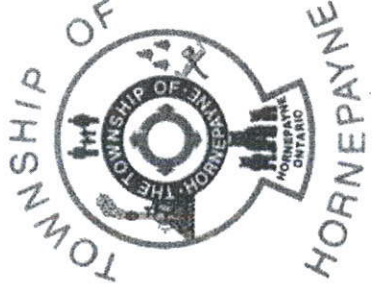


The Corporation of the Township of Hornepayne
68 Front Street, PO Box 370
Hornepayne, Ontario
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COUNCIL RESOLUTION

MOVED BY: C. Fort signature

NO. 1228

SECONDED BY: W. Probst signature

DATE: DEC 07 2016

WHEREAS the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997, legislates that fire prevention, public education and fire protection services are a mandatory municipal responsibility; and,

WHEREAS there are a total of 449 Fire Departments operating in the province comprised of 32 Full-Time Departments, 191 Composite Departments and 226 Volunteer Departments with 11,376 Full-Time Firefighters, 19,347 Volunteer Firefighters and 343 Part-Time Firefighters staffing these departments; and,

WHEREAS the fire service represents a significant percentage of small, rural and northern municipalities' managed capital assets; and,

WHEREAS the Municipal Fire Department and associated assets represent critical municipal infrastructure; and

WHEREAS there are currently no funding opportunities available from the Provincial or the Federal Government for the equipment, training, maintenance, operating or capital requirements of local fire departments;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hornepayne hereby petition the Provincial Government to recognize the municipal fire service as critical infrastructure by including funding for Fire Department infrastructure as part of the Provincial Government's Infrastructure Strategy to Move Ontario Forward;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Economic Development, Employment and Infrastructure, Michael Mantha, MPP for Algoma-Manitoulin, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), the Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA) and all Ontario municipalities.

☒ Carried ☐ Defeated ☐ Deferred
W. Probst signature of presiding officer

RECORDED VOTE:

Councillor Cheryl Fort
Councillor Willy Liebigt
Councillor Drago Stefanic
Councillor Paul Stewart
Mayor Morley Forster

I, Gail Jaremy, CAO/Clerk for the Corporation of the Township of Hornepayne do certify that this document is a true copy of:

Resolution: 1228 By-Law: _____

Other: _____

This 6th day of December, 202016
Gail Jaremy
CAO/Clerk

Disclosure of pecuniary interest and the general nature thereof.
Township of Hornepayne

(Name) _____ (Name) _____

Disclosed the pecuniary interest and the general nature thereof and abstained from the discussion, vote and influence.

(Clerk)