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The Regional Municipality of Durham Report

To: Regional Council
From: Acting Director of Emergency Management
Report: #2024-A-12
Date: June 26, 2024

Subject:

Appointment of the Regional Fire Coordinator and Alternate Regional Fire Coordinator

Recommendation:

That it be recommended to Regional Council:

- A) That Fire Chief Stephen Boyd be appointed Regional Fire Coordinator, effective June 7, 2024;
- B) That Deputy Fire Chief Randy Cowan be appointed Alternate Regional Fire Coordinator, effective June 13, 2024; and
- C) That Honoraria for these positions be provided as per the annual Regional budget.

Report:

1. Purpose

Regional By-Law 15-2021 provides for the appointment by Council of a Fire Chief of one of the area municipalities as Regional Fire Coordinator and an additional Fire Chief as an Alternate.

The Regional Fire Coordinator is assigned responsibilities in the Durham Region Emergency Master Plan for emergency planning and response activities as a member of the Regional Control Group.

Fire Chief Stephen Boyd, on behalf of the Durham Region Fire Chiefs Association, has advised the Region that the appointments require updating by Regional Council. The recommended appointments have been endorsed by the Association.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Recommended for Presentation to Council

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