

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF GODERICH BY-LAW NO. 108 OF 2024

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTION OF AN ONTARIO TRANSFER PAYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF GODERICH AND HIS MAJESTY THE KING IN RIGHT OF ONTARIO AS REPRESENTED BY THE SOLICITOR GENERAL REGARDING FUNDING FOR THE PROJECT "HURON SAFE SCHOOLS & PROCEEDS OF CRIME INITATIVE" FOR THE SECOND AND THIRD FUNDING YEARS (2024/2025 AND 2025/2026) FROM THE PROCEEDS OF CRIME FRONT-LINE POLICING GRANT PROGRAM AND TO REPEAL BY-LAW 22 OF 2024

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 or regulation;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended permits the Councils of all municipalities to enter into certain agreements;

AND WHEREAS By-Law 22 of 2024 to enter into an Agreement with His Majesty the King in Right of Ontario as Represented by the Solicitor General regarding the administration of the Proceeds for the 2023-24 – 2025-26 Proceeds of Crime Front-Line Policing Grant Funding was passed on February 5, 2024;

AND WHEREAS the *Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019* came into force on April 1, 2024 that replaces Section 10 Police Service Boards with OPP Detachment Boards;

AND WHEREAS staff received notice from the Ministry of the Solicitor General on October 21, 2024 for the termination of the Transfer Payment Agreement 2023-24 – 2025-26 Proceeds of Crime Front-Line Policing Grant Funding, effective November 21, 2024;

AND WHEREAS the Council of Town of Goderich deems it desirable to enter into a new Ontario Transfer Payment agreement with His Majesty the King in Right of Ontario as Represented by the Solicitor General regarding the remaining funding for the project "Huron Safe Schools & Proceeds of Crime Initiative for the second and third funding years (2024/2025 and 2025/2026) from the Proceeds of Crime Front-Line Policing Grant;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF GODERICH ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the Agreement signed on February 5, 2024 shall be terminated effective November 12, 2024 and replaced by By-Law 108 of 2024.
- 2. That the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement between His Majesty the King in Right of Ontario as Represented by the Solicitor General regarding the remaining funding for the project "Huron Safe Schools & Proceeds of Crime Initiative for the second and third funding years (2024/2025 and 2025/2026) from the Proceeds of Crime Front-Line Policing Grant;
- 3. That the Agreement shall be attached to this By-Law as Schedule "A"

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND	THIRD	TIME	AND	FINALLY	PASSED	THIS
12 TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2024.						