergency related calls received by the dispatcher, which shall be available to Huron East upon request. The City of Stratford retains the (hand written) hard copy logs for a period of two (2) years.
3. Huron East Fire Department shall:
- a) If they receive a call directly at the Municipal Offices or directly at a Fire Station in the service area, notify the Stratford Fire Department dispatcher as soon as reasonably possible;
 - b) Provide and maintain at their own expense the following:
 - i) radio communication equipment link for activating the pagers of the Huron East Fire Department;
 - ii) emergency telephone line between Stratford Dispatch and Huron East;
 - c) Indemnify Stratford, its agents and servants, the Fire Chief, the Corporation and members of the Council of the City and save the same harmless from all actions, causes of action, claims, demands and costs of whatever nature for loss of property, injury and death to or of any person or persons howsoever caused which may occur as a result of the implementation of the terms and procedures to be followed under this Agreement.
4. Notwithstanding the fact that Stratford from time to time provides services other than those set out in paragraph 2 (a), (b) and (c) herein, Stratford shall not be responsible to provide those services as part of this Agreement unless such services other than those set out in paragraphs 2 (a), (b) and (c) herein are added to this Agreement in writing by the parties.

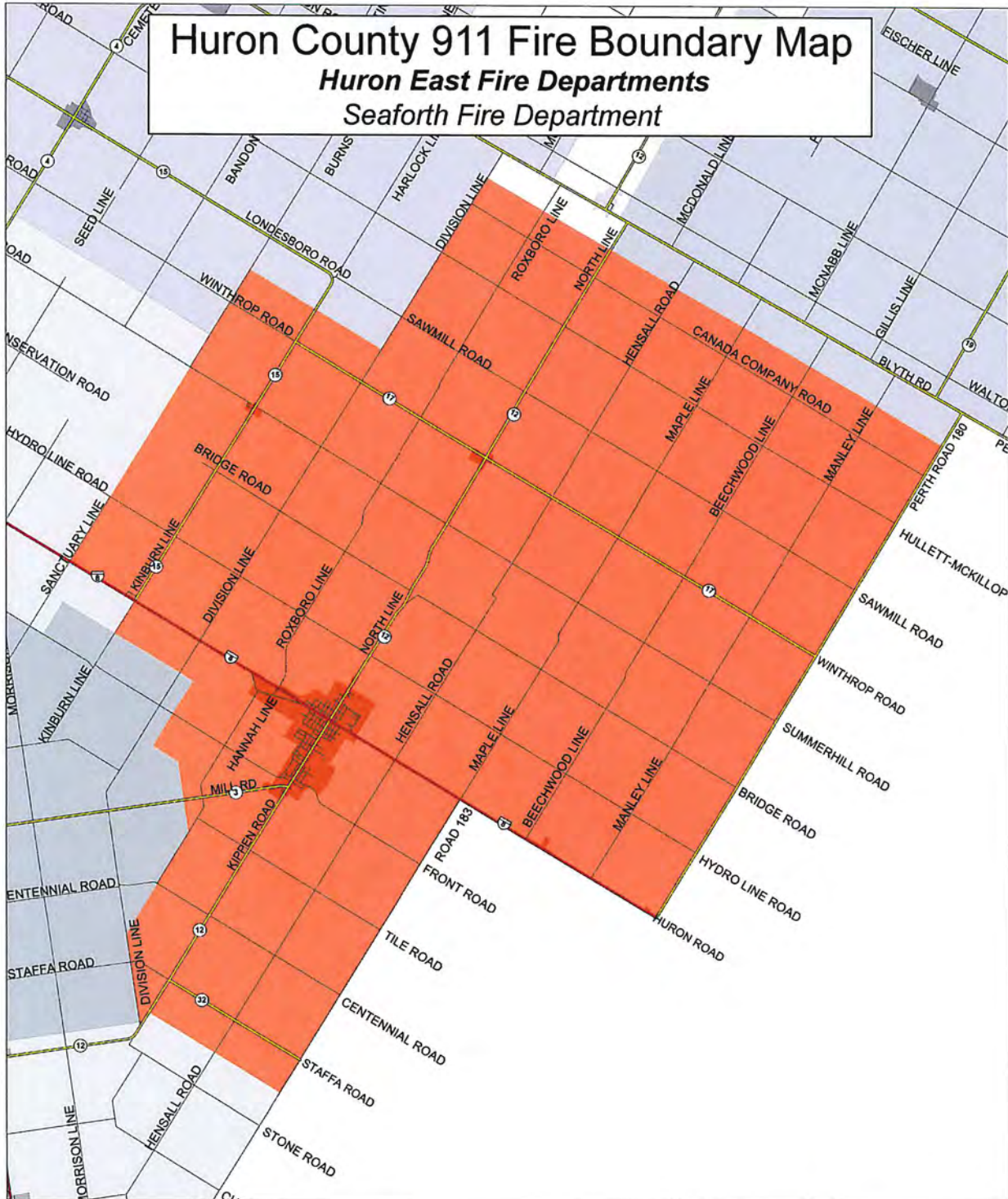
5. The parties mutually covenant and agree that Stratford shall not be required to physically respond to any call directed to Stratford.
6. Stratford shall not be responsible for any failure on the part of the Huron East Fire Department or any other fire station in the service area or otherwise to respond or for any improper response to any calls, directed to Huron East or any municipality in the service area or otherwise.
7. Stratford shall not be held liable for its inability to supply the communications services for any reason, including and without limiting the generality thereof if such communications services are not available through mechanical failure, a strike, a riot, the result of an act of God or of some other cause.
8. The provisions of this Agreement may be varied from time to time by agreement in writing signed by both of the parties to this Agreement.
9. The term of this Agreement shall be for a period of five (5) years commencing on April 9, 2019 and expiring on April 8, 2024. This Agreement may be terminated prior to the end of the term upon written notice given to either party hereto by the other within six (6) months of the proposed termination date. In any case of early termination, the fees specified in Schedule "B" shall be applied on a pro rata basis using the same formula as specified herein.
10. At the end of the term provided for in Section 9 above, this Agreement will automatically renew for consecutive one-month periods under the terms of this Agreement until either party delivers written notice of its intent to terminate the Agreement or enter into a new agreement at least sixty (60) days prior to the end of the service term. Should the Agreement proceed on a month to month basis, the fees specified in Schedule "B" shall be applied on a pro rata basis using the same formula as specified herein, including the applicable annual Consumer Price Index increase.
11. Notwithstanding Section 9, this Agreement may be amended, renewed or extended by the mutual consent of the parties hereto.
12. Notice for any reason with respect to this Agreement, shall be given by either party in writing to the other party as follows:


