

THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN

BY-LAW NUMBER 2022 - 14

BEING A BY-LAW TO DELEGATE CERTAIN AUTHORITIES DURING A RESTRICTED AUTHORITY "LAME DUCK" COUNCIL PERIOD

WHEREAS Section 275 of the Municipal Act S.O. 2001, C.25 as amended provides that where three quarters (3/4) of the members of the outgoing Council of the municipality will not be returning, the following authorities of the Council will cease on Nomination Day (August 19, 2022):

- a) The appointment or removal from office of any officer of the municipality;
- b) The hiring or dismissal of any employee of the municipality;
- c) The disposition of any real or personal property of the municipality which has a value exceeding \$50,000 at the time of disposal;
- d) Making any expenditure or incurring any other liability which exceeds \$50,000;

AND WHEREAS Section 23.1 of the Act states that Council is authorized to delegate certain powers and duties;

AND WHEREAS Section 5 of the Act provides that a municipality's power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin deems it expedient and necessary to delegate certain authorities for the restricted authority "Lame Duck" period, if it applies, between August 19, 2022 to November 14, 2022;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin hereby enacts as follows that:

1. That the Chief Administrative Officer- Clerk is hereby delegated authority as the financial signing authority for expenditures, outside the current approved budgets, exceeding \$50,000.
2. That the Chief Administrative Officer- Clerk is hereby delegated authority, including authority to execute the agreement of purchase and sale, pertaining to the disposition of any real or personal property of the municipality which has a value exceeding \$50,000 at the time of disposal.
3. That the Chief Administrative Officer-Clerk is hereby delegated authority to repeal by-laws appointing Officers of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin which have ceased employment with the Municipality and for hiring and removal of any employee of the Municipality.
4. Should delegated authority be exercised, the sitting Council shall be informed by way of an information report at the next regularly scheduled or special meeting called for this purpose.

This by-law shall be in force and effect upon passing only in the event that in one or both of the time periods Council, as determined by the Clerk, becomes "Lame Duck" and expire on November 15, 2022.

Read a first, second, and third time and finally passed this _____ day of _____, 2022.

MAYOR – Richard Stephens

CLERK – Ruth Frawley

I, _____, Clerk of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin, do hereby certify that this is a true copy of By-law 2022-14 as passed in open Council the _____ day of _____, 2022.

Clerk