



BY – LAW No. 13-18

The Corporation of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville

A BY-LAW TO ADOPT THE 2013 ESTIMATES AND SET RATES OF TAXATION FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR 2013

WHEREAS the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, shall in each year prepare and adopt estimates of the sums it requires during the year for the purposes of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville pursuant to Section 311(2) of the Municipal Act, S.O., Chapter 25; and

WHEREAS it is necessary for the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville pursuant to Section 311(2) of the Municipal Act, to raise certain sums for the year 2013; and

WHEREAS all property assessment rolls on which the 2013 taxes are to be levied have been returned and revised pursuant to the provisions of the Assessment Act R.S.O. 1990, c.31, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Assessment Act") subject to appeals at present before the Assessment Review Board the Ontario Municipal Board and the District Court; and

WHEREAS "Residential Assessment", "Multi-Residential Assessment", "Commercial Assessment", "Industrial Assessment", "Pipeline Assessment", "Farmland Assessment" and "Managed Forest Assessment", and the applicable subclass pursuant to Section 7 of the Assessment Act have been determined on the basis of the aforementioned property assessment rolls; and

WHEREAS the sums required by taxation in the year 2013 are to be levied by separate rates by the Local Municipalities for the estimated expenditures for general county purposes, after deductions of other revenues, as directed by the County By-law pursuant to Section 311(2) of the Municipal Act; and

WHEREAS the tax ratios and the tax rate reductions for prescribed property subclasses on the aforementioned property for the 2013 taxation year have been set out in By-law

No. 13-17 of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville dated the 21st day of March, 2013; and

WHEREAS the tax rates on the aforementioned property classes, "Residential Assessment", "Multi-Residential Assessment", "Commercial Assessment", "Industrial Assessment", "Pipeline Assessment", "Farmlands Assessment", and "Managed Forests Assessment" and the applicable subclasses have been calculated pursuant to the provisions of the Municipal Act in the manner set out herein; and

WHEREAS Section 311(13) provides for the manner in which a lower-tier municipality in a county shall pay amounts to the upper-tier municipality; and

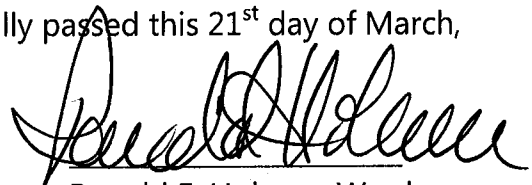
WHEREAS By-law 09-91 dated the 18th day of February, 2010 provided for payment by instalment by the local municipalities on March 31st, June 30th, September 30th and December 15th;

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE UNITED COUNTIES OF LEEDS AND GRENVILLE HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

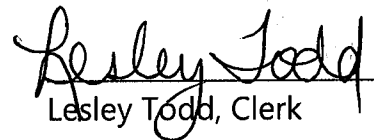
1. **THAT** the 2013 Operating Expenditures in the amount of \$73,321,010 attached as Schedule "A" to this By-law be adopted; and
2. **THAT** the 2013 Transfer to Capital Budget in the amount of \$923,794 attached as Schedule "A" to this By-law be adopted; and
3. **THAT** the 2013 Contributions to Reserves in the amount of \$702,228 attached as Schedule "A" to this By-law be adopted; and
4. **THAT** the 2013 Contributions to Amortization in the amount of \$7,941,302 attached as Schedule "A" to this By-law be adopted; and
5. **THAT** the 2013 Revenue in the amount of \$50,384,945 attached as Schedule "A" to this By-law be adopted; and
6. **THAT** the 2013 County Levy required from Local Municipalities in the amount of \$32,503,389 attached as Schedule "A" be adopted; and
7. **THAT** the 2013 Capital Budget in the amount of \$20,433,346 attached as Schedule "B" to this By-law be adopted; and

8. **THAT** Counties Council directs the Council of each Local Municipality to levy the tax rates as specified in Schedule "C" as attached; and
9. **THAT** the property tax levy for general purposes, as levied against each local municipality, be paid to the Treasurer of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville in the following manner:
 - i. 25 per cent of the amount required to be raised by the lower-tier municipality for upper-tier purposes in the previous year, on or before March 31st.
 - ii. 50 per cent of the amount required to be raised by the lower-tier municipality for upper-tier purposes in the current year less the amount of the instalment paid under paragraph i, on or before June 30th.
 - iii. 25 per cent of such current amount, on or before September 30th.
 - iv. The balance of the entitlement for the year, on or before December 15th.
10. **THAT** this by-law comes into force on the day it is passed.

By-law read a first, second and third time and finally passed this 21st day of March, 2013.



Ronald E. Holman, Warden



Lesley Todd, Clerk