To Stratford:	The Corporation of the City of Stratford 1 Wellington Street, P.O. Box 818 Stratford ON N5A 6W1 Attention: City Clerk
To Huron East:	The Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East 72 Main Street South, Box 610 Seaforth ON N0K 1W0 Attention: Clerk
13. Huron East agrees to maintain the Bell 9-1-1 system identifying the appropriate fire department which is to be dispatched within their coverage/service area.


14. Huron East agrees to provide and maintain a computer program and data base of the service area which is currently in use in Huron County. This program will reside at the Stratford Fire Department. Huron East agrees that it is the owner of the computer program and is responsible for all maintenance, upgrades and testing.
15. Huron East agrees to provide a map of the service area which shall form Schedule "A" of this Agreement. The map shall clearly indicate the fire station that serves particular areas of the service area.
16. Huron East agrees to notify in the manner and to the extent it deems necessary, all residents/occupants of the service area of the procedures for reporting any emergency to the communications centre of Stratford.
17. In consideration of the communications services undertaken by Stratford to be provided in the service area of Huron East, Huron East shall pay to Stratford fees as provided for in Schedule "B" attached hereto, with the annual payment due in accordance with paragraph 18(d) herein.
18. The parties agree to the following costing arrangement:
 - a) Huron East shall supply the Stratford Fire Chief with the most recent information regarding the population of its service area;
 - b) Huron East will be invoiced by Stratford for the provision of communication services on or before February 1st of each year in accordance with Schedule "B" attached hereto and forming part of this Agreement;
 - c) Any concerns over the manner in which costs are determined shall be referred in writing to the Stratford Fire Chief within fifteen (15) days of invoicing. A written reply will be made within seven (7) days from receipt of the written concerns, advising of the adjustment to the invoice, if any;
 - d) The cost for communications services shall be paid in full, in any event, within thirty (30) days from the date of invoicing or as otherwise agreed upon in writing by the parties hereto.

