

THE CORPORATION OF HALDIMAND COUNTY

By-law Number /23

Being a by-law to amend By-law 2156/20, delegating authority on behalf of Council during a declared emergency

WHEREAS Section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act*, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended (the Act), states that a municipality shall exercise its capacity, rights, powers and privileges by by-law;

WHEREAS Section 23.1 of the Act authorizes a municipality to delegate its powers and duties under this or any other act;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend By-law 2156/20 delegating specific administrative powers, duties and functions during an emergency declared by the Province or by Haldimand County,

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of The Corporation of Haldimand County enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** Clause 1 of By-law 2156/20 be deleted and replaced with the following:

THAT further to the Procurement Policy, authority be delegated to the Chief Administrative Officer or designate during a declared emergency, to award any bids for goods, services and construction to an unlimited dollar value, where the intent is to continue the core business of the municipality or for purchases directly associated with the emergency, and to reallocate approved budget funds as necessary to effect such purchases, until such time as the emergency is concluded, or the authority is rescinded.
2. **AND THAT** this by-law shall come into force and effect on the date of passing.

READ a first and second time this 27th day of November, 2023.

READ a third time and finally passed this 27th day of November, 2023.

MAYOR

DEPUTY CLERK