

THE TOWN OF STRATFORD RESOLUTION

<u>CW004 - 2020 Council Remuneration and Allowances</u> Commission

Motion Carried	Council Chambers
Motion Lost	Town Hall
Motion Withdrawn	June 10, 2020
Committee	Committee of the Whole
Moved by Councillor	Gail MacDonald
Seconded by Councillor	Gary Clow

WHEREAS 1/3 of Council's remuneration was considered non-taxable by the Canadian Revenue Agency until the rule was changed on January 1, 2019 to remove that benefit; and

WHEREAS Council remuneration is reviewed periodically to ensure that Council members are fairly compensated for their duties and expenses and many municipalities have reviewed Council compensation following the CRA tax ruling change; and

WHEREAS Section 82 of the Municipal Government Act requires Council to appoint an independent Remuneration and Allowances Commission to review and to make recommendations to Council before altering existing types, rates and conditions of compensation, allowances or benefits to be paid to members of Council.

BE IT RESOLVED that a Council Remuneration and Allowances Commission be hereby established, that the attached Terms of Reference for the Commission be approved, and that the following members be appointed to the Commission:

- John McQuaid, chair
- Mike Farmer, member
- Ray Murphy, member

This resolution bears the recommendation of the Committee of the Whole as discussed at a meeting held on June 5, 2020.