

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS

BY-LAW NO. 2019-35

**BEING A BY-LAW AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING-
EAST PARRY SOUND MUTUAL AID PLAN**

WHEREAS Section 8 of the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c. 25, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the Act;

AND WHEREAS Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, provides that Sections 8 and 10 shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on municipalities to (a) enable municipalities to govern their affairs as they consider appropriate and, (b) enhance their ability to respond to municipal issues;

AND WHEREAS the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997, Part II, section (5) A municipality may, under such conditions as may be specified in the agreement, enter into an agreement to,

(a) provide such fire protection services as may be specified in the agreement to lands or premises that are situated outside the territorial limits of the municipality; and

(b) receive such fire protection services as may be specified in the agreement from a fire department situated outside the territorial limits of the municipality.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris enacts as follows:

1. THAT the East Ferris Fire Department be authorized to leave the limits of the municipality or fire area, at the discretion of the Fire Chief or designate and under the direction of the District of Nipissing-East Parry Sound Fire Co-Ordinator to respond to calls for assistance from other fire departments authorized to participate in the District of Nipissing-East Parry Sound Mutual Aid Plan or any other County, District or Regional Mutual Aid Plan on a reciprocal basis.

2. In case the provisions of this By-law conflict with the provisions of other authorized fire protection agreements, the provisions of this By-law shall prevail.

3. That By-law No. 1210 be repealed in its entirety.

This By-law comes into effect on the day it is passed in the usual fashion and is to be reviewed every 5 years.

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME this 9th day of July, 2019.

READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED this 9th day of July, 2019.

Mayor
Pauline Rochefort

Clerk
Monica L. Hawkins