



TOWNSHIP OF NORTH HURON

REPORT

Item No.

REPORT TO: Reeve Vincent and Members of Council
PREPARED BY: Richard AI, Clerk / Manager of IT
DATE: 04/12/2017
SUBJECT: Emergency Management Plan Review and Update
ATTACHMENTS: North Huron Emergency Plan 2017

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the Council of the Township of North Huron hereby receives the report of the Clerk/Manager of IT dated December 4, 2017 regarding the Emergency Management Plan Review and Update; AND FURTHER, that Council hereby accepts the recommended updates as proposed by the Emergency Management Program Committee; AND FURTHER, that Council directs the Clerk to prepare a by-law for the December 18, 2017 Council Meeting, to adopt the updated and revised version of the Township of North Huron Emergency Management Plan.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Township of North Huron Emergency Management Program Committee recently completed a review of the Township's Emergency Plan and made revisions as proposed by the Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC).

DISCUSSION

The new Plan reflects Emergency Management best practices and current legislation as required by the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act, as well as conforms with the other Huron County lower-tier Municipal Plans.

The new format not only simplifies and streamlines the Plan, but more closely reflects the roles and responsibilities of Township departments and support agencies.

A by-law to adopt the revised and updated Plan could be prepared for the December 18, 2017 Council Meeting which would repeal the previous Emergency Plan by-law and any amendments thereto and replace it with the new Emergency Management Plan along with associated Schedules as revised to reflect the updates specified in the updated Plan.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None at this time.

FUTURE CONSIDERATIONS

The revised and updated Emergency Management Plan is formatted to enable ease of use such that if an emergency situation occurs requiring the Township to access the Emergency Plan, the comprehensive information contained within the Plan is presented in a straightforward manner. Having quick access to clear and concise information when dealing with emergency situations is essential.

RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC PLAN

Goal 3: Our Community is Healthy and Safe



Richard AI, Clerk/Manager of IT



Dwayne Evans, CAO