THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN BY-LAW NUMBER 2008-18

A By-law to Authorize the Municipality of Central Manitoulin's Participation in the 2008 Municipal Road and Bridge Infrastructure Investment Program

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act*, 2001 (Ontario), as amended, (the "Act") provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise;

AND WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has recently announced a grant of \$758,215 for the Municipality of Central Manitoulin for the purpose of municipal road and bridge capital investment needs;

AND WHEREAS on behalf of the Province of Ontario, the Ministry of Transportation be administering the 2008 Municipal Road and Bridge Infrastructure Investment program for Ontario Municipalities for the purposes of an infrastructure investment program;

AND WHEREAS it is now deemed to be expedient to authorize the expenditure of the \$758,215 granted for municipal road and bridge capital investment needs;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the \$758,215 allocated to the Municipality of Central Manitoulin will be used for municipal road and bridge capital investment needs;
- 2. That a final summary report detailing expenditures, use of provincial funding, and outcomes achieved shall be submitted to the ministry and the ministry may request an independent audit of the project;
- 3. That any funds intended for the project that are not used in accordance with rehabilitation of municipal road and bridge capital investment needs or future terms to be outlined by the ministry will be returned to the ministry; and
- 4. This By-law takes effect on the day of passing.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 24th day of April, 2008.

RICHARD STEPHENS-REEVE

RUTH FRAWLEY-CLERK

I, _____, Clerk of the Township of Central Manitoulin, hereby certify that the following is a true copy of By-Law Number 2008-18 passed by Central Manitoulin Township on April 24, 2008.

Clerk