THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF PRESCOTT

BY-LAW NO. 29-2023

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*, as amended provides for the passing of by-laws for the paying of remuneration to members of Council; and

WHEREAS the Town of Prescott did not revoke By-law 18-2002 under Subsection 255 (2) or (3) of the old Act before January 1, 2003, declaring that one-third of the remuneration paid to the elected members of council is deemed as expenses incident to the discharge of their duties as members of the council; and

WHEREAS the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as amended provides that the powers of every Council are to be exercised by By-law; and

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Prescott deems it appropriate to pass such a By-law.

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

- 1. Effective January 1, 2023, annual remuneration shall be paid to each member of Council of the Corporation of the Town of Prescott, as set out in Schedule 'A' attached hereto.
- 2. The remuneration amount for 2023 shall be retroactive to January 1, 2023.
- 3. Such remuneration shall be paid bi-weekly, and in the event of the death of a member or upon them ceasing to be a member for any reason before the expiration of their term of office, the amount payable to the member or to members personal representative shall be in proportion to the period of their service during such term.
- 4. In accordance with Section 283 (7) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, the council shall review this by-law at least once during the corresponding term of office of its members after a regular election.
- 5. Upon the passing of this by-law, By-Law 40-2016 and all previous by-laws or portions of by-laws pertaining to council remuneration are hereby repealed.

6. 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 AND PASSED, SIGNED AND SEALED THE 19th DAY OF JUNE 2023.

Original signed by

Original signed by

Mayor

Clerk

By-law 29-2023 Schedule 'A' Council Remuneration

Annual Remuneration Commencing January 1, 2023				
Position	2023	2024	2025	2026
Mayor – Base	26,685	29,418 amount + CPI from 2023	2024 amount + CPI from 2024	2025 amount + CPI from 2025
Mayor – County and Regional Meetings	7,321	7,321	7,321	7,321
Councillor	13,609	15,397 amount + CPI from 2023	2024 amount + CPI from 2024	2025 + CPI from 2025

CPI = Consumer Price Index for Ontario for November as published in December, as per Statistics Canada.