

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH HURON

REPORT

Item No.

REPORT TO: Reeve Vincent and Members of Council PREPARED BY: Sean McGhee, Director of Public Works

DATE: 13/08/2018

SUBJECT: Proposed Amendments to Belgrave Water Servicing Agreement

ATTACHMENTS: North Huron By-Law No. 51-2014 Belgrave Water Servicing By-law, Morris-

Turnberry By-Law Agreement for Belgrave Water System amendments to

Schedule A & B

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the Council of the Township of North Huron hereby receive the report of the Director of Public Works, dated August 13th, 2018 regarding proposed amendments to the water servicing agreement between the Municipality of Morris-Turnberry and the Township of North Huron;

AND FURTHER, THAT North Huron By-Law No. 51-2014 be amended to incorporate the revised Schedule "A" and Schedule "B" of the Morris-Turnberry water servicing policy for the Belgrave Water System.

AND FURTHER, THAT Council approves an exemption to Section 19.1 of the Procedural By-Law to allow By-Law #74-2018 to be passed at the July 17, 2017 meeting.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Municipality of Morris-Turnberry provides municipal water service to North Huron properties in Belgrave. The Township of North Huron formally adopted the Morris-Turnberry Policy of Connection Regulation for the Belgrave Water System through By-Law No. 51-2014.

The Municipality of Morris-Turnberry was recently approached by a North Huron property owner who expressed an interest to connect to the Belgrave Water System. Morris-Turnberry and North Huron staff met and it was determined this request can be accommodated through an amendment to Schedule "A" of Morris-Turnberry's Policy Connection By-law. The amendment includes adding the North Huron resident's property to Schedule "A". To provide an adjacent property owner with the same option, should they wish to connect at some point in the future, staff are recommending two properties (8 Queen St. (the requestor) and 10 Queen Street) be added.

In the process of preparing the amendment, Morris-Turnberry staff also updated the fees and charges associated with connection to the system which are found in Schedule "B" of their policy. See attached.

DISCUSSION

The amendments to the Belgrave Water Servicing Policy were adopted by the Morris-Turnberry Council at their August 7th, 2018 meeting.

A North Huron By-law authorizing the amendments to By-Law 51-2014 aligns with Morris-Turnberry's policies and permits these two properties, should they wish to do so, to connect to the Belgrave Water System.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None

FUTURE CONSIDERATIONS

None at this time.

RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC PLAN

This project relates to **Goal No. 2** of the Strategic Plan in that our residents are engaged and well informed.

Sean McGhee, Director of Public Works

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