



November 3, 2015

REPORT TO: Mayor & Council
FROM: Elizabeth (Lisa) Slomke, Town Clerk
SUBJECT: Council Remuneration

On February 8, 2010, Council passed and enacted By-law 02/10, being a by-law for the purpose of fixing remuneration and benefits for elected officials. This by-law provides terms and conditions for the remuneration of members of Council. One specific component of the above mentioned by-law is as follows:

Pursuant to Section 255(2) of the Municipal Act as amended, one-third (1/3) of the monthly remuneration of Council members as authorized during each term of Council shall be deemed as expenses incident to the discharge of their duties as members of Council.

The Municipal Act, 2001 s. 283 (7) dictates that Council shall review the above portion of the Council remuneration by-law at a public meeting once during its four year term of office, and must pass a resolution to allow for the one-third (1/3) of remuneration to continue to be allocated for expenses. The last review of this section of the by-law took place in November 2012.

On November 3, 2015, the Administration & Finance Executive Committee supported the action outlined in this report.

<p>Council approval of this report will provide for the statutory review of the by-law to deem one-third (1/3) of Council Remuneration as expenses incident to the discharge of the duties as members of Council.</p>
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