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Municipality of Huron Shores

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July 15, 2025

Attention: Office of the Fire Marshal Ministry of the Solicitor General 25 Morton Shulman Avenue Toronto, Ontario M3M 0B1

**Subject:** Opposition to Mandatory Firefighter Certification Requirements

The Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Huron Shores passed Resolution #25-18-17 at the Regular Meeting held Wednesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025, as follows:

"WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has enacted O. Reg. 343/22, mandating firefighter certification requirements, which present significant challenges for small, rural, and northern municipalities—particularly those relying on volunteer fire departments with limited access to training and funding;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Municipality of Huron Shores supports the Township of Black River-Matheson's resolution regarding O. Reg. 343/22;

AND THAT this resolution be forwarded to the Office of the Fire Marshal, the Solicitor General, the Premier of Ontario, MPP Bill Rosenberg, AMO, FONOM, and all Ontario municipalities."



Should you require anything further in order to address the above-noted resolution, please contact the undersigned

Yours truly,



Natashia Roberts

CAO/Clerk NR/KN

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