

## **CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOUTH HURON**

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Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing 777 Bay Street, 17th floor Toronto, Ontario M7A 2J3

Re: Proposed Provincial Planning Statement, 2023

Please be advised that at their Regular Council Meeting of May 15, 2023, South Huron Council passed the following resolution:

Resolution 211-2023 Moved: A. Neeb Seconded: T. Oke

That South Huron Council receives the report of Craig Metzger, Senior Planner regarding the proposed Provincial Planning Statement, 2023 and Bill 97 Changes to the Planning Act; and

That South Huron Council directs staff to submit comments to the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing on the proposed Provincial Planning Statement, 2023 as outlined in the report.

Carried (5-0)

Enclosed please find Planner Metzger's report dated May 10, 2023 which provides staff comments in relation to the proposed changes to the Provincial Planning Statement including agricultural lot severances, settlement area expansions, employment areas and employment land conversions, growth targets, and natural heritage.

Respectfully,

Alex Wolfe, Deputy Clerk Municipality of South Huron

awolfe@southhuron.ca 519-235-0310 ext 224 Encl. Report of Craig Metzger, Senior Planner – Proposed Provincial Planning Statement, 2023 and Bill 97 Changes to the Planning Act – dated May 10, 2023

Cc: Association of Municipalities Ontario, Lisa Thompson, MPP, Ontario Municipalities, Rebekah Msuya-Collison, Acting CAO/Clerk, Mike Rolph, Director of Planning and Building/CBO, Craig Metzger, Senior Planner, Vanessa Culbert, Planning Coordinator