## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COBOURG



## BY-LAW NUMBER 002-2018

A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW NO. 085-2016 BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF ONTARIO (AS REPRESENTED BY THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS) AND THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COBOURG FOR THE SMALL COMMUNITIES FUND (SCF) AS A COMPONENT OF THE NEW BUILDING CANADA FUND (NBFC). (HARDEN STREET BRIDGE REHABILITATION PROJECT – SCF FILE NUMBER SCF-0675 CA)

**WHEREAS** pursuant to Section 9 of the *Municipal Act* S.O. 2001 provides in part 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** the Government of Canada established the Small Communities Fund (the "SCF") as a component of the New Building Canada Fund under the Economic Action Plan 2013 as a renewed commitment to infrastructure priorities across Canada:

**AND WHEREAS** the Government of Canada has committee funding towards the SCF for projects in smaller communities that address local priorities while contributing to national or regional objectives, support economic growth, a clean environment and stronger communities;

**AND WHEREAS** the Government of Canada and the Province of Ontario have agreed to make a non-repayable contribution to the Corporation of The Town of Cobourg as amended up to the maximum amount of **two hundred sixteen thousand one hundred and seventy two dollars (\$216,172.00)** in support of the 'Recipient's' eligible costs of the Project for the rehabilitation of the Harden Street Bridge in the Town of Cobourg as defined within the Agreement;

**AND WHEREAS** the purpose of the New Building Canada – Small Communities Fund is to improve and renew public infrastructure in Ontario's communities with populations under one hundred thousand people and the agreement will set out the rights, obligations and requirements with respect to investments under NBCF-SCF;

**AND WHEREAS** the Cobourg Municipal Council has expressed a desire to enter into an agreement with Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario, as represented by the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs for a financial contribution to assist with the repair, rehabilitation and an expansion of an existing community infrastructure asset known as the Harden Street Bridge in the Town of Cobourg;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg enacts as follows:

- 1. THAT the Mayor and Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized and instructed to execute on behalf of the Corporation an Agreement with Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario, as represented by the Minister responsible for Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, for the New Building Canada Fund - Small Communities Fund (NBCF-SCP) Program.
- 2. THAT the Government of Canada and the Province of Ontario agree to make a non-repayable contribution to the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg up to the maximum amount of \$216,173.00 in support of the Town of Cobourg's ('Recipient's') eligible costs of the Project for the rehabilitation of the Harden Street Bridge in the Town of Cobourg as defined in the Agreement.
- 3. THAT the Completion date of this Project be amended to November 13, 2017.
- 4. THAT the expiration date of the Agreement is December 31, 2023.
- 5. THAT By-law No.002-2017 be hereby repealed.
- 6. This by-law shall take effect upon the day of passing.

By-law read and passed in Open Council this 15th day of January, 2018.