## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF PRESCOTT

## **BY-LAW NO. 40-2016**

## A BY-LAW TO SET THE REMUNERATION RATES FOR MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

## Being a by-law to set the remuneration rates for Members of Council

**WHEREAS** Section 283 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, authorizes a council to pass a by-law to pay remuneration and expenses for members of council;

**NOW THEREFORE,** the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Prescott hereby enacts as follows:

- Commencing September 1, 2016:
  - a. The mayor will be paid an honorarium of \$16,999 as a base and \$2,402 (\$7,206, prorated for 4 months remaining in 2016) for attendance at additional county and regional meetings per year.
  - b. Each Councillor will be paid an honorarium of \$9,700.
- 2. Commencing January 1, 2017:
  - a. The mayor will be paid an honorarium of \$18,845 as a base and \$7,206 for attendance at additional county and regional meetings per year.
  - b. Each Councillor will be paid an honorarium of \$10,338.
- 3. Commencing January 1, 2018:
  - a. The mayor will be paid an honorarium of \$20,691 as a base and \$7,206 for attendance at additional county and regional meetings per year.
  - b. Each Councillor will be paid an honorarium of \$10,338.
- 4. The amounts stated in point 2 and 3 are to be increased on the first of January of each year, starting January 1, 2017, in accordance with the rate of inflation as formally determined by the federal government, Consumer Price Index (CPI) specifically based on all items for Ontario. The resulting amounts will be rounded to the nearest dollar.
- 5. The honorariums noted in points 1, 2, and 3 will be paid on a pro-rated formula for any portions of a year unless already noted as being prorated in points 1, 2, and 3.
- 6. The amounts stated in points 1, 2, and 3 do not include any honorarium for membership on the Police Services Board where applicable.

- 7. Deemed one-third expense allowance: By-Law # 18-2002 enacted on October 7, 2002, being a by-law to establish the one-third of council remuneration as expenses incidental to the discharge of council duties, allows that one-third of the remuneration paid to members of Council continues as expenses incidental to the discharge of their duties as members of Council or the Prescott Police Services Board.
- 8. In accordance with Section 283 (7) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, the council shall review this by-law at a public meeting at least once during the four year period corresponding to the term of office of its members after a regular election.
- 9. Upon the passing of this by-law, all previous by-laws or portions of by-laws pertaining to council remuneration are hereby repealed, excluding By-Law 18-2002.
- 10. This by-law shall come into force and take effect upon final passage.
- 11. That should any other existing by-laws, resolutions, or actions of the Corporation of the Town of Prescott be deemed to be inconsistent with the provisions of this by-law, the provisions of this by-law shall prevail.

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME THIS 29th DAY OF AUGUST, 2016.

READ A THIRD AND FINAL TIME AND PASSED THIS 29<sup>th</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2016.

Mayor

Mayor

Clerk

Clerk