

**The Corporation of the Township of Wollaston
By-Law 30-18**

**Being a By-Law to adopt the Emergency Management Program for the
Township of Wollaston, pursuant to Section 2.1 (1) of the Emergency
Management and Civil Protection Act, as amended**

WHEREAS the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act, Section 2.1 (1) requires every municipality to develop and implement an emergency management program;

AND WHEREAS Section 2.1 (2) of the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act stipulates the content of each municipality's emergency management program;

AND WHEREAS Section 14 (3) of the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act requires municipal emergency management programs to conform with regulatory standards (Ontario Regulation 380/04 Standards);

AND WHEREAS Section 4 (1) of the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act makes provision for the Head of Council to declare an emergency exists in the municipality or in any part thereof and authorizes the Head of Council to take such action and make such orders as he or she considers necessary and are not contrary to law to implement the emergency response plan and protect property and the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the emergency area;

AND WHEREAS Section 3 (1) of the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act authorizes employees of the municipality and other persons to respond to the emergency to ensure the provision of necessary services where an emergency exists but may have not yet been declared;

AND WHEREAS Section 10 (1) of the Ontario Regulation 380/04 Standards requires for the municipal designation of an emergency management program coordinator, referred to as a Community Emergency Management Coordinator by Emergency Management Ontario;

AND WHEREAS Section 14 (1) of the Ontario Regulation 380/04 Standards requires the municipal designation of an Emergency Information Officer;

AND WHEREAS Section 2.1 (2) (b) of the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act and Section 12 (3) of the Ontario Regulation 380/04 Standards require members of the community control group to complete the annual training that is required by the Chief, Emergency Management Ontario;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Wollaston enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** an Emergency Management Program be developed for Municipality of Wollaston consistent with and in accordance with the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act;
2. **THAT** the Emergency Management Program for the Township of Wollaston shall be consistent with the objectives of protecting public safety, public health, the environment, critical infrastructure and property, and to promotion economic stability and a disaster-resilient community;
3. **THAT** the Township of Wollaston Emergency Management Program shall be reviewed annually by the Emergency Management Program Committee, and be amended as required by the Community Emergency Management Coordinator in keeping with legislative and/or provincial emergency management standard changes;

4. **THAT** the Township of Wollaston designate specific employees, to both the Community Emergency Management Coordinator and Emergency Information Officer positions on a permanent basis;

5. **THAT** the Township of Wollaston Emergency Management Program include annual training opportunities to employees assigned emergency management functions;

6. **THAT** the Emergency Plan, attached hereto as Schedule A and forming part of this bylaw, is hereby adopted;

7. **THAT** the appendices to Schedule A are confidential and are subject to on-going and annual revision;

8. **THAT** the CEMC and Clerk are hereby delegated authority to make minor amendments to the Plan where necessary;

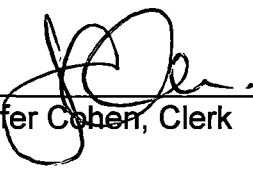
9. **THAT** all previous By-Laws adopting the Emergency Plan for the Township of Wollaston are repealed;

10. **THAT** this bylaw shall come into force and effect upon being passed by Council.

PASSED this 24th day of July, 2018.



Graham Blair Reeve



Jennifer Cohen, Clerk