

**To:** Administration & Finance Executive Committee

**From:** Tyler Moffitt, Fire Chief/CEMC

**Date:** September 3, 2019

**Subject:** Amended Automatic Aid Agreement

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## **Background**

An Automatic Aid Agreement and by-law was passed in open Council on the 9<sup>th</sup> 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.

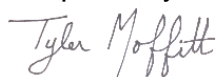
As well other highlights are:

- 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.

## **Recommendation**

That the Administration & Finance Executive Committee approves this report and directs Council to bring forward the resolution to proceed 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,



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