

**THE CORPORATION OF THE  
MUNICIPALITY OF ARRAN-ELDERSLIE**

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**BY-LAW NO. 56-2024  
BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE ENTERING INTO A JOINT FIRE SERVICE  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ARRAN-ELDERSLIE AND  
THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATSWORTH**

**Whereas** the *Municipal Act, 2001, c. 25*, as amended, Section 20(1) provides that a Council of a Municipality may enter into an agreement with one or more municipalities or local bodies, as defined in Section 19 of the Municipal Act, or a combination of both to jointly provide, for their joint benefit, any matter of which all of them have the power to provide within their own boundaries.

**And Whereas** the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 S.O. 1997, c.4, as amended (the "FPPA") Section 5(4) permits two or more municipalities to establish one or more fire departments for the purpose of providing Fire Protection Services in those municipalities.

**AND WHEREAS** the Council for the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie deems it expedient to enter into a joint Fire Service Agreement with the Township of Chatsworth as outlined in Schedule "A" of this agreement.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie Enacts as Follows:

1. That the Municipality of Arran-Elderslie Council hereby enters into a joint Fire Service Agreement agreement with the Township of Chatsworth which is attached as Schedule "A" and forms part of this By-law.
2. That the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the joint Fire Service Agreement and to affix the corporate seal of the Municipality of Aran-Elderslie.
3. That a copy of the said joint Fire Service Agreement is attached hereto and designated as Schedule A to this By-Law.
4. That this By-Law shall come into effect upon final passage.

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READ a FIRST and SECOND time this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

READ a THIRD time and finally passed 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024.

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Steve Hammell, Mayor

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Christine Fraser-McDonald, Clerk