

COUNTY OF OXFORD

BY-LAW NO. 6664-2024

**BEING** a By-law to authorize the Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Public Works to sign an Easement Agreement with the City of Woodstock to permit legal access to operate and maintain existing water and wastewater infrastructure on McQueen Street, between Metcalf Street and Reeve Street, in the City of Woodstock.

**WHEREAS**, the Table to Section 11 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, Chapter 25, prescribes that the County of Oxford has exclusive jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to water distribution and the collection of sanitary sewage.

**WHEREAS**, Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, Chapter 25, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act.

**AND WHEREAS**, Council has adopted in Public Works Report PW 2024-35, dated September 25, 2024.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Council of the County of Oxford hereby enacts as follows:

1. That the Chief Administrative Officer and Director of Public Works are authorized and instructed to enter into an Easement Agreement with the Corporation of the City of Woodstock, as required for the County to obtain legal access to operate and maintain existing water and wastewater infrastructure for the property legally known as MCQUEEN ST PL 47 BTN METCALFE ST & REEVE ST; WOODSTOCK, being all of PIN 00104-0244.
2. That the Chief Administrative Officer and Director of Public Works are authorized to execute the related Acknowledgement and Direction to allow the City of Woodstock to complete the easement transfer/registration.

**READ** a first and second time this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024.

**READ** a third time and finally passed this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024.

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MARCUS RYAN, WARDEN

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LINDSEY A. MANSBRIDGE, CLERK