

## BY-LAW NUMBER XXX-2024 OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD

BEING a By-law to authorize the execution of the Huron Perth Public Health Cost Apportionment Renewal Agreement with The Corporation of the Town of St. Marys, The Corporation of the County of Perth, and The Corporation of the County of Huron with respect to the provision of public health programs and services for a further four (4) year term effective January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2028.

**WHEREAS** the Health Protection and Promotion Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. H.7 (the "Act") provides for the organization and delivery of public health programs and services, the prevention of disease and the promotion and protection of the health of the people of Ontario;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 5(3) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by By-law;

**AND WHEREAS** the Perth District Health Unit and Huron County Health Unit merged into a single health unit as of January 1, 2020, called Huron Perth Public Health;

**AND WHEREAS** pursuant to Schedule 14 of Regulation 553 of the Revised Regulations of Ontario, 1990, as revised, under the Act, the Huron Perth Health Unit (the "Health Unit") is the health unit for the geographic areas governed by the Parties, effective January 1, 2020;

**AND WHEREAS** the Parties entered into a new Health Unit Cost Apportionment Agreement for updating the apportionment of costs for provision of public health programs and services as set out in the agreement in 2020;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council for The Corporation of the City of Stratford agrees to enter into a renewal of the Huron Perth Public Health Cost Apportionment Agreement for a further four (4) year term effective January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2028;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED** by the Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford as follows:

1. That the Huron Perth Public Health Cost Apportionment Renewal Agreement dated the 1st day January, 2025 between The Corporation of the City of Stratford, The Corporation of the Town of St. Marys, The Corporation of the County of Perth, and The Corporation of the County of Huron for a further

four-team term to December 31, 2028, be entered into and the Mayor and Clerk, or their respective delegates, be and the same are hereby authorized to execute the said agreement on behalf of and for this Corporation and to affix the corporate seal thereto.

2. This By-law shall come into force and take effect as of January 1, 2025.

Read a FIRST, SECOND and THIRD time and

FINALLY PASSED this 2nd day of July, 2024.

Mayor – Martin Ritsma

Clerk – Tatiana Dafoe