

CENTRAL YORK FIRE SERVICES

FIRE SERVICES REPORT 2020-10

To: Joint Council Committee

Origin: Central York Fire Services - Deputy Chief Rocco Volpe

Subject: A By-Law to Regulate Central York Fire Services

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Fire Services Report 2020-10 dated November 24, 2020 be received; and,

- 2. That Council enact the By-Law to Regulate Central York Fire Services; and
- **3.** That Staff authorized and directed to do all the things necessary to give effect to this resolution.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to provide JCC with information with respect to enacting a By-Law to regulate what the business delivery model is for Central York Fire Services.

BACKGROUND

The *Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997* requires every municipality in Ontario to provide a public fire safety education program, various fire prevention services, and such other fire protection services as necessary in accordance with its needs and circumstances. The Act prescribes that Council is ultimately responsible for establishing the level of service provided by the fire department.

In order to comply with the Act, and to ensure that an effective fire protection service delivery model is provided for the community, a *By-Law to Establish & Regulate a Fire Department*, is essential to formally establish a fire department for the Town of Newmarket to explicitly identify the Council-approved services it provides.

The following amendments attached to this report has been prepared and presented to JCC to reflect what currently the business delivery model is for Central York Fire Services.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None.

CONCLUSION

Staff recommends that Council approve By-Law 2020-XX to reflect what currently the business delivery model is for CYFS.

CONSULTATION

The Senior Fire Management Team consulted with the Town of Newmarket Legal Department.

IMPACT ON THE MASTER FIRE PLAN

This report has no impact on the Master Fire Plan.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1 - Draft By-Law 2021-XX