

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN

**Resolution**

DATE November 9, 2021

NO. 2021-268

MOVED BY Sandy Cross

SECONDED BY Christine Shippam

WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has reduced and/or withdrawn funding over the past 10+ years to municipalities and their associated boards, and continues to do so;

WHEREAS because of the reduced funding all parties are and will be required to reduce or cut spending for hiring, salaries, administrative overhead, planned projects, and supplied services, and;

WHEREAS the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) in a meeting on October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021 with the member municipalities has indicated that there will be a levy increase of approximately 4.5% in the upcoming 2022 year, and;

WHEREAS the operation levy and proportion of the capital rebuild costs for Cassellholme are steadily increasing as well, and;

WHEREAS the Government of Canada is trying to eliminate or significantly reduce the use of carbon based industries by the year 2030 which could potentially mean the elimination of the pipeline running through the Municipality of Calvin;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Municipality of Calvin requests that the levies and capital rebuild costs be calculated using Population and/or Current Value Assessment, in order to make the Municipality of Calvin's portion more accurately reflect our community's benefit from both DNSSAB and Cassellholme services. Currently, the levy is being calculated by DNSSAB and Cassellholme using Weighted Assessment which provides a skewed representation and the Municipality may not have this source of revenue over the next 25 years for the Cassellholme capital rebuild project.

Be IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT a Copy of this Motion be sent to the Honourable Vic Fedeli, MPP(Nipissing), the Honourable John Yakabuski, MPP (Renfrew – Nipissing – Pembroke) and our neighbouring municipalities of the Town of Mattawa, the Municipality of East Ferris, Municipality of Mattawan, Township of Papineau-Cameron, Township of Bonfield for their consideration; and further that a copy of this Motion be sent to the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board and the Cassellholme for the Aged Board.



CARRIED \_\_\_\_\_

DIVISION VOTE

<u>NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
<u>Coun Cross</u>	<u>  X  </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>Coun</u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>Coun</u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>Coun Shippam</u>	<u>  X  </u>	<u>      </u>
<u>Mayor Pennell</u>	<u>  X  </u>	<u>      </u>