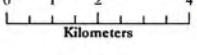
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SCHEDULE "A"




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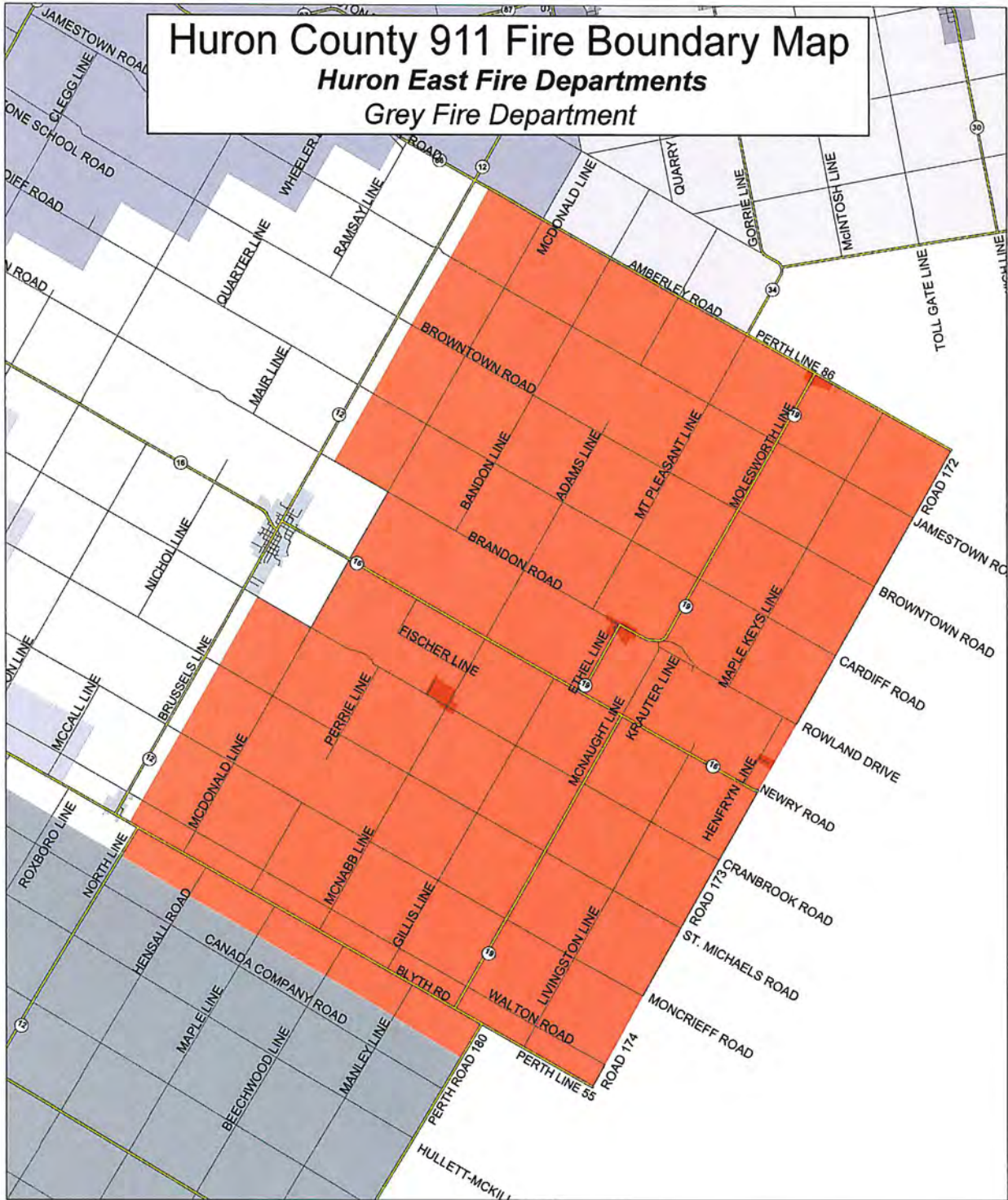
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Bayfield Fire Dept	Easton Fire Dept	Huron North Fire Dept
Shelburne Fire Dept	Guelph Fire Dept	Lakeshore Fire Dept
Waukegan Fire Dept	Grand Bend Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - Wylie Station
Oshawa Fire Dept	Deep Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - Wingham Station
Corbin Fire Dept	Hensall Fire Dept	Seaford Fire Dept
Deseronto Fire Dept	Huron Fire Dept	Zulu Fire Dept

