THE VILLAGE OF MERRICKVILLE-WOLFORD

BY-LAW NUMBER 33-16

A BY-LAW OF THE VILLAGE OF MERRICKVILLE-WOLFORD TO AUTHORIZE THE BORROWING UPON AMORTIZING DEBENTURES IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$350,000.00 TOWARDS THE COST OF THE PUMPER PROJECT

AND WHEREAS subsection 401 (1) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, as amended (the "Act") provides that a municipality may incur a debt for municipal purposes, whether by borrowing money or in any other way, and may issue debentures and prescribed financial instruments and enter prescribed financial agreements for or in relation to the debt;

AND WHEREAS subsection 408 (2.1) of the Act provides that a municipality may issue a debenture or other financial instrument for long-term borrowing only to provide financing for a capital work;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Village of Merrickville-Wolford (the "Municipality") has passed the By-law or By-laws, as applicable, enumerated in column (1) of Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this By-law authorizing the capital work described in column (2) of Schedule "A" (individually a "Capital Work" and collectively the "Capital Works", as the case may be), and authorizing the entering into of a Financing Agreement dated effective as of November 04, 2016 for the provision of temporary and long term borrowing from Ontario Infrastructure and Lands Corporation ("OILC") in respect of the Capital Work(s) (the "Financing Agreement") and the Municipality desires to issue debentures for the Capital Work(s) in the amount or respective amounts, as applicable, specified in column (5) of Schedule "A";

AND WHEREAS before authorizing the Capital Work(s) and before authorizing any additional cost amount and any additional debenture authority in respect thereof the Council of the Municipality had its Treasurer calculate an updated limit in respect of its most recent annual debt and financial obligation limit received from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing in accordance with the applicable regulation and, prior to the Council of the Municipality authorizing the Capital Work(s), each such additional cost amount and each such additional debenture authority, the Treasurer determined that the estimated annual amount payable in respect of the Capital Work(s), each such additional cost amount and each such additional debenture authority, would not cause the Municipality to exceed the updated limit and that the approval of the Capital Work(s), each such additional cost amount and each such additional debenture authority, by the Ontario Municipal Board pursuant to such regulation was not required;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality has submitted an application to OILC for long term borrowing through the issue of debentures to OILC in respect of the Capital Work(s) (the "Application") and the Application has been approved;

AND WHEREAS to provide long term financing for the Capital Work(s) and to repay certain temporary advances in respect of the Capital Work(s) made by OILC pursuant to

- 20. Subject to the Municipality's investment policies and goals, the applicable legislation and the terms and conditions of the Debentures, the Municipality may, if not in default under the Debentures, at any time purchase any of the Debentures in the open market or by tender or by private contract at any price and on such terms and conditions (including, without limitation, the manner by which any tender offer may be communicated or accepted and the persons to whom it may be addressed) as the Municipality may in its discretion determine.
- 21. This By-law takes effect on the day of passing.

By-law read a first and second time this 12th day of December, 2016

By-law read a third time and finally passed this 12th day of December, 2016

David Nash

Mayor

John Regan Clerk