

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF WEST NIPISSING

BY-LAW 2017/85

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE OPP CONTRACT POLICING PROPOSAL FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF WEST NIPISSING

WHEREAS Section 4(1) of the *Police Services Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.15 as amended, states that a municipality is required to provide adequate and effective police services in accordance with its needs;

AND WHEREAS Section 5(5) of the said *Police Services Act* provides that a Council may enter into an agreement, under Section 10 of the Act, alone or jointly with one or more other councils, to have police services provided by the Ontario Provincial Police;

AND WHEREAS Sections 8(1) and 9 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides 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 has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act, 2006, c. 32, Sched. A, s. 8;

AND WHEREAS Council for the Municipality of West Nipissing requested a Police Costing Proposal from the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) by resolution no. 2016/431 which was passed at the meeting held on October 18th, 2016;

AND WHEREAS the OPP presented their Contract Policing Proposal to Council for the Municipality of West Nipissing at the November 14th, 2017 meeting;

AND WHEREAS a Public Forum was held on November 22nd, 2017 to receive comments and questions from the residents of the Municipality of West Nipissing regarding the OPP Contract Policing Proposal;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF WEST NIPISSING ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the OPP Contract Policing Proposal, dated November 14th, 2017, be accepted;
- 2. That this By-law shall come into full force and effect upon the day it is passed.

ENACTED AND PASSED THIS $5^{\rm H}$ DAY OF DECEMBER, 2017 AS WITNESSED BY THE SEAL OF THE CORPORATION AND THE HANDS OF ITS PROPER OFFICERS.

JOANNE SAVAGE

MAYOR

MELANIE DUCHARME

CLERK