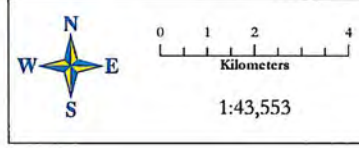
Huron County 911 Fire Boundary Map

Huron East Fire Departments

Grey Fire Department




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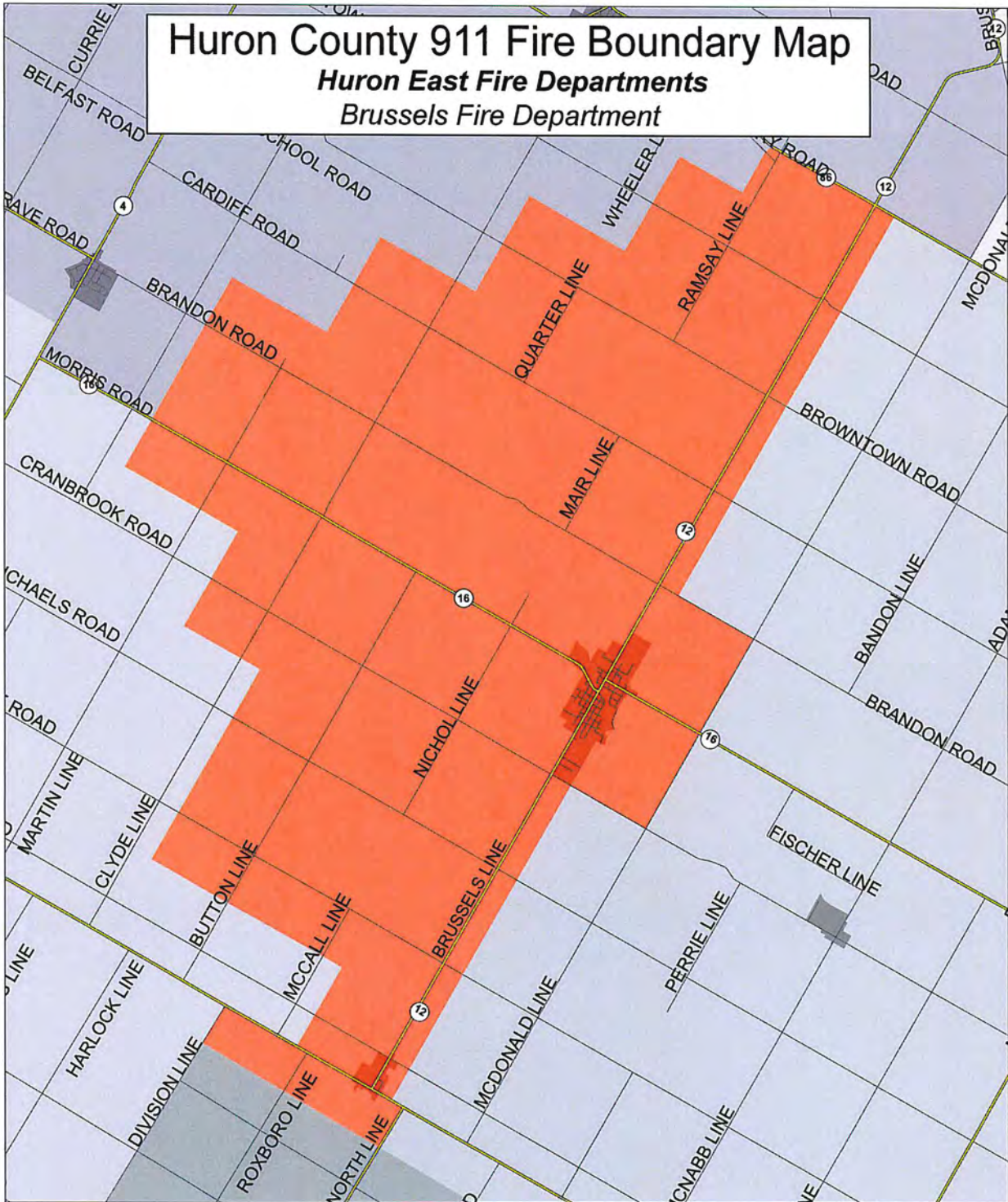


