



BY-LAW NUMBER 20181-

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Barrie to enter into an Agreement with the Association of Municipalities of Ontario for the transfer of the Main Street Initiative funds.

WHEREAS Section 8 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 ("the *Municipal Act*, 2001"), provides that the powers of a municipality shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on municipalities 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 WHEREAS Section 9 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, 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 10 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, provides that a single-tier municipality may pass by-laws respecting matters within the spheres of jurisdiction set out therein;

AND WHEREAS motion 18-G-014 provides staff with the authorization to submit applications for grants that would reduce expenditures associated with projects, programs and services approved as part of the operating and capital budget; and

AND WHEREAS the Province of Ontario is making \$26 million available for the allocation for the purposes of supporting municipal Main Street Revitalization Initiatives in Ontario;

AND WHEREAS the Association of Municipalities of Ontario has agreed to administer Main Street Revitalization Funds made available to all Ontario municipalities, excluding Toronto;

AND WHEREAS the City of Barrie has been approved to receive a grant in the amount of to be applied to the construction of the components of the Dunlop Street East Corridor Improvements.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED The Council of The Corporation of the City of Barrie adopted motion 18-G-XXX to accept the Main Street Initiatives Grant funding in the amount of \$154,708.50 to be applied to the construction of components of the Dunlop Street East Corridor Improvements as identified in Staff Report ENG015-18;

1. **THAT** the City of Barrie enter into a Municipal Funding Agreement with the Association of Municipalities of Ontario to receive the Main Street Initiatives Grant funding;
2. **THAT** the Mayor and City Clerk on behalf of The Corporation of the City of Barrie be authorized to execute the Municipal Funding Agreement;
3. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and effect immediately upon passing thereof.

READ a first and second time the 25th day of June 2018.

READ a third time and finally passed this 25th day of June 2018.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BARRIE

MAYOR – J.R. LEHMAN

CITY CLERK – WENDY COOKE