

THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

BY-LAW #7140

A BY-LAW to authorize the Warden and the Clerk to sign an Agreement between The Corporation of the County of Middlesex, the London Health Sciences Centre and the Middlesex-London Emergency Medical Services Authority (MLEMSA) operating as Middlesex-London Paramedic Service (MLPS) with respect to reducing land ambulance off-load delays by dedicating nurses to receive ambulance patients at Emergency Departments at the Victoria Hospital and at University Hospital.

WHEREAS Council on November 23, 2021 adopted a recommendation that an Agreement between The Corporation of the County of Middlesex, the London Health Sciences Centre and the Middlesex-London Emergency Medical Services Authority (MLEMSA) operating as Middlesex-London Paramedic Service (MLPS) with respect to reducing land ambulance off-load delays by dedicating nurses to receive ambulance patients at Emergency Departments at the Victoria Hospital and at University Hospital be approved for the period April 31, 2021 to March 31, 2022.

WHEREAS section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS section 9 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS section 10 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipality may pass by-laws respecting any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable for the public;

THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the County of Middlesex enacts as follows:

1. That the Agreement between The Corporation of the County of Middlesex, the London Health Sciences Centre and the Middlesex-London Emergency Medical Services Authority, operating as the Middlesex-London Paramedic Service, with respect to reducing land ambulance off-load delays by dedicating nurses to receive ambulance patients at Emergency Departments at Victoria Hospital and University Hospital for the period April 31, 2021 to March 31, 2022, attached hereto as Schedule A, is hereby approved.
2. That the Warden and the Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to affix their respective signatures to the said agreement.

PASSED IN COUNCIL this 23rd day of November, 2021.

Cathy Burghardt-Jesson, Warden

Marcia Ivanic, County Clerk