Grey Fire Dept	Carter Fire Dept	Huron Park Fire Dept
Okanese Fire Dept	Goshen Fire Dept	Lockwood Fire Dept
Sheldahl Fire Dept	Grand Bank Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - 20/21 Station
Clinton Fire Dept	Grey Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - 20/22 Station
Clinton Fire Dept	Huron Fire Dept	South Huron Fire Dept - 20/23 Station
Deerpark Fire Dept	Huron Fire Dept	South Huron Fire Dept
	Huron Fire Dept	Zions Fire Dept

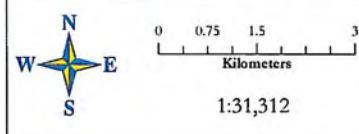
Huron County 911 Fire Boundary Map

Huron East Fire Departments

Brussels Fire Department



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Dayton Fire Dept	Essex Fire Dept	Huron Falls Fire Dept
Shelburne Fire Dept	Georgetown Fire Dept	Leithville Fire Dept
Shelburne Fire Dept	Georgetown Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - Multi Station
Clinton Fire Dept	Oriskany Fire Dept	North Huron Fire Dept - Highways Station
Clinton Fire Dept	Oriskany Fire Dept	South Huron Fire Dept
Deerpark Fire Dept	Island Fire Dept	Union Fire Dept

**THE CORPORATION
OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST**

BY-LAW NO. 30 FOR 2019

Being a by-law to repeal By-Law 26-2019 to temporarily stop up a portion of Flora Street and a portion of Sports Drive, Brussels Ward, Municipality of Huron East.

WHEREAS the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c.25, s.42, as amended, authorizes a municipality to delegate to a committee of council or to an employee of the municipality, subject to any conditions which the municipality may impose, the power to close a highway temporarily for any purpose specified in the by-law;

AND WHEREAS By-Law 26-2019 indicates the 2967 Brussels Army Cadets 40th Annual Ceremonial Review event is being held on May 28th, 2019 and the date of the event has been changed to June 4th, 2019;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East is desirous of closing a section of Flora Street in the Brussels Ward between Turnberry Street (County Road 12) and Elizabeth Street during the 40th Annual Ceremonial Review event being held by the 2967 Brussels Army Cadets on June 4th, 2019;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East is desirous of closing a section of Sports Drive in the Brussels Ward between Market Street and McCutcheon Drive during the Minor Ball Day event being held by Brussels Minor Ball on June 1st, 2019;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East enacts as follows:

1. That By-Law 26-2019 is hereby repealed.
2. That Flora Street in the Brussels Ward, Municipality of Huron East, will be closed from Turnberry Street (County Road 12) to Elizabeth Street for the hours between 5:30 pm and 9:00 pm on June 4th, 2019.
3. That Sports Drive in the Brussels Ward, Municipality of Huron East, will be closed from Market Street to McCutcheon Drive for the hours between 8:00 am and 11:00 pm on Saturday, June 1st, 2019.
4. This by-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of final reading thereof.

Read a first and second time this 7th day of May, 2019.

Read a third time and finally passed this 7th day of May, 2019.

Bernie MacLellan, Mayor

Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk

**THE CORPORATION
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BY-LAW NO. 31 FOR 2019

Being a by-law to temporarily suspend the provisions of
By-Law 29-1993 of the former Township of Tuckersmith.

WHEREAS, Section 27 of the Municipal Act, S. O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, gives a Municipality the authority to pass by-laws with respect to highways over which the Municipality has jurisdiction over;

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the former Corporation of the Township of Tuckersmith passed By-Law 29-1993 which designated Front Street from VanEgmond Street to Kippen Road (County Road 12) as a one-way street for the purpose of controlling vehicular traffic;

AND WHEREAS as part of a municipal restructuring order dated March 31st, 2000, the Corporation of the Township of Tuckersmith became the Tuckersmith ward of the amalgamated Municipality of Huron East effective January 1st, 2001;

AND WHEREAS the County of Huron by virtue of Contract HC 19-302 has commenced the reconstruction of Kippen Road (County Road 12) and has requested that Front Street be temporarily made available to two-way traffic for the purposes of maintaining a detour around the reconstruction of Kippen Road (County Road 12);

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East
ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the provisions of By-Law 29-1993 on Front Street (Egmondville) are temporarily suspended and that Front Street shall be operated as a two-way street for the purposes of a road construction detour and shall be signed in accordance with Book 7 of the Ontario Traffic Manual.
2. That this by-law shall remain in effect until repealed by the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East.
3. That this by-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of final passing thereof.

READ a first and second time this 7th day of May, 2019.

READ a third time and finally passed this 7th day of May, 2019.

Bernie MacLellan, Mayor

Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST

GREY WARD

BY-LAW NO 32.-2019

BEING a by-law to amend the zoning on Part Lot 25, Concession 11, Grey Ward, Municipality of Huron East.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East considers it advisable to amend Zoning By-law 52-2006, as amended.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East enacts as follows:

1. This by-law shall apply to the lands described as Part Lot 25, Concession 11, Grey Ward, Municipality of Huron East as described and shown in the attached Schedules 1, 2 & 3.
2. By-law 52-2006 is hereby amended by changing from 'General Agriculture (AG1)' to 'General Agriculture – Special Zone (AG1-44)' on the attached Schedule 3.
3. Section 4.11 is hereby amended by the addition of the following:

AG1-44

In the area zoned AG1-44, an on-farm diversified use is permitted in accordance with a registered site plan agreement. The on-farm diversified use (assembly hall) and its associated site functions (parking, septic system, patio area, pavilion and garden) are permitted to occupy 1.8% of the land area and building is permitted a maximum gross floor area of 535 square meters. The maximum occupancy, number of commercial functions and permitted hours of operation shall be addressed in a Site Plan Agreement. Notwithstanding any other provision of the By-law, Minimum Distance Separation Formula does not apply to the on-farm diversified use within the AG1-44 zone.

In the area zoned AG1-44, a second detached residence is permitted accessory to agriculture.

All other provisions of the By-law shall apply.

4. Section 6.10 is hereby amended by the deletion of the AG3-2 zone provisions and replace with the following:

AG3-2

The following provisions apply to the area zoned AG3-2:

1. The minimum front yard setback for buildings used for manufacturing or processing shall be 125.0 metres, measured from the front of the property adjacent to County Road #19. All other buildings and structures shall be set back a minimum of 75 metres from the front of the property adjacent to County Road #19.
 2. Notwithstanding the permitted uses of Section 6.1, a feed mill, an abattoir, a dead stock removal facility and any business for the processing of livestock by-products shall be prohibited from lands zoned AG3-2.
 3. All other provisions apply.
5. Key Map 11, By-law 52-2006 is hereby replaced with amended Key Map 11 attached hereto, which is declared to be part of the by-law.
 6. All other provisions of By-law 52-2006 shall apply.
 7. This by-law shall come into force upon final passing pursuant to Section 34(21) of the Planning Act, RSO 1990, as amended.

READ A FIRST TIME ON THE 7th DAY OF MAY, 2019.

READ A SECOND TIME ON THE 7th DAY OF MAY, 2019.

READ A THIRD TIME AND PASSED THIS 7th DAY OF MAY, 2019.

Bernie MacLellan, Mayor

Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk

SCHEDULE 1
CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
GREY WARD

BY-LAW NO. 32-2019

1. By-law No. 32-2019 has the following purpose and effect:

The proposed Zoning By-law Amendment affects the land described as Part Lot 25, Concession 11, Grey Ward, Municipality of Huron East, known municipally as 84483 McNaught Line.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to permit an on-farm diversified use on the subject property subject to a site plan agreement. The on-farm diversified use (assembly hall) and its associated site functions (parking, septic system, patio area, pavilion and garden) are permitted to occupy 1.8% of the land area and the building is permitted a maximum gross floor area of 535 square metres. The site plan agreement will address the maximum occupancy, number of commercial functions and hours of operation for the assembly hall. Minimum Distance Separation Formula does not apply to the on-farm diversified use within the AG1-44 zone.

The By-law also permits a second detached residential dwelling, accessory to an agricultural use on the subject property. The second residence exists and was intended to be constructed on land that was to be severed from the subject property; however the conditional consent application was not finalized and thus two detached residences exist on the property.

The By-law also prohibits a feed mill as a permitted use in the existing AG3-2 zone.

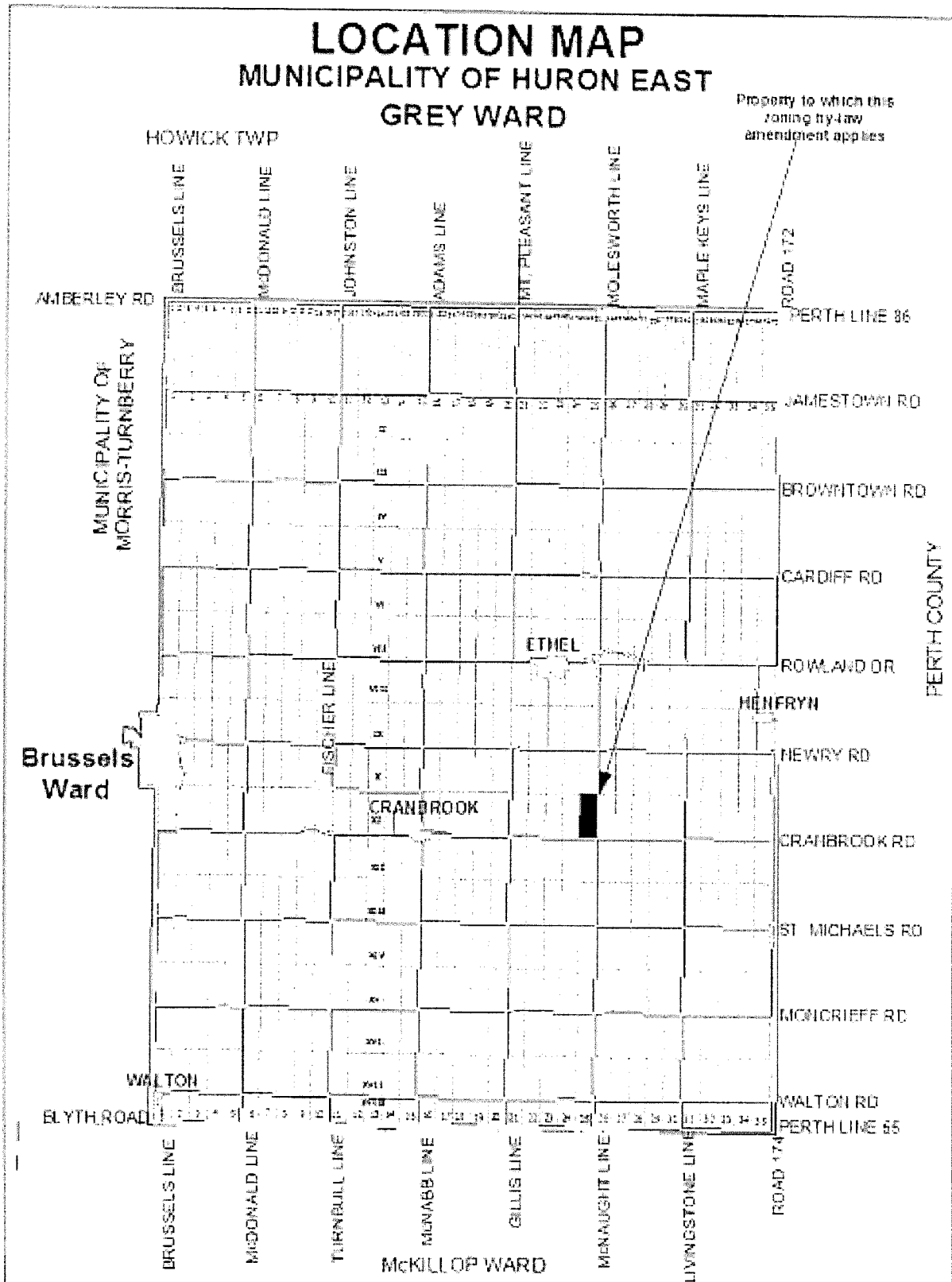
This by-law amends the Zoning By-law of the Municipality of Huron East 52-2006.

2. A Location Map and Key Map showing the location of the lands to which this by-law applies are shown on the following pages and are entitled Schedule 2 and Schedule 3.

SCHEDULE 2

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
GREY WARD

BY-LAW NO. 32-2019



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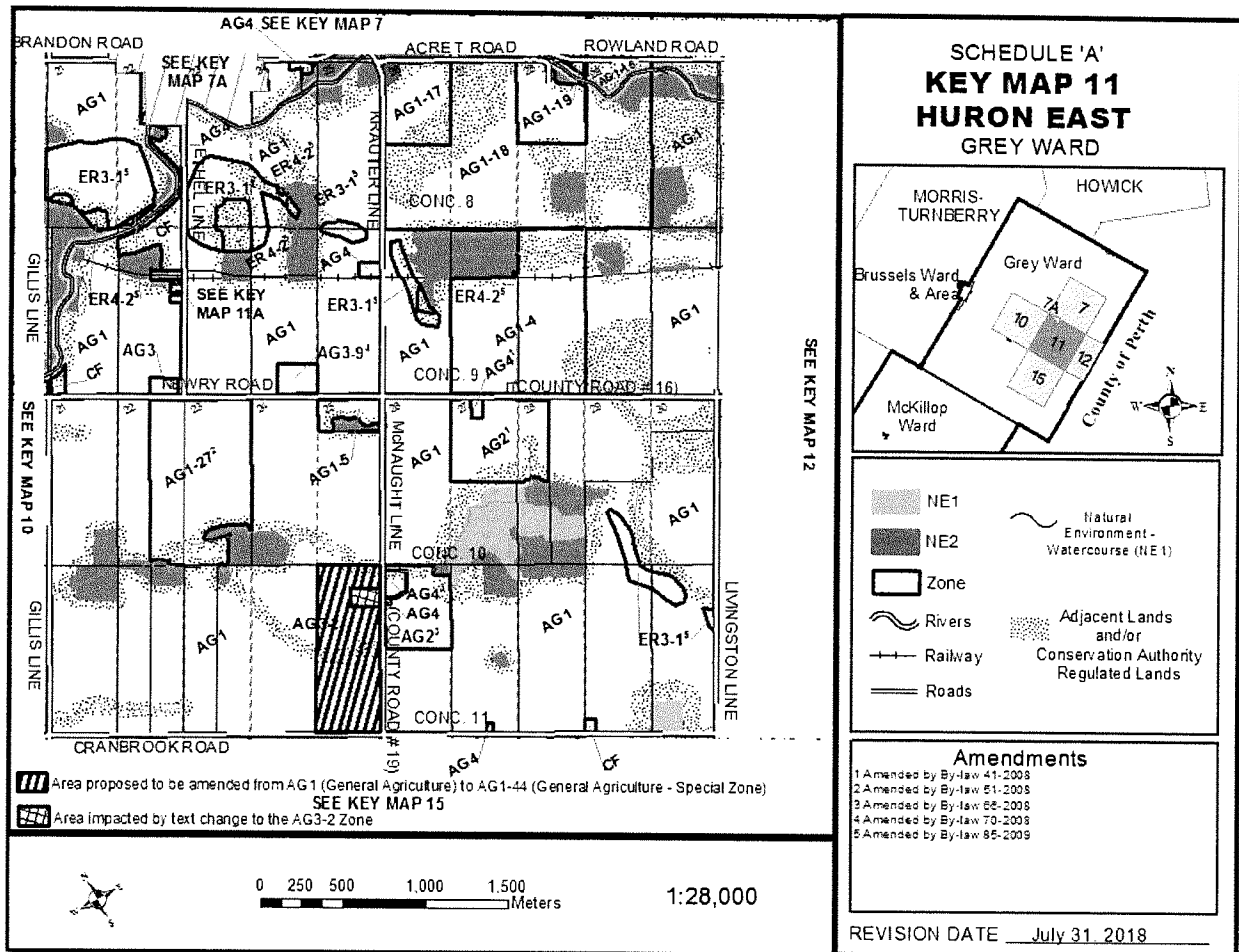
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SCHEDULE 3

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
GREY WARD

BY-LAW NO. 32-2019



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Bernie MacLellan, Mayor

Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk

**THE CORPORATION
OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF HURON EAST
BY-LAW NO. 33 FOR 2019**

Being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of the Council of
the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Act, S. O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, s. 5 (3) provides municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under section 8, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise;

AND WHEREAS, the Municipal Act, S. O. 2001, c.25, as amended, s. 8 provides a municipality the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the proceedings of the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East at this meeting be confirmed and adopted by By-Law;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East
ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The action of the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East, at its meeting held on the 7th day of May, 2019 in respect to each recommendation contained in the Reports of the Committees and each motion and resolution passed and other action taken by the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East at these meetings, is hereby adopted and confirmed as if all such proceedings were expressly embodied in this by-law.
2. The Mayor and the proper officials of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to the action of the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East referred to in the proceeding section hereof.
3. The Mayor and the Clerk are authorized and directed to execute all documents necessary in that behalf and to affix thereto the Seal of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron East.

READ a first and second time this 7th day of May, 2019.

READ a third time and finally passed this 7th day of May, 2019.

Bernie MacLellan, Mayor

Brad Knight, CAO/Clerk