

To: Mayor and Council
From: Tyler Moffitt, Fire Chief/CEMC
Date: September 18, 2019
Subject: Amended Automatic Aid Agreement

Background

An Automatic Aid Agreement and by-law was passed in open Council on the 9th day of July 2018, which was between the Corporations of the Townships of Chapple, Emo, La Vallee, and the Town of Fort Frances.

The Corporation of the Township of Alberton has agreed to initiate an Automatic Aid Agreement with the Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances. I have included a draft of an Amended Automatic Aid Agreement, which includes the Township of Alberton.

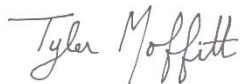
The Township of Alberton, as well as the Townships of Chapple, Emo, and La Vallee have copies of the amended Automatic Aid Agreement. In fact, the Township of Alberton has already approved the Automatic Aid Agreement in the draft form, which I provided to them.

As well other highlights are:

- Updated clearer language;
- Provision for assist coverage for water related emergency services;
- Provision for a water supply from fire hydrants for the Township of Alberton;
- An addition, which includes: Any disputes will first be negotiated between the respected parties; and Sixty-day timeline for negotiations between respected parties for any disputes.

The Administration & Finance Executive Committee recommends that Council approve the report as presented and recommends for council to bring forward the resolution to approve with proceeding with the signing of the Amended Automatic Aid Agreement with the Townships of Alberton, Chapple, Emo, and La Vallee, as well as adopt a By-Law.

Respectfully submitted,



Tyler Moffitt
Fire Chief/CEMC
Fort Frances Fire & Rescue Service

<p>Council approval of this report will agree to the recommendation of the Administration & Finance Executive Committee to approve this report as presented and bring forward the resolution to approve with proceeding with the signing of the Amended Automatic Aid Agreement with the Townships of Alberton, Chapple, Emo, and La Vallee, as well as adopt a By-Law.</p>
