

The Corporation of the Municipality of South Bruce By-Law No. 2017-34

Being a by-law to amend by-law no. 2015-96 – being a by-law to establish and regulate a fire department in the Municipality of South Bruce

WHEREAS Section 2 of the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 S.O. 1997, c.4 as amended, requires municipalities to establish a fire department;

AND WHEREAS Sections 8 (1) and 9 of the Municipal Act, , 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provide that the powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues and 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 pursuant to the said Municipal Act, Section 11 (2) provides that a lower-tier municipality may pass by-laws, respecting the governance structure of the municipality and its local boards;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of South Bruce passed, on December 8, 2015 By-law No. 2015-96 being a By-law to Establish and Regulate a Fire Department in the Municipality of South Bruce;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of South Bruce deems it necessary to amend By-law No. 2015-96 to allow members of the Fire Department to respond to a call with respect to an emergency outside the limits of the municipality when requested to assist another department as part of the Bruce County Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Response Team.;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of South Bruce **ENACTS** as follows:

1.0 That Section 5. (f) be added as follows:

5.(f) when members of the fire department are requested to assist another department as part of the Bruce County Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Response Team.

2.0 This by-law may be cited as the "Establish and Regulate Municipality of South Bruce Fire Department Amendment (2017) By-law"

READ a FIRST and SECOND TIME this 25th day of April, 2017.

READ a THIRD TIME and FINALLY PASSED this 25th day of April, 2017.