THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP BILLINGS

BY-LAW 2020-39

Being a by-law to update Mayor and Councillor remuneration

WHEREAS the Ontario *Municipal Act*, as amended, Section 283 (1) allows a municipality to pay any part of the remuneration and expenses of the members of any local board of the municipalities and of the officers and employees of a local board; and,

WHEREAS the Ontario *Municipal Act*, as amended, Section (2) allows that the municipality may only pay the expenses of the members of its council or of a local board of the municipality and of the officers and employees of the municipality or local board if the expenses are of those persons in their capacity of members, officer or employees and if, (a) the expenses are actually incurred; or (b) the expenses, are, in lieu of the expenses incurred, a reasonable estimate, in the opinion of the council or local board, of the actual expensed that would be incurred;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Billings hereby declares that stipends shall be as follows:

Mayor: \$425 per month and \$95 per Board/Committee meeting

Councillors: \$300 per month and \$75 per Board/Committee meeting

All members of Council \$75 per day for conference/educational sessions and travel days if overnight accommodations are required.

Attendance Registers are to be submitted to the Treasurer no later than the last day of the month of March, June, September and December.

AND FURTHER that the stipends shall be increased each year, effective January 1, 2021 by the November Ontario Consumer Price Index – All items for the previous calendar year;

AND FURTHER that the expense repayment to Councillors shall be dispersed only when the activity is authorized by Resolution of Council at these rates:

Actual meal costs up to \$90.00 per day

Actual accommodation costs

Mileage costs for use of own vehicle when another staff or municipal vehicle is not duplicating the trip, for meetings held outside of the Township of Billings at the rate of \$0.52 per kilometre.

AND FURTHER that this by-law shall repeal any other by-laws that are inconsistent with the provision hereof.

AND FURTHER that this by-law comes into effect January 1, 2020.

Read a first time this 19th day of October,2020

n Anderson, Mayor Kathy McDonald, CAO/